Directors

John Fetter - Director, Hochstein Philharmonia Orchestra Director, Hochstein Sinfonia Strings

John Fetter is Music Director of the Hochstein Philharmonia Orchestra and the Hochstein Sinfonia Strings, and Director of the Hochstein summer camp String Jam: Alternative Styles for Strings. In addition to his work at Hochstein, he is a music teacher at Pinnacle School No. 35 in the Rochester City School District and an Instructor of Violin for the Eastman Community Music School.

While teaching at the Eastman School of Music for more than a decade, Dr. Fetter was actively engaged with music teaching in the urban community. He coordinated the Urban Strings partnership between Eastman and the Rochester City School District, work for which he received the University of Rochester's Presidential Diversity Award and the Rochester Education Foundation's Making a Difference Award.

Fetter earned his Doctor of Philosophy and Master of Music degrees in music education from the Eastman School of Music and his Bachelor of Music from the University of Northern Iowa. Beginning his education career as a Suzuki violin teacher, he was a faculty member of the University of Northern Iowa Suzuki School. He then was public school orchestra director in Greeley, Colorado, and performed in orchestras in Colorado and Wyoming.

As a conductor, Fetter has worked with the Rochester Philharmonic Orchestra, Richmond Symphony Orchestra, and New Hampshire Music Festival Orchestra. He also has appeared with the latter as a violinist, and coordinates the festival's Words on Music series. While occasionally found sitting in with blues and folk musicians, he also enjoys performing in chamber music settings and has performed on the Hochstein Faculty Artist Series, "Spotlight on Faculty."

Matt Osika - Assistant Director, Hochstein Philharmonia Orchestra

Matt Osika is a Rochester-based trumpeter, teacher, conductor and composer. Currently teaching instrumental music at Thomas High School and Willink Middle School in Webster, NY, Osika performs regularly with the Penfield Symphony and Cordancia Chamber Orchestras. In the Spring of 2014, Osika founded the Young Composers Collaboration Project with the Hochstein Youth Orchestra Program, where students create, refine, and premiere large orchestral works. In 2012, Ludwig Masters Publications released Osika's chamber-ensemble orchestration of Percy Grainger's Lincolnshire Posy, which has been performed by the Eastman Wind Ensemble, members of the U.S. Navy Band, and the Ad Hoc Chamber Ensemble.

Osika attended the Eastman School of Music as a recipient of the prestigious Lois S. Rogers scholarship where he received the Bachelor Degree in Applied Music/Music Education (2008) and the Master Degree in Music Education (2010). During that time, he performed alongside the Canadian Brass, served as tour manager for the Eastman Wind Ensemble, and served as Assistant Conductor of the Eastman Wind Orchestra. Trumpet instructors include James Thompson and Douglas Prosser; Conducting instructors include Mark Davis Scatterday and Brad Lubman.



PHILHARMONIA

SINFONIA

PROGRAM

Violin

Rihanshi Agrawal Madison Austin Anya Bharqava Meahan Bowman Wendy Brown Deanna Caldarelli Sarah Chruscicki Evan Dai Olivia Fordham Andrew Fouraker Aurora Gray 70é Henri Bertin Evan Hoefen Ceyda Lenio Joshua Lin Vance Osness Sarah Picard Adrienne Quimby Naomi Rosario Sam Shah Kara Sova

Viola

Lillian Culver-Anderson Nathan Deutscher Sarah Ebbecke Kaela Sova **Taylor Stocks** Tanya Tinawong Lillian Villaronga

Cello

Juliet Besch-Turner Christian Chan Ally Foley Allison Glaza Owen Hoefen Christopher Suh Anna Turley

Bass

Gracie Budd Kylie Parton

Harp

Chase Clark

Flute

Victoria Demian Olivia Fietkiewicz Payal Patel Grace Xia

Clarinet

Endi Guo Daniella Miller Michael Shi

Bassoon

Frances Lovett Katelyn Margut Ziv Rapoport

Trumpet

Jack Kaub

Trombone

Jackson Burns Bulmer Shawn Nordstrom

Violin

Matthew Belous Olivia Cervini Eva Chadwick Addison DiGiovanni Arwen Hull Katerina I al Tianze Oiu Youvou Wu

Viola

Adam Sokolowski

Cello

Aarav Bhamare Corbett Deines Eleanor Fischer Jimmy Honan Aleksander Sokolowski

Bass

Evangeline Mowry

Sinfonia

John Fetter, Director

Danse Macabre

Camille Saint-Saëns arr. Alshin

Symphony No. 15 in G Major, Finale

W. A. Mozart arr. Dackow

Rosin Eating Zombies from Outer Space

Richard Meyer

Philharmonia

John Fetter, Director Matt Osika, Assistant Director

Kabalevsky Suite

Dmitri Kabalevsky arr. Grant Hull

- I. Escapade
- II. Rondo
- III. Song of the Cavalry

Funeral March of a Marionette

Charles Gounod ed. Steven L. Rosenhaus

Symphony No. 3 (Finale)

Franz Joseph Haydn arr. Merle J. Issac

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