

A History of Trumpet Teachers at CSU

Enzo Barrett

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DEPARTMENTAL



1969 - 77 ● Jake Larson

1977 - 80 ● Barbara Prugh

1980 - 83 ● Michael Chunn

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1985 - 2009 ● David Shaner

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2010 - 15 ● Steve Marx

2015 - 16 ● Dawn Kramer

2016 - 18 ● Caleb Hudson

2018 - present ● Stanley Curtis

Jake Larson

1969 - 77



Image from Oklahoma Higher Education
Heritage Society

- Assistant Professor of Music
- First director of the CSU Symphonic Wind Ensemble, created to replace the University Band in response to Frederick Fennell's Eastman Wind Symphony
- Founder of CSU Brass Choir
- Played in the Colorado Brass Quintet with Lee Burns
- First cornet in the Air Force Band
- Moved on to university of Oklahoma

"Symphonic Wind Ensemble Born." *CSU Collegian*, October 1, 1971.
Jake Larson in discussion with author, November 2023.

Symphonic Wind Ensemble born

The Dept. of Music has announced that this Fall a new ensemble, the CSU Symphonic Wind Ensemble, will form. Made up of 40 select wind and percussion players, the ensemble will perform its first concert on Oct. 18 in the Student Center Theater.

The conductor of the ensemble will be Asst. Music Prof. Jacob Larson. Larson came to CSU in 1969 from the University of Cincinnati, where he was completing work on a doctorate degree in music. He received his Bachelor of Music Degree from the Cincinnati College-Conservatory of Music and an M.A. from Kent State University.

Larson's past experience includes four years as first cornet in the Air Force Band in Washington, D.C., and Asst. Director of Bands at Youngstown State University, Ohio and the University of Cincinnati College-Conservatory of Music. Ad-

ditional playing experience includes Principal Trumpet of the Birmingham Symphony Orchestra and the Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra. Since coming to Fort Collins, Larson has founded the popular CSU Brass Choir, which was selected for the South-Western Division Meeting of the Music Educators National Conference last Spring in Albuquerque, and is the founder and coordinator of the Colorado Brass Quintet, of which he is also a member.

Five concerts have been planned for the coming school year for the CSU Symphonic - Wind Ensemble. The dates of these programs are: Monday, Oct. 18; Tuesday, Jan. 25; Tuesday, Feb. 15; Wednesday, April 12; and Monday, May 1. The Brass Choir will make its first appearance this year at the Oct. 18 concert.

All programs will begin at 8 p.m. and will be held in the Student Center Theater.



PHI MU ALPHA National Executive Secretary Alan Adams passed through during his recent visit to a Denver convention of the Western Province Governors of Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia, the men's professional music fraternity.

In the past, this reviewer has been critical of the brass and wind sections of the Symphonic Band and University Orchestra.

After hearing Tuesday's performance of the CSU Wind Ensemble and the CSU Brass Choir it quickly became apparent that the Choir and Ensemble musicians do not participate in either of the two major performing groups.

leave" CSU.

Jacob Larson, associate professor of music, said yesterday he is looking around for other job opportunities.

"With 245 majors and 16 teachers, you never really produce a situation you might call quality. There are too many people to do a good job." Larson added the only way to improve quality is to "increase faculty or reduce the number of majors."

LARSON NOTED a trend toward "provincialism" at CSU. "We're cheating the students here by not giving them the diversity of education they deserve."

Larson criticized a music

"Symphonic Wind Ensemble Born." *CSU Collegian*, October 1, 1971.

Wick, Steve. "Two H&SS Professors Leave CSU Positions." *CSU Collegian*, March 19, 1976.

Reed, Jeff. "Wind Ensemble and Brass Choir Outstanding Groups." *CSU Collegian*. May 11, 1972.

Barbara Prugh

1977 - 80



<https://wrti.org>

- Studied at the University of Delaware and the Eastman School of Music
- Member of Concerto Soloists Chamber Orchestra of Philadelphia
- Principal Trumpet with the Basically Bach Festival Orchestra, 1807 and Friends and the Lehigh Valley Chamber Orchestra

Feenotes. "Prugh, Barbara Sauer." Accessed November 3, 2023.

<https://www.feenotes.com/database/artists/prugh-barbara-sauer/>.

I was 26 when I interviewed and auditioned for the position of Instructor of Trumpet and at that time there were very few women playing and/or teaching trumpet. My predecessor at CSU was Jacob Larson, who had been there for several years and was well loved. As a result, the transition from a highly respected male professor to a young female trumpet instructor wasn't the easiest for some of the male students, which made it a little challenging for me to win them over.

The jazz band program was also very strong there and I had one student whose idol was Maynard Ferguson. (He both played and even looked like Maynard!). It was pretty tricky trying to prepare him for the performing requirements for the music Ed degree. He ultimately ended up becoming a member of Maynard's band, but not because of anything I taught him!

Michael Chunn

1980 - 83



<https://www.linkedin.com/in/michael-chunn-2874408b/>

- Instructor of trumpet
- B.M. and M.M from University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign
- Trumpet professor at Kent State since 1983

Chunn, Michael. "Michael Chunn." *LinkedIn*, accessed November 6, 2023. <https://www.linkedin.com/in/michael-chunn-2874408b/>.

Supplemental Pay
4-16-81 to 5-15-81

Colorado State University
SBA Meeting--August 20-21, 1981

CONTINUING EDUCATION Administered under CCEH procedures without funding from state general fund

Name	Title	Department	Amount	Course	Date
Michael Chunn	Instructor	Music	\$100.00	MU-272	January 15 - May 10, 1981
M. E. Criswell	Associate Professor	Civil Engineering	30.00	DCE-908	April 1, 1981
Rex Culp	Associate Professor	Human Development	841.50	HD-211	February 15 - May 29, 1981
N. Daugherty	Associate Professor	Chemistry	30.00	CCE-908	April 1, 1981

State Board of Agriculture. 1980 *Agenda*. October 17, 1980.

<https://archives.mountainscholar.org/digital/collection/p17393coll116/id/39393/rec/10>.

State Board of Agriculture. 1981 *Agenda*. August 20, 1981.

<https://archives.mountainscholar.org/digital/collection/p17393coll116/id/16424/rec/2>.

State Board of Agriculture. 1983 *Agenda*. June 22, 1983.

<https://archives.mountainscholar.org/digital/collection/p17393coll116/id/17327/rec/12>.

APPOINTMENTS					
NAME	TITLE	DEPARTMENT	EFFECTIVE DATE	BASIS/TYPE	SALARY RATE
1. Adlam, James K.	Ext Agent	Extension	9/1/80-1/31/81	12/Spec	13,350
2. Adrian, Donald D.	Visit Prof	Civil Engr	8/20/80-6/30/81	12/Temp	27,333
3. Alavi, Mir Jafer	Visit Prof	Civil Engr	8/20/80-12/31/80	9/Temp	27,000
4. Albright, John	Instructor	History	8/20/80-1/5/81	9/T/p.t.	11,300
5. Archer, Diane E.	Fac Affil	Education	8/20/80-5/20/81	9/Temp	None
6. Attia, Farag	Fac Affil	Statistics	8/20/80-6/30/81	12/Temp	None
7. Ball, James W.	Fac Affil	Civil Engr	7/1/80-6/30/81	12/Temp	None
8. Barnes, Bradford A.	Lecturer	Microbiology	8/20/80-1/5/81	9/T/1/2	10,800
9. Blondin, Mario	Res Assoc	Range Science	8/1/80-6/30/81	12/T/3/4	10,700
10. Bittinger, Morton W.	Fac Affil	Civil Engr	7/1/80-6/30/81	12/Temp	None
11. Bollwinkel, David E.	Asst BB Coach	Athletics	8/5/80	12/Reg	22,000
12. Brennan, Patrick J.	Assoc Prof	Microbiology	8/20/80-5/20/81	9/Reg	26,000
13. Brooks, Jeanne B.	Ext Agent	Extension	8/5/80-8/29/80	12/Temp	14,400
14. Brown, David V.	Res Assoc	Physiol/Biophys	8/18/80-6/30/81	12/Spec	14,000
15. Carter, T. Michael	Asst Prof	Atom Science	9/1/80-6/30/81	12/Spec	30,500
16. Case, Vance R.	Res Assoc	Animal Sciences	8/1/80-12/31/80	12/T/2/3	11,880
17. Christ-Joner, Victor	Fac Affil	Art	7/1/80-6/30/81	12/Temp	None
18. Chunn, Michael W.	Instructor	Music	8/20/80-5/20/81	9/Reg	15,000

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RESIGNATIONS				
NAME	DEPARTMENT	TITLE	EFF. DATE	
85. Bartholomew, Walter B.	Conferences & Institutes	Director	6-15-83	
86. Chunn, Michael W.	Music	Instructor	5-20-83	
87. Collins, Michael T.	Microbiology	Assoc Professor	6-30-83	
88. Dwight, Merri C.	Athletics	Coach	5-20-83	
89. Erwin, H. Andrew	Speech & Theatre Arts	Lecturer	5-20-83	
90. Fagerberg, Diane J.	Animal Sciences	Assoc Professor	5-31-83	
91. Fenton, Janine M.	Animal Sciences	Research Associate	5-31-83	
92. Geiger, Philip N.	Art	Asst Professor	5-20-83	
93. George, Beverly A.	Animal Sciences	Research Associate	5-31-83	
94. Haak, Christina	Continuing Education	Asst to Director	5-31-83	
95. Jennings, Colleen	Cultural Programs	Coordinator	6-30-83	
96. Ley, Thomas W.	Agr/Chem Engr	Research Associate	5-31-83	
97. Lipschutz, Robert C.	C.I.R.A.	Res Assoc	5-31-83	
98. Matlock Judith A.	Athletics	Coach	5-20-83	
99. McIntyre, Robert	Psychology	Asst Prof	5-20-83	
100. Millar, Ronald H.	Extension Service	Extension Agent	6-30-83	
101. Morton, Max L.	Physical Education	Assoc Professor	11-30-82	
102. Noffsinger, Richard H.	Industrial Sciences	Instructor	5-20-83	
103. Paulson, Patricia A.	Phys/Microbiol	Research Associate	5-31-83	

Gil Garcia

1983 - 1985



- Instructor of trumpet from Denver
- Played in the college band while in the military
- Member of Kappa Kappa Psi and Phi Mu Alpha
- Taught in Loveland

“Re-1 Band to Feature Trumpet Soloist 27th.” *Douglas County News*, March 1, 1962.

<https://www.coloradohistoricnewspapers.org/?a=d&d=DCN19620301.2.48>.

Re-1 Band to Feature Trumpet Soloist 27th



Gilbert Garcia, trumpet soloist, will appear with the Douglas County High School Band on Tuesday, March 27, at 8:00 p.m. in the Douglas County Re-1 High School auditorium.

The soloist will play the "Concerto in E Flat for Trumpet" by Joseph Haydn, "Nocturne" from "Concerto for Trumpet and Band" by Maurice Whitney, "The Magic Trumpet" by James Burke and "Carnival of Venice" by Del Staigers.

Mr. Garcia's career began in the seventh grade in Denver, Colo., and during his school years he studied with Mr. Ed Lenicek and John Leick of Denver. While in the military service, Mr. Garcia played with the College Band. He was a member of Kappa Kappa Psi, men's band fraternity, and Phi Mu Alpha, honorary music fraternity.

Mr. Garcia is presently teaching in Loveland, Colo., where he has taught for the last five years. Two Junior High bands under the direction of Mr. Garcia have a total of 125 junior high musicians.

"Re-1 Band to Feature Trumpet Soloist 27th." *Douglas County News*, March 1, 1962.

<https://www.coloradohistoricnewspapers.org/?a=d&d=DCN19620301.2.48>.

David Shaner

1985 - 2009



music.colostate.edu

- Professor of trumpet
- Promoted from instructor to professor in 1990
- During his time at CSU conducted Symphonic Band, Symphonic Wind Ensemble, and directed the jazz program
- Attended Murray State and Memphis State
- Received his doctorate from University of Iowa
- Principal in Fort Collins Symphony for 24 years
- Principal in Cheyenne Symphony for 26 years
- Played trumpet on the soundtrack for "Shaft"

"David R. Shaner." *Coloradoan*, July 22, 2014.

<https://www.coloradoan.com/story/announcements/obituaries/2014/07/23/david-r-shaner/13012289/>.

NAME	TITLE	DEPARTMENT	REQUISITE DATE	TYPE	RATE
1. Azana, Linda M.	Director	Asian American Serv	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Spec	15,000
2. Khan, Larry D.	Asst Coach	Education	7-1-85/6-30-86	7-Reg	25,000
3. Arkin, Ronald B.	Fac Affil	Education	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	None
4. Sauer, Shirley K.	Fac Affil	Education	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	None
5. Best, Christine A.	Fac Affil	Education	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	None
6. Hodine, Jay F.	Asst Prof	For Lang/Lits	8-20-85/7-30-86	9/Reg	22,000
7. Bourdin, Richard M.	Asst Prof	Animal Sciences	7-1-85/6-30-86	9/Reg	25,000
8. Butler, James C.	Asst Prof	Animal Sciences	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Reg	34,500
9. Carson, Jane I.	Lecturer	For Lang/Lits	8-20-85/7-30-86	9/Spec	16,000
10. Chambers, Joan L.	Lecturer/Prof	Literature	10-1-85	12/Reg	16,000
11. Christie, Rick	Fac Affil	Education	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	None
12. Cough, Scott D.	Asst Coach	Athletics	7-1-85	12/Reg	15,000
13. Cookerell, Gary L.	Assoc Prof	Biology	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Reg	57,000
14. Colberg, Ronald A.	Fac Affil	Education	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	None
15. Cornejo, Anthony J.	Fac Affil	Sociology	7-15-85/9-15-85	12/Temp	None
16. Dalrymple, Frank	Fac Affil	Education	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	None
17. Davis, Rex	Fac Affil	Education	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	None
18. Dudley, Bill	Fac Affil	Education	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	None
19. Hamrick, John	Fac Affil	Education	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Reg	26,000
20. Jones, James	Coach	Athletics	7-1-85	12/Reg	19,500
21. Flores, Alfredo	Asst Dir	Housing/Res Educ	7-1-85	12/Reg	19,200
22. Forrester, Christopher F.	Asst Coach	Athletics	7-1-85	12/Reg	15,000
23. Freshling, Michael	Res Assoc	Zoology	7-15-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	17,500
24. Fry, Peggy A.	Res Assoc	N.R.E.L.	8-1-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	10,000
25. Fulton, Scott R.	Res Assoc	Natural Science	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Spec	25,500
26. Furuta, Yoshitaka	Fac Affil	Agriculture	7-1-85/4-7-85	12/Temp	None
27. Garcia, Pamela F.	Director	Conference Services	7-29-85	12/Reg	36,000
28. Garrison, Rebecca	Asst Prof	Social Work	8-20-85/7-30-86	9/Reg	28,600
29. Garlin, Stanton	Asst Dir/Res Instr	Agric Sciences	8-10-85/7-30-86	12/Spec	20,000
30. Geale, Gerald	Prof/Res Comm	Range Science	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	None
31. Guardo, Frances	Instructor	Phys Educ	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	6,000
32. Gault, Linda	Fac Affil	Education	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	None
33. Hain, James P.	Res Assoc	Agriculture	8-17-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	None
34. Harris, Mary A.	Asst Prof	Food Sci/Human Nutr	8-20-85/7-30-86	9/Reg	26,000
35. Helms, Clara	Fac Affil	Education	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	None
36. Hodges, Vivian F.	Fac Affil	Education	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	None
37. Hodgson, David S.	Asst Prof	Clin Sciences	7-15-85/6-30-86	12/Reg	39,000
38. Hoseney, Kim L.	Asst Prof	Animal Sciences	8-15-85/6-30-86	9/Spec	33,000
39. Hultbrecht, Gary	Instructor	Art	8-20-85/7-30-86	9/Spec	17,000
40. Hunter, Madeline	Fac Affil	Education	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	None
41. Kennedy, Catherine A.	Asst Prof	Phys Educ	8-20-85/7-30-86	9/Spec	26,000
42. Keith, Faisal	Visit Asst Prof	Biochemistry	8-15-85/6-14-85	12/Temp	1,600
43. Kraft, Michael E.	Professor	Pol Science	7-1-85/6-30-86	9/Reg	37,000
44. LaGrey, Lauren	Res Assoc	Range Science	7-1-85/1-31-86	12/Spec	8,400
45. Leach, David E.	Fac Affil	Education	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	None
46. Leichelsner, Dale A.	Extension Agent	Extension	6-24-85	12/Reg	23,500
47. Lutz, Gary S.	Fac Affil	Ind Sciences	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	None
48. Mandrak, Michael J.	Fac Affil	Res Resources	7-1-85/6-30-86	9/Reg	33,000
49. Matuszko, John D.	Assoc Prof	Ind Sciences	8-20-85/7-30-86	9/Reg	33,000
50. Miller, Ray R.	Coordinator	Coordinator	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	19,000
51. Murr, Larry C.	Fac Affil	Agriculture	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	None
52. Mulholland, Kathleen	Fac Affil	Education	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	None
53. Parlane, Betty	Fac Affil	Education	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	None
54. Pederson, Dean	Fac Affil	Education	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	None
55. Pinder, John E., III	Fac Affil	Res Assoc	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	None
56. Ratti, John T.	Asst Prof	Fish/Wildl Biol	7-1-85/6-30-86	9/Reg	29,000
57. Ross, Deborah	Fac Affil	Phys/Biophys	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	None
58. Rogers, Rod	Fac Affil	Education	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	None
59. Schreck, Craig C.	Asst Prof	Biochemistry	8-20-85/7-30-86	9/Reg	27,000
60. Schultz, Grant A.	Res Assoc	N.R.E.L.	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	14,800
61. Schutz, Carol J.	Extension Agent	Extension Services	7-1-85	12/Reg	24,500
62. Shiner, David	Instructor	Music/Theatre/Dance	8-20-85/7-30-86	9/Reg	20,000
63. Spaulding, Sarah A.	Instructor	Res Assoc	7-1-85/6-30-86	12/Temp	None
64. Stearns, Janet M.	Instructor	Music/Theatre/Dance	8-20-85/7-30-86	9/Reg	20,000

Secretary's Agenda
Colorado State University
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CHANGE OF STATUS

NAME	DEPARTMENT	FROM	TO	EFF DATE
258. Owen, Janice	Public Relations	State Classified	Director/41,190	1-1-90
259. Probert, Curtis	Coop Extension	46,900	50,000	12-1-89
260. Renquist, A. Richard	Orchard Mesa Res Ctr	39,200	42,000	1-1-90
261. Richardson, Clyde	Coop Extension	42,100	48,500	1-1-90
262. Rickard, Kathryn	Psychology	33,400	35,200	1-1-90
263. Risi, Peggy Ann	Biochemistry	Biochemistry	Microbio/23,000	12-1-89
264. Rothe, Alvie	Coop Extension	40,700	45,000	1-1-90
265. Salman, Mowafak	Environmental Health	Joint Appt With:	Clinical Sciences	12-1-89
266. Scott, Russell	N.R.E.L.	9/23,000	12/34,000/CFNR	1-1-90
267. Seibert, Katherine	Civil Engineering	71,377	74,300	1-1-90
268. Shaner, David	Music/Theatre/Dance	Instructor	Asst Prf/24,900	1-1-90

State Board of Agriculture. 1990 Agenda. February 20, 1990.

<https://archives.mountainscholar.org/digital/collection/p17393coll116/id/86494/rec/14>.

State Board of Agriculture. 1985 Agenda. August 12, 1985.

<https://archives.mountainscholar.org/digital/collection/p17393coll116/id/91458/rec/43>.

Dan Kuehn

2009 - 10



<https://www.discogs.com/artist/3079688-Daniel-Kuehn>

- 2nd / Assistant Principal in Colorado Symphony from 1976 - 2014 (?)
- Taught at DU from 1982-1988
- Taught at UNC (Adjunct Trumpet Professor) from 1987-2003
- Taught the University of Wyoming (Adjunct Trumpet Professor) from 2001-2002
- Taught at CU in multiple one year positions.
- Studied with Doc Severinsen

Reaban, Derek. "Colorado / Denver Symphony Orchestra Player Bios: Dan Kuehn." *Trumpet Herald*, Oct 27, 2009.

<https://www.trumpetherald.com/forum/viewtopic.php?p=985371#985371>.

CSU to hold annual trumpet festival

By **LOUIE PAGE**

The Rocky Mountain Collegian

The University Center for the Arts will play host to two world-renowned trumpeters this weekend as the Music Department kicks off the annual Rocky Mountain Trumpet Festival.

The three-day event, starting today and running through Sunday, will feature special guests David Hickman and Steven Marx in two concerts, along with multiple seminars, critiques and other performances from CSU professors.

"The festival is the brainchild of Colorado professors wanting to get together and letting students perform to have musical connection with all universities around the state," said Dan Kuehn, CSU assistant trumpet professor and host of the festi-

val.

Kuehn said the festival affords a special opportunity for student performers to play in front of a panel of professionals to receive feedback about their craft.

"The festival offers not only concerts, but multiple seminars from professionals, instrument and musical company booths and a sort of job fair for the high school students attending," Kuehn said.

During the concerts, however, students will have the opportunity to play side-by-side with Hickman, Marx and Kuehn, all regarded highly in their profession.

According to a UCA press release, Hickman has performed more than 2,000 solo appearances with more than 500 different orchestras. Also, he is

the founder of the highly acclaimed ensemble Summit Brass.

Marx, a professor at the University of Northern Colorado, has won international competitions and is a former Yamaha Young Artist, which according to the Yamaha Web site, "Recognizes outstanding young musicians from the world of classical, jazz and contemporary music."

According to the release, Marx was awarded first prize in the Mock Orchestra Competition in 2002 and was awarded second place in the National Trumpet Competition.

Marx will perform with the CSU Chamber Orchestra tonight, and Hickman will perform with the CSU Big Band on Saturday. Both shows start at 7:30 p.m. at Griffin Concert

Hall.

Kuehn will join Steven Marx to perform a special piccolo concerto by composer Aldinoni tonight. In addition, CSU professors will also perform with the orchestras.

These events will span throughout the weekend, and for a schedule of events visit <http://www.music.colostate.edu>.

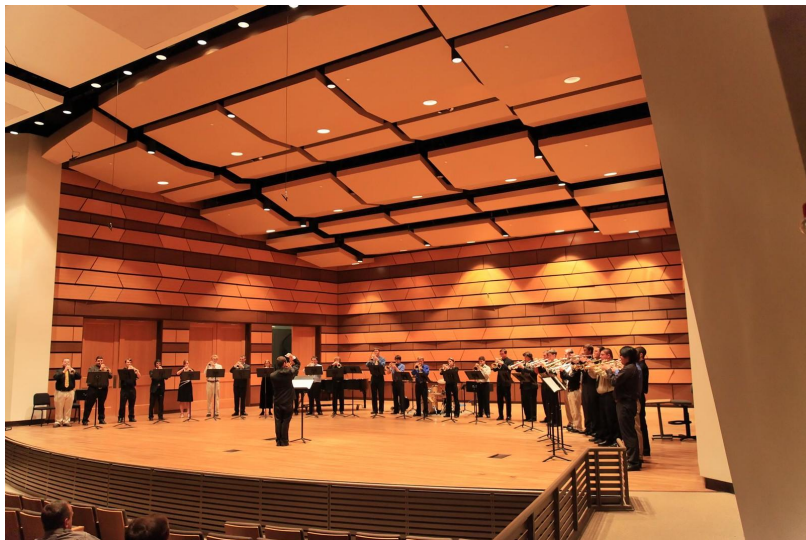
For each night's concerts tickets cost \$10 for the public, \$5 for CSU students and \$1 for youth, ages 2 to 17. A portion of the proceeds benefits the concert directly.

Tickets can be purchased at the CSU Box Office in the Lory Student Center, by phone at (970) 491-4849 or online at <http://www.csutix.com>

Staff writer Louie Page can be reached at news@collegian.com.

Page, Louie. "CSU to Hold Annual Trumpet Festival." *CSU Collegian*, November 13, 2009.

<https://archives.mountainscholar.org/digital/collection/p17393coll69/id/2201/rec/1>.



Stephens, David. "Rocky Mountain Trumpet Fest 09." *Flickr*, November 17, 2009.
<https://www.flickr.com/photos/dcstep/4112988818/in/album-72157622700705841/>.

Steve Marx

2010 - 15



gettysburg.edu

- MM and DMA from Eastman SOM
- Played in the Fort Collins Symphonic
- Soloist with CSU Symphony Orchestra, Symphonic Band
- Adjunct Professor at the Sunderman Conservatory of Music since 2015 where he directs the marching and symphonic bands

“Steven Marx.” Sunderman Conservatory of Music, accessed November 6, 2023.

<https://www.gettysburg.edu/academic-programs/sunderman-conservatory/faculty/steven-marx>.

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University Symphony Orchestra Concert

Between World Wars

with Special Guest Steven Marx, Trumpet



Tuesday, February 8, 7:30 p.m.
Organ Recital Hall, UCA
1400 Remington Street

\$7/CSU students, \$1/ youth (2 - 17), \$12/adults
Tickets: CSUArtsTickets.com
970-491-ARTS (2827)

Image: Paul Klee, *Death and Fire*

The orchestra performs Dmitri Shostakovich's *Symphony No. 5*, which received a half an hour ovation at its premier in 1937. "The significance of the symphony can never be diminished, said conductor Wes Kenney. "There are many ways to look at the meaning of this inspired opus...we can hardly imagine what the enigmatic composer was living through..." Ottorino Respighi's colorful *Trittico Botticelliano* (1927), and Malcolm Arnold's *Trumpet Concerto Op. 125* are also on the program.

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Meet Me at the UCA

Steve Marx, trumpet
Anne Breeden, piano
February 2, 2012 7:30 p.m.
Organ Recital Hall

Program

"Let the Bright Seraphim".....George Frederic Handel (1685-1759)
from *Sansone*
Susan Hochmiller, Soprano

Concerto.....Charles Chaynes (b. 1925)

Etude No. 2 "Du Style".....Theo Charlier (1868-1944)
Wesley Ferreira, Clarinet

----- INTERMISSION -----

Concertino for Trombone, TrumpetJacques Castrede (b. 1926)
and Piano
Murray Oliver, Trombone

Siete Canciones populares Espanolas.....Manuel de Falla (1876-1946)
"El Pano Moruno"
"Asturiana"
"Jota"
"Nana"

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Meet Me at the UCA

Colorado State University
Symphonic Band
FEBRUARY 23, 2012 • GRIFFIN CONCERT HALL, UCA

Dr. Richard S. Frey, Conductor
Nicholas Curran, Graduate Conductor

Mother Earth (A Fanfare) (2006) David Maslanka (b. 1943)

Rest (2010) Frank Ticheli (b. 1958)

From an Alabama Songbook (2006) Donald Grantham (b. 1947)

I. Bower of Roses/Acorns Grow on White Oak Trees
II. Go to Sleep
V. Walk Tom Walker

INTERMISSION

Chester Overture (1956) William Schuman (1910-1992)
Nicholas Curran, graduate conductor

Concerto for Trumpet and Wind Orchestra (1991) Andrey Petrov (1930-2006)
Dr. Steven Marx, trumpet

Symphonic Dance No. 3, "Fiesta" (1967) Clifton Williams (1923-1976)

"Between World Wars: With Special Guest Steven Marx, Trumpet." Poster for CSU Symphony Orchestra, *Between World Wars*. Wes Kenney, Conductor, Steven Marx, Trumpet. February 8, 2011.

<https://mountainscholar.org/items/bf226675-00fd-4002-a159-32f95c419e04>.

"Steve Marx, Trumpet, Anne Breeden, Piano." Program for CSU, *Virtuoso Series*. February 2, 2012. <https://mountainscholar.org/items/9d7e7e25-2f69-4859-a18d-8e715edd875f>.

"Colorado State University Symphonic Band." Program for CSU Symphonic Band. February 23, 2012. <https://mountainscholar.org/items/14085f0d-d145-4369-8eea-ef1a600bfa6e>.

Dawn Kramer

2015 - 16



- Student of Terry Sawchuk at CSU
- Second trumpet at Buell Theatre, member of Boulder Brass, and the Mont Alto Motion Picture Orchestra
- Plays with most regional orchestras in Colorado.

“Dawn Kramer.” Colorado Jazz Repertory Orchestra, accessed November 6, 2023. <https://www.coloradojazz.org/drawn-kramer>.

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"Virtuoso Series Concert." Program for *Virtuoso Series*. Chris Van Hof, trombone.
March 7, 2016.

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Caleb Hudson

2016 - 18



- Juilliard graduate
- CSU was Hudson's first teaching position
- Former member of the Canadian Brass Quintet
- Known for his piccolo playing
- Went on to teach at UNT and now teaches at UT Austin

“Caleb Hudson to join Butler School of Music Faculty.” Butler School of Music, May 18, 2023.

<https://music.utexas.edu/news/caleb-hudson-join-butler-school-music-faculty>



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CSU welcomes trumpet professor, Juilliard graduate

By McKenzie Moore
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The School of Music, Theatre and Dance at Colorado State University introduced a new trumpet professor this year: Canadian Brass member Caleb Hudson. Hudson graduated from Juilliard after a lifetime of pursuing music.

"I started playing the trumpet when I was 10 years old, and it was my first, and only, instrument," said CSU trumpet professor Caleb Hudson. "My parents bought me a used, dented, rusty horn from the classifieds, and I fell in love with it immediately. I have vivid memories of those initial years, waking up at 5 a.m., getting ready for school and then practicing my trumpet until the school bus came. I would stare out the window and dream about getting into Juilliard and becoming a trumpet soloist. Very soon after I started playing, I was overcome with a hunger and a passion for music, and thankfully it hasn't subsided since."

After graduating from Juilliard, Canadian Brass invited Hudson to audition.

"My world was rocked when I was invited to audition for Canadian Brass," Hudson said. "This was an ensemble that I

had listened to growing up. To be asked to join a group with such a legacy and prominent place in the music world was incredible, and it's something I don't ever take for granted."

Canadian Brass has performed almost 300 concerts and recorded four albums since Hudson joined in 2013. The group puts an emphasis on education, and the interaction with young music students inspired Hudson to pursue teaching his craft. However, when it comes to being a professor for CSU's trumpet studio, Hudson admits that he is a total rookie.

"I've never held a previous college teaching position," Hudson said. "I've taught in many different capacities all over the world, but all of them were fairly short-term. A coaching here, a masterclass there, private lessons interspersed as well. My position at CSU is exciting because I have the chance to build something here and to have a significant impact on my studio."

According to Hudson, passion and connection with his students are his top priorities while teaching at his trumpet studio.

"Whether or not music plays a prominent role in their careers is secondary," Hudson said. "Music is worthwhile for its own sake.

There is nothing better than making music with others who share a similar passion and commitment. It's about constant discovery, the pursuit of excellence and the joy of creating something meaningful."

Hudson looks back on his own musical history, including his teachers and mentors throughout the years, to guide him in his teaching future at CSU.

"All I want to think about is what's best for the students," Hudson said. "What can I do now to be the best resource available to them? How can I use my talent, knowledge and platform to serve in the best capacity? When I think of legacy, I immediately think of my own teachers. The best of them were true mentors as well. They exuded a generosity of spirit and made sacrifices. All of the musicians I respect most are those kind of inspiring teachers, and I want to be like them."

CSU's Center for the Arts included Hudson in multiple performances in the fall semester, including a feature with the University Symphony Orchestra at their fall concert in September. Hudson will also join other members of Canadian Brass in hosting a master class on Sunday, Jan. 29. Despite his busy performance schedule, Hudson said



Caleb Hudson teaches as the professor of the CSU Trumpet studio as well as performs with the popular brass ensemble, the Canadian Brass.
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that leaving behind a legacy for young musicians is one of his top priorities.

"I think that when it comes to the love for any art form or discipline, the natural expression is to pass it on," Hudson said. "I did not enter Juilliard with the intention of teaching in any capacity. I was focused on performance, and refining my musicianship and technique. Then I started participating in various teaching and outreach programs at Juilliard. As I performed with other students at hospitals, geri-

atric facilities and AIDS shelters, I began to realize that my artistry had a place in my community. As I began to teach young underprivileged students from the five boroughs of New York City, I learned that I could be useful in having a meaningful influence on others."

Hudson looks forward to another semester full of performances, teaching and leaving his mark on CSU.

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"Virtuoso Series Concert." Program for *Virtuoso Series*. Caleb Hudson, trumpet, Joel Bacon, organ. May 9, 2017.

<https://mountainscholar.org/items/2f341ce3-299f-491d-8e05-0708374cbf3f>.

Moore, Mckenzie. "CSU Welcomes Trumpet Professor, Juilliard Graduate." *CSU Collegian*, January 24, 2017.

<https://archives.mountainscholar.org/digital/collection/p17393coll69/id/37353/rec/1>

Stanley Curtis

2018 - present



- Graduate of IU and Cleveland Institute of Music
- Retired from a 20 year career in the navy band
- Baroque trumpet expert
- Appointed to a one year adjunct position in 2018, promoted to professor of trumpet in 2019

“Stanley Curtis.” CSU College of Liberal Arts, accessed November 6, 2023. <https://www.libarts.colostate.edu/people/shcurtis/>

TONIGHT'S PROGRAM

CSU Sinfonia: October 23

WES KENNEY, Conductor
STANLEY CURTIS, Trumpet
ZO MANFREDI, Violin
MARGARET MILLER, Viola
BARBARA THIEM, Cello

G. L. FRANK (b. 1972) *Manchay Tiempo* (2005)

J. N. HUMMEL (1778-1837) Trumpet Concerto in E Major S49/Wo01 (1804)

I. Allegro con spìrit
II. Andante [versione prima]
III. Rondo—Minore—Maggiore

Dr. Curtis

W. BOLCOM (b. 1938) *Commedia: For almost 18th century orchestra* (1971)

Dr. Manfredi, Prof. Miller, Prof. Thiem

-Intermission-

W.A. MOZART (1756-1791) Symphony No. 41 in C Major, K. 551 ("Jupiter") (1788)

I. Allegro vivace
II. Andante cantabile
III. Menuetto: Allegretto
IV. Molto Allegro

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JAMES SPINAZZOLA, guest conductor
STANLEY CURTIS, trumpet
DREW LESLIE, trombone
JAMES DAVID, composer
KEVIN POELKING, composer

Fanfare for a New Day (2019) / KEVIN POELKING

Canzona (1951) / PETER MENNIN

Sleep (2003) / ERIC WHITACRE

Fandango (1999) / JOSEPH TURRIN

Stanley Curtis, trumpet & Drew Leslie, trombone

Lollapalooza (1995/2006) / JOHN ADAMS trans. by JAMES SPINAZZOLA

James Spinazzola, guest conductor

"Second Prelude" from the *Three Preludes for Piano* (1927/1964/2019) /

GEORGE GERSHWIN

arr. by JOHN KRANCE ed. by AARON HERMAN

Big Four on the River (2014) / JAMES DAVID

A word from the conductor...

Lollapalooza is a word to describe something that is particularly impressive, which is a great way to describe John Adams' short piece, "Lollapalooza." The 2019-20 Colorado State University Wind Symphony continues their season with an evening full of lollapaloozas, including works by James David and Kevin Poelking along with Turrin's rhythmic and exciting work for trumpet, trombone, and wind ensemble, *Fandango*. Faculty guest artists include assistant professor of trumpet Stanley Curtis and assistant professor of trombone Drew Leslie. Also, joining us as guest conductor and clinician will be Dr. James Spinazzola, director of bands at Cornell University and transcriber of Adams' *Lollapalooza*.

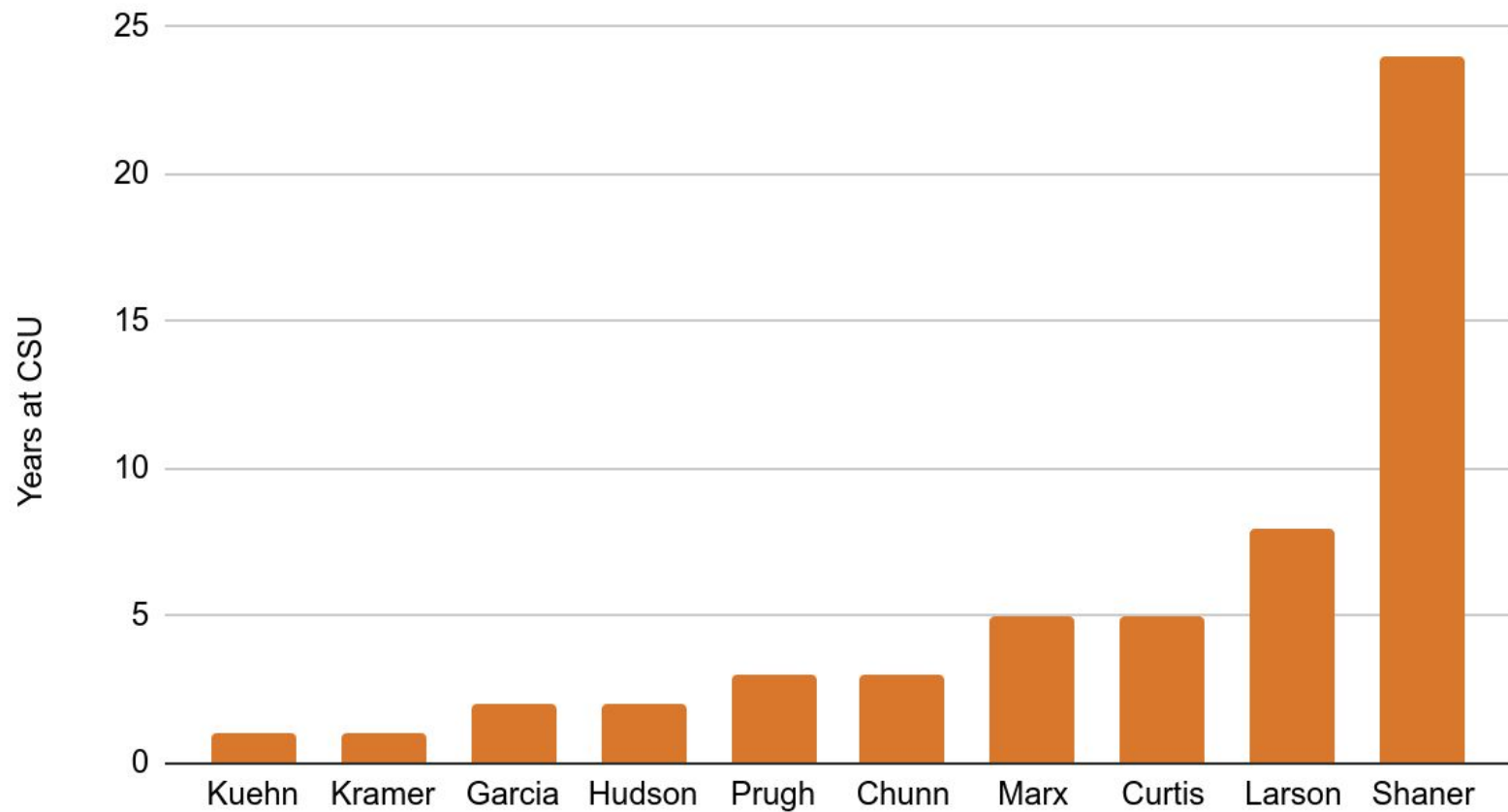
"Mozart and much more! Featuring the Jupiter Symphony." Program for CSU Sinfonia. Wes Kenney, conductor.

October 23, 2019. <https://mountainscholar.org/items/3fafa11b-59c1-42b6-8dc7-ce81d2f5cbc4>.

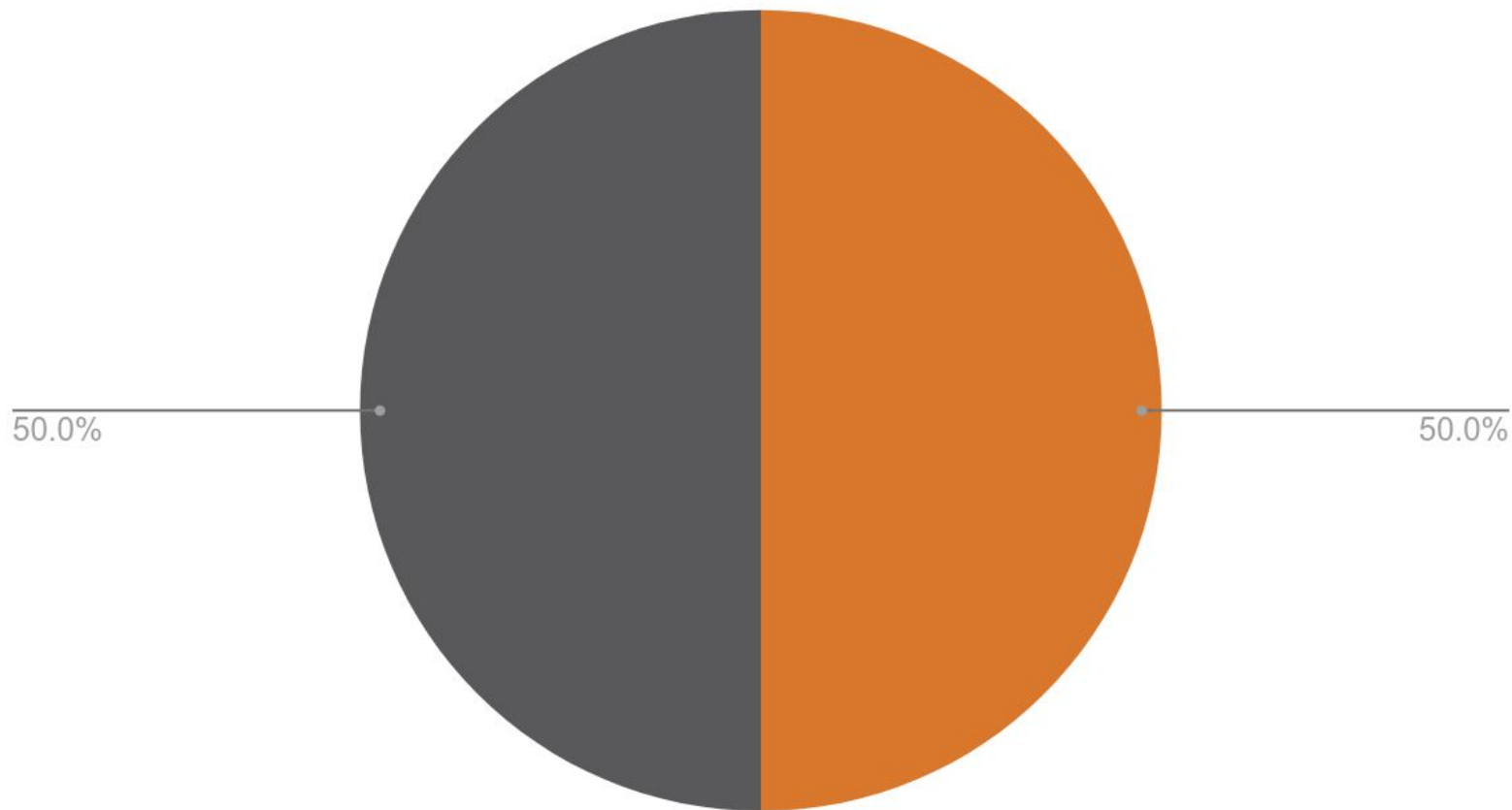
"Honor Band 2019." Program for CSU bands. December 12-13, 2019.

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