

Sean Shepherd



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FULL ORCHESTRA

Blue Blazes

2012

8 min

Concert opener for orchestra

picc.2.2.corA.2.bcl.2.dbn-4.3.2.btrbn.1-timp.perc(3): 3 sm egg shaker/sm maracas/lg maracas/vibraslap/5 tgl (2sm, med, 2lg)/ant.cym/tpl.bl/ratchet/3 sus.cym/slapstick/crash cym/cast/cabasa/tamb/tam-t/claves/cowbell/anvil/SD/slide whistle/2 bongos/wdbl/brake dr/BD/sleighbells/metal bowl-harp-pft(ce)-strings

World Premiere: 31 May 2012

Kennedy Center Concert Hall, Washington, DC, USA

National Symphony Orchestra, Washington

Conductor: Christoph Eschenbach

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

Concerto for Ensemble

2014-15

28 min

Concerto for ensemble

2(II=picc).2(II=corA).2(II=Ebcl).bcl.2-2.2.2.1-3perc:vib/anvil/2brake.drum/2susp.cym/ta mb/tpl.bl/sandpaper/3tgl/3wdbl/marimba/t.bells/3metal pipe/BD/egg shaker/ratchet/2glass jars/xyl/gisp/sleigh bells/bell plate/splash cym/almglocken/tamb/maracas/cabasa/bongo/2temple.bowl-harp-2kbd(II=cel)-3.0.2.2.1

World Premiere: 21 Apr 2015

Philharmonie de Paris, Salle des concerts, Paris, France

Ensemble intercontemporain

Conductor: Matthias Pintscher

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FULL ORCHESTRA 1

Desert Garden

2011

15 min

for orchestra

2.picc.2.corA.2.bcl.2-4.3.2.btrbn.1-timp.perc(3):marimba/gisp/2 tgl(L,M,H)/crash cym (L) -sus.cym(S, L)/vib/crot/tam-t/vibraslap/guiro/slapstick/tpl.bl-BD/tpl bowl/t.bells/sus.cym/wdbl/brake dr/xyl/antique cym-harp-pft-strings

World Premiere: 02 Oct 2011

Pioneer Center for the Performing Arts, Reno, NV, USA

Reno Philharmonic

Conductor: Laura Jackson

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

Express Abstractionism

2017

13 min

for orchestra

3(3=picc).2.corA.2(2=EbCl).bcl.3(3=contra) - 4.3.2.btrbn.1 - timp - perc(4) - hp - pno/cel - strings

World Premiere: 08 Feb 2018

Symphony Hall, Boston, MA, USA

Boston Symphony Orchestra

Conductor: Andris Nelsons

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

Magiya

2013

7 min

for youth orchestra

maximum instrumentation: 3.3.3.3-4.3.3.1-timp-perc(4)-strings

World Premiere: 11 Jul 2013

Performing Arts Center - SUNY Purchase College, Purchase, NY, USA

National Youth Orchestra of the USA

Conductor: Valery Gergiev

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

FULL ORCHESTRA 1

Melt

2018

12 min

for orchestra

3(3=picc).3(3=cor.A).3(3=bcl).3(3=cbn) - 4.3.3.1 - timp - perc(3) - pft/cel - hrp - str

World Premiere: 27 Jul 2018

Walk Festival Hall, Teton Village, WY, United States

Grand Teton Music Festival

Conductor: Donald Runnicles

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

Silvery Rills

2011

4 min

for orchestra

2.2.2.2-4.3.3.1-perc(2):vib/syl/sleighbells/SD/susp.cym(L)/ratchet/temple blocks;
glsp/tgl(s,m,l)/antique cym/BD/castanets/tamb/vibraslap/tubular bells-timp-harp-strings

World Premiere: 06 Mar 2011

Pioneer Center for the Arts, Reno, NV, USA

Reno Philharmonic

Conductor: Laura Jackson

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

Songs

2013

15 min

for orchestra

picc.2.2.corA.2.bcl.2.dbn-4.3.2.btrbn.1-timp-perc(3):vib/cabasa/BD/susp.cym/3 tgl (sm,
med, lg)/tpl.bl/ratchet/brake dr/xyl/sm egg shaker/t.bells/tam-tam/sleighbells/sandpaper
blocks/sm maracas/cast/2 lg susp.cym/crot/slapstick/glsp/splash
cym/ant.cym/tamb/cowbell.harp.pno(=cel).strngs

World Premiere: 18 Jun 2014

Avery Fisher Hall, New York, NY, USA

New York Philharmonic

Conductor: Alan Gilbert

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

FULL ORCHESTRA 2

Tuolumne

2012

24 min

for orchestra

4(III=afll, IV=picc).3.corA.3(III=Ebcl).bcl.3.dbn-6.4(IV=Bb soprano tpt).3.1-timp.perc(4)
-harp-kbd(=pft, cel)-strings

World Premiere: 18 Apr 2013

Severance Hall, Cleveland, OH, USA

Cleveland Orchestra

Conductor: Franz Welser-Möst

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

Wanderlust

2009

13 min

for orchestra

3.3.3.3-4.3.3.1-perc(3):glsp/xyl/temple blocks/BD/2bongos/susp.cym/cowbellslapsh
cym/slapstick/wdbl; vib/tam-t/cabasa/ratchet/susp.cym/sleighbells/vibraslap/antique
cym/unpitched steel plate/iron pipe; crot/tubular
bells/tgl(s,m,l)/claves/tamb/susp.cym/brake drum/SD/anvil-timp-pft-harp-strings

World Premiere: 23 May 2009

Severance Hall, Cleveland, OH, USA

Cleveland Orchestra

Conductor: Oliver Knussen

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

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