

CSUSB Department of Music Presents

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De Musica*

May 11, 2022 • 7:30 PM

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FEATURING THE CSUSB SYMPHONIC BAND & CHAMBER WINDS

Dr. Nicholas Bratcher, conductor

Sebastian Gustavo Picazo, student conductor

Kathryn Ervin, narrator

WEDNESDAY, MAY 11, 2022 – 7:30 PM

Performing Arts Building

Recital Hall

La Mezquita de Cordoba.....Julie Giroux
(b. 1961)

Amparito Roca.....Jaime Texidor (arr. Winter)
(1884 – 1957)

Sebastian Gustavo Picazo, student conductor

Balabanián El Rey.....Juan-Gonzalo Gomez Deval
(b. 1955)

I. Bievenido

II. Luna de Abril

III. Oh Rey!

IV. Vals de las Alegrias

~15-minute Intermission~

Por SeisQuinn Mason
I. Seis por Derecho (b. 1996)

City Girl Sentimentalism.....Shuhei Tamura
(b.1986)

CSUSB Chamber Winds

Vientos y Tangos.....Michael Gandolfi
(b.1956)

Danzon No. 2 (for wind ensemble)....Arturo Marquez (arr. Nickel)
(b.1950)

California State University, San Bernardino
Symphonic Band and Chamber Winds Personnel

Flute

Dr. Susan Addington
Anaiya Blackmon
Luz Maldonado
Maya Orendain*
Sierrah Perez*

Oboe/English Horn

Alonzo Hernandez-Diaz
Veronica Manzanera*

Bassoon

Kellen McNeil

Clarinet

Juan Del Real*
Jane Doetsch
John Gerling*
Pascuala Juan-Raymundo
Adrian Martinez
Stevi Montes
Jackie Muñoz+
Alec Rodriguez+
Jason Sanchez-Cardenas*
Alexis Sims

Bass Clarinet

Deja Chandler*

Alto Saxophone

Daniel Kinoshita
Claudia Mayorga
Greg Trujillo*

Baritone Saxophone

Andie Stokes

Tenor Saxophone

Oscar Muñoz*

Horn

Rebecca Cabral-Gonzlaez+
Joe Costantino
Luke Hilland
Brian Hollett
Nathan Malone+
Savannah Oliver+

Trumpet

Angel Castillo
Saul Chay
Samuel Crowther
Jacob Hellon
Kalomo Johnson
Oswaldo Nuñez-Leon
William Parrada

Trombone

Matt Fell
Lupe Urbina
Aaron Wharton

Euphonium

Adan Zermeno+

Tuba

Rungchit Thunyakij
Jorge Treviño

String Bass

Jacob Leon

Percussion

Ric Arriaga*
David Lemoine
Daniel Luna Acha
Diego Lugo
Bryan Magee*

Strings

Susan Felix (violin)*
Sebastian Picazo (guitar)*
Jason Sanchez – Cardenas
(cello)*

**Undergraduate Conducting
Assistant**

Sebastian Picazo*

+ denotes students from Serrano High School
(Matt Fell, director of bands)

* denotes players in CSUSB Chamber Winds

Bios

Dr. Nicholas Bratcher serves as Director of Bands and Assistant Professor of Music at California State University, San Bernardino (CSUSB). There, he conducts the Symphonic Wind Ensemble, Chamber Winds, and teaches courses in conducting, music education, and courses in diversity in music studies.

Prior to his appointment at CSUSB, Bratcher held positions as Director of Bands at the University of Dubuque (Dubuque, IA) and Assistant Director of Bands at Savannah State University (Savannah, GA). Bratcher consistently works with composers, arrangers, and performing artists throughout the country. Projects with new compositions and wind literature are integral to his creative work. Bratcher is published in the GIA Teaching Music through Performance in Band book series. He is an active guest conductor, clinician, adjudicator, and performer throughout the United States and abroad.

Bratcher earned a Bachelor's Degree in Music and a Master of Arts in Music Education from Coastal Carolina University. He later earned the Doctorate in Music Education with studies in Conducting from the University of Georgia where he studied with Mary Leglar, John Lynch, and Mark Cedel, respectfully.

Sebastian Picazo graduated *magna cum laude* from Rancho Verde High School in the class of 2014, where he began studying and performing music with Honglac Hathuc and the award-winning Rancho Verde Crimson Regiment. Sebastian continued his music education with his enrollment at Moreno Valley College, where he studied with Barry McNaughton and earned his Associate's of Arts degree in Music. While at Moreno Valley College, Sebastian took part in the guitar ensemble where he became more frequently recognized for his performances and earned multiple awards. In 2016, he earned the Moreno Valley College Music Department Scholarship, and then went on to receive the 2017-2018 Moreno Valley College Student of Distinction Award and the CSUSB Music Department Scholarship upon his transfer in 2020. Currently, Sebastian is working towards finishing his Bachelor's Degree in Music and Guitar Performance at CSUSB under the direction of Professor Stuart Green.

