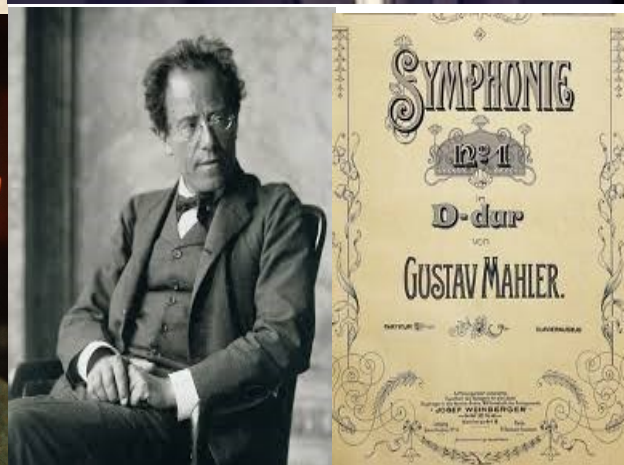
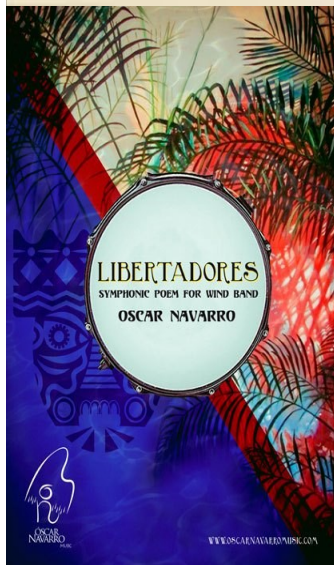




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OMEA EAST CENTRAL REGIONAL ORCHESTRA

Granville Theater
November 24, 2019
Felipe Morales-Torres, Conductor



**2019 OMEA East Central Regional Orchestra
Felipe Morales-Torres, Conductor**

Hoedown from “Rodeo”

Aaron Copland

In the Dreams of Zhou

Stephen Chin

Ländler from Symphony No. 1, II. Kräftig bewegt

Mahler/arr. Torres

Libertadores

Oscar Navarro



Felipe Morales-Torres is an award winning conductor and educator with a passion for inspiring the next generation of musicians. In addition to his role as Conductor of the CSYO Concert Orchestra, Mr. Morales is the Orchestra Director for Anderson High School and previously served as Director of Orchestras for Winton Woods City Schools. He is also an active guest conductor and clinician for student orchestras in the United States and Latin America, traveling to Costa Rica each summer to teach and conduct for the Foundation for the Advancement of Strings Education (FASE).

As a Latin-American teaching artist, Mr. Morales is driven to engage diverse student musicians and to make quality opportunities accessible to them. He has played a part in several community music programs, including the Louisville Youth Orchestra and the Dayton Philharmonic's Q The Music, an El Sistema inspired outreach program. The Anderson High School orchestra program is renowned for its focus on symphonic orchestra literature. Students also participate in a variety of unique and esteemed opportunities, such as feature-length film concerts, staged ballets, and the Anderson Contemporary Ensemble (ACE), started by Mr. Morales. His work with the Winton Woods City Schools orchestras drew national attention when his beginning strings students were featured on NBC Nightly News. During his tenure at Winton Woods, the orchestra program doubled in size and offerings expanded to include electric ensembles, summer camps, frequent guest artists, and multicultural performance tours. Described by a parent to be "truly and deeply loved by his students," Mr. Morales brings a unique rapport to the learning environment that earned him the district's Most Influential Teacher Award—twice—in 2015 and 2017.

Mr. Morales was a 2018 Conducting Fellow with the Allentown Symphony Orchestra, where he assisted and studied with music director Diane Wittry. In 2017, he was a guest of the National Symphony Orchestra of Chile, where he conducted and studied alongside its director, Leonid Grin. He has previously studied with Gzregorz Nowak (The Royal Philharmonic Orchestra of London) as a Young Artist Conductor in the 2015 Miami Music Festival, where he also coached and conducted in the Opera Scenes, New Works, and Chamber Music series.

Having started his musical life as a violist, Mr. Morales later pursued bassoon studies as an undergraduate at the University of Cincinnati's College-Conservatory of Music. In 2019, he completed a Masters degree in Music Education and Orchestral Conducting, earning the University of Cincinnati's Excellence in Teaching Award for his work with undergraduate music education majors. His thesis research on symphonic repertoire for student orchestras has prompted interest from teachers and music education associations nationwide. Having translated a strings pedagogy book for FASE in 2017, Mr. Morales is now working on his own publications to support teachers interested in developing school symphony orchestras.

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Violin 1

Addyson Hiltner, Homeschool
Liam Chen, Olentangy Liberty HS
Mari Jo Downing, Zanesville HS
Padraig Hurley, Olentangy Orange HS
Kai Grosklos, Olentangy Orange HS
Melanie Owen, Delaware Hayes HS
Avery Chambers, Lexington HS
Min-Song Kim, Olentangy HS
Katie Sheridan, Lexington HS
Thomas Secrist, Lexington HS
Maggie Sheridan, Lexington HS
Ann Stallsmith, Lexington HS
Danielle Miller, Granville HS
Faith Kaschube, Lexington HS
Pranav Krishnan, Olentangy Orange HS
Lauren Bess, Olentangy Orange HS
Adam Kelch, Olentangy Orange HS
Archita Sriram, Olentangy HS

Violin 2

Eamon Hurley, Olentangy Orange HS
Samuel Deng, Olentangy Liberty HS
Bella Homorody, Olentangy Orange HS
Madeline Henriksen, Mt Vernon HS
Nicholas Gajarski, Olentangy Liberty HS
Lakshmi Vaidyanathan, Olentangy Berlin HS
Abby Adu, Mt Vernon
Emma Shinker, Olentangy Orange HS
Kaili Tu, Olentangy Orange HS
Nicole Li, Olentangy Liberty HS
Callie Buchanan, Zan
Aiden Nease, Newark
Lindsey Stevens, Big Walnut
Julianne Meadows, Olentangy Orange HS
Subin Kim, Olentangy Liberty
Jesse Domka, Lexington HS
Ava Newdome, Lexington HS

Piano

Kayla McFadden, Homeschool

Viola

Matthias Young, Granville HS
Isaiah Davidson, Granville HS
Patrick McFarlane, Olentangy Liberty HS
Noel Zornosky, Newark HS
Elsie Dahlinghaus, Lexington HS
Preston Smith, Olentangy HS
Megan Coon, Lexington HS
Grace Lee, Olentangy Orange HS
Samuel Prinz, Lexington HS
Alex Oberszyn, Olentangy HS
Corben Kish, Olentangy Orange HS
Erin Duell, Olentangy Orange HS
Matthew Baldwin, Zanesville HS
Isabel Dawes, Granville HS
Summer Davis, Newark HS
William Chiacchira, Newark HS
August Jacobsmeyer, Olentangy HS

Cello

Daniel Domka, Lexington HS
Lauren Suh, Olentangy Liberty HS
Winona Hunter, Granville HS
Vincent Haney, Olentangy Liberty HS
Marykate Hill, Granville HS
Adrien Zhong, Olentangy Liberty HS
Khoa Truong, Olentangy Orange HS
Sean McCabe, Olentangy Liberty HS
Daniel Owen, Delaware Hayes HS
Brianna McFadden, Homeschool

Bass

Tommy Robbins, Olentangy Orange HS
Scott Oliver, Lexington HS
Emily Martineau, Delaware Hayes HS
RaShawn Merriman, Zanesville HS
Mackenzie Condon, Olentangy HS
Amonie Akens, Newark HS
Grace Sarbach, Lexington HS
David Newdome, Lexington HS

Flute

Devyn Sowry, Lakewood HS
Kylie Stadler, Fredericktown HS
Haley Rhoades, Ashland HS

Oboe

Grace Hansen, Olentangy Liberty HS
Claire Shen, Olentangy Liberty HS

English Horn

Owen Decatur, Mt Vernon HS

Clarinet

Jun Cho, Ashland HS
Erin Wilson, Riverview HS

Bass Clarinet

Justin Peng, Olentangy Orange HS

Bassoon

Rebekah Shively, Worthington Christian HS

Horn

Mikinzi Pigman, Lexington HS
Colin Botdorf, Lexington HS
Alex Moir, Lexington HS
Madelyn Seibel, Ontario HS

Trumpet

Adam Exley, New Philadelphia HS
Matthew Pileski, Northridge HS
Liliana Rivera, Ashland HS
Daniel Congdon, Mansfield St. Peter's HS

Trombone

Myra Hatzler, Lexington HS
Spencer Riffle, Mount Vernon HS
Evan Moody, Clear Fork HS

Tuba

Andrew Jester, Olentangy Orange HS

Percussion

Piersen Schuiling, Clear Fork HS
Leah Smith, Lexington HS
Kayin McDonald, Ashland HS
Nathan Andrews, Granville HS

East Central Regional Participating Schools

Ashland HS: Stephanie Hanson, Marty Kral
Clear Fork HS: Jason Brasure
Delaware Hayes HS: Stacy Lemke
Fredericktown HS: Katie Metz
Granville HS: Samantha Schnabel
Lexington HS: Stephen Domka, Rick Ruth, Zak Wilkins
Lakewood HS: Lauren Domenick
Mansfield St. Peter's HS: Lew Friend
Mt. Vernon HS: Anthony Springer
New Philadelphia HS: Jeff Furbay
Newark HS: Emily Rhoadhouse
Northridge HS: Casey McCall
Olentangy HS: Michelle Beck
Olentangy Liberty HS: Jill Bixler, Travis Hicks
Olentangy Orange HS: Lori Cornett, Dr. Ishbah Cox
Ontario HS: Sean DeLong
Riverview HS: Keith Watson
Worthington Christian HS: Julie Nathan
Zanesville HS: Laura Gardner



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Viola– Jill Bixler, Olentangy Local Schools
Cello/Bass– Tony Springer, Mt. Vernon City Schools
Winds/Brass/Percussion– Stephen Domka

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Caitlin Hedge, Youngstown Symphony: Viola Adjudicator
Chauncey Aceret, Convent & Stuart Hall: Cello Adjudicator
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