PLEASE NOTE: Our performers have worked very hard to prepare for today’s recital. It is important to keep distractions to a minimum. Please do not take flash photographs during a performance. Be sure to sit with your children and take those who are restless or disruptive out of the hall at once. No food or drink is allowed in the Recital or Concert Hall at any time. Your cooperation is much appreciated.

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Fall 2021 Teachers
Scott Anderson, bass, guitar
Yuko Asada, CSA Steelband
Gregory Barrett, clarinet*
Jason Barrette, piano, saxophone
Joshua Bedeau, steel pan
Aerie Bernard-Dover, bass, clarinet,
  flute, guitar, saxophone, ukulele
Kurt Bonamer, tuba, euphonium
Crystal Bragg, flute
Karlaina Bunn, saxophone, voice, piano,
  clarinet, flute
Gianna Capobianco, flute
Thomas Cappaert, cello, Suzuki cello
Heewon Cha, piano
Ruoxiao “Sabrina” Chen, drums,
  percussion, piano
Soo-Yon Choi, piano
Jennalynn Cisna, cello, piano
David Coons, oboe
Jodeen Coulter, voice, piano
Austin Cruz, viola, violin
Christine D’Alexander, violin, viola*
Quentin Dover, banjo, bass, guitar,
  mandolin, pipa, ukulele, guitar classes, CSA Guitar Ensemble
Devin Drobka, drums, percussion, piano
Brianne Duncan Fiore, voice, theater
Anya Gavin, trumpet, cello, violin, viola
William Goldenberg, piano*
Zachary Green, viola, violin
Cheryl Haines, flute, recorder
Lynn Hansen, flute
Fiona Hunt, harp
Erik Jarvis, song writing
Harris Jordan, French horn
Britney Kieselhorst, voice
Ke-Yin Kilburn, piano, voice
Hyounkyoung “Joy” Kim, piano

Erin Kirby, clarinet, music theory
Matthew Kiser, steel pan
Laiji Li, piano
Tsai-Rung Li, conducting, piano,
  trumpet
Blaise Magniere, violin*
Alejandra Martinez Aviles, flute, piano,
  voice
Dennis Meacham, euphonium,
  trombone, trumpet, tuba
Austyn Menk, piano, organ, music theory
Melissa Milford, viola, violin, cello
Ann Montzka Smelser, Suzuki violin,
  viola*
Elizabeth Newquist, cello
John Novak, accordion, piano*
Megan Rault, piano, saxophone
Nelly Rocha, cello
Laurie Rodriguez, violin, viola, Suzuki violin,
  early music education,
  chamber workshops
Sean Rzewnicki, bass
Arman Sangalang, clarinet, flute,
  saxophone
Christopher Scanlon, trumpet*
Eric Schroeder, guitar, Suzuki guitar,
  music theory, ukulele
Faye Seeman, harp*
Linc Smelser, cello, piano, CSA Sinfonia, Symphonette*
Allyson Smith, trumpet, ukulele
Sid Smith IV, drums
Hui-Hsuan “Ariel” Su, cello
Jackson Wheeler, guitar

* NIU Faculty
Fall Recital

Students of Tom Cappaert

December 5, 2021
2:00 p.m.
Recital Hall
Livestream available
Allegro  
Perpetual Motion  

Hiram Ortiz, viola  

S. Suzuki  
S. Suzuki

Gavotte in A Minor  

Jairo Ortiz, violin  

J.B. Lully

Rockin’ Strings  

The Ortiz family  

Traditional

Boil Those Cabbages  

Hiram Ortiz, viola  

Fiddle Tune  

Claire Kolzow, viola

Suzanne Smentowski, piano

Twinkle Variation A  

Claire Kolzow, viola  

S. Suzuki

Suzanne Smentowski, piano

March of the English Guard  

J. Clarke, arr. Faber

Hogwarts Hymn  

from Harry Potter  

P. Doyle, arr. Gerou

Addison Kolzow, piano

March in G  

J.S. Bach

The Two Grenadiers  

R. Schumann

Lukas Kolzow, cello  

Suzanne Smentowski, piano
French Folk Song
Twinkle Variation A

*Suzuki Cello Group*
*Noah Benitez, Sullivan James, Lukas Kolzow*

Song of the Wind
Perpetual Motion
Song of the Wind (ABA form)

*S. Suzuki*

Noah Benitez, cello
Jan Vander Meer, piano

Minuet in G
Gavotte in A Minor

*J.S. Bach*
*J.B. Lully*

Julissa Benitez, cello
Jan Vander Meer, piano

May Song
Rigadoon
Perpetual Motion

*S. Suzuki*
*H. Purcell*
*S. Suzuki*

Sullivan James, cello
Jan Vander Meer, piano