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Ford Hall
Saturday, October 12th, 2019
2:00 pm
Program

Stèle
Gérard Grisey
(1946-1998)

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Mark Applebaum
(b. 1967)

Postludes (selections)
Elliot Cole
(b. 1984)

Shi
Alexandre Lunsqui
(b. 1969)

Shared Space
Ivan Trevino
(b. 1983)

Life is ________
Jason Treuting
(b. 1977)

Ostinato Pianissimo
Henry Cowell
(1897-1965)

IV
Johanna Beyer
(1888-1944)

Sossa-Bala
Emmanuel Séjourné
(b. 1961)

Until Morning Sings
David Reeves
(b. 1973)

IV (reprise)
Johanna Beyer
(1888-1944)

Ogoun Badagris
Christopher Rouse
(1949-2019)
Thoughts on today's program:

Percussion is an enigma. How can something that seems so simple in concept (hit drum, make sound) be so complex in both its history and execution? This concert attempts to juxtapose classic pieces of percussion ensemble repertoire (Cowell, Beyer) with lesser-performed works of the 21st-century (Applebaum, Treuting) in an attempt to showcase the breadth and depth of the current percussion ensemble repertoire, spanning just slightly more than a century.

We hope that you enjoy the variety of roles a percussionist has been asked to play, and the variety of sonic and visual environments in which these roles live. We value sound and progress, stasis and variety. The percussionist’s world is that of questions with few answers. We hope you enjoy!

ICPE is:

Alex Hoerig  Leah Gardner
Allie Ross   Maverick Beeman
Anna Young  Michael Avanessian
Ariana Gleason Nora Maupin
Ben Berkowitz Peter Jensen
Brian Breen  Phil Cataldo
Colin Kelley  Ratewenniio George
Ethan Cowburn Sara Ostermeier
Ethan Pinckert Scott Bruce
Giancarlo Levano Sean Swenson
Greg Salvino  Will Hope
Ian Lisi
Ian Muir
Isaiah Delgado
Jacob Graham
Jake Staffin
Julia Lavernoich
Katie Imes