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in cooperation with the  
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*Present the*

# University Singers

Dr. James Stegall, conductor  
Min Jung Seo, piano

*and*

# Concert Choir

Dr. Heather Zosel, conductor  
Hye Ji Seo, piano

Sunday, March 3, 2013  
3:00 PM

*College of Fine Arts and  
Communication Recital Hall*



WESTERN  
ILLINOIS  
UNIVERSITY

## PROGRAM

### I.

*To be selected from the following repertoire...*

Wondrous Love	Transcribed William Walker (1809-1875)
Wondrous Love	arr. Alice Parker (1925) Robert Shaw (1916-1999)
I Was Glad	Henry Purcell (1659-1695)
Let Thy Hand be Strengthened	John Blow (1648/9-1708)
Praise the Lord, O Jerusalem	Jeremiah Clarke (c.1674-1707)
Magnificat in G	Henry Aldrich (1648-1710)
Magnificat in F	?Henry Aldrich
Nunc Dimittis	?Henry Aldrich
Out of the deep	Henry Aldrich
Try Me, O God	William Turner (1651-1740)
Behold Now Praise the Lord	William Turner

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### II.

Trés Cantos Nativos Dos Indios Krao	arr. Marcos Leite
The Lark	Felix Mendelssohn-Bartholdy
Musica animam tangens	Joshua Shank
Let Me Fly	arr. Robert DeCormier
	Hillary Kelly, soloist
Let Everything That Hath Breath	Jeffery L. Ames
	Ashton Driscoll, soloist

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## UNIVERSITY SINGERS

### SOPRANO

Lauren Bender	Plainfield
Sarah Bertram	Pontiac
Mariah Chapdelaine	Rock Island
Lydia Lewis	Macomb
Jaquelyn Marec	Plainfield
Kelsey McGuire	Minooka
Emily Neuman	Williamsville
Elizabeth Peregrine	DeKalb
Kayla Steil	Freeport
Amanda Terry	Riverton

### ALTO

Alisabeth Cannon	Roodhouse
Cassidy Depoy	Macomb
Gabrielle Filipink	Macomb
Samantha Heaton	Geneseo
Lauren Jacob	St. Louis, MO
Abigail Landau	Franklin, TN
Jessica Moore	Lockport
Hillary Pieper	Moline
Hannah Porter	Macomb
Brittany Vinson	Bolingbrook

### TENOR

Benjamin Harding	Hanna City
Thomas Heise	Sandwich
Christian Kennedy	Mount Sterling
Jordan Mance	Wheaton
Arturo Martinez	Homer Glen
Jack Scherer	Geneseo
Doug Stewart	Burlington, IA
Josiah Ulm	Macomb
Brandt Zimmermann	Kewanee

### BASS

Alex Adams	Macomb
James Anderson	Bolingbrook
James Christian Jr	Davenport, IA
Jordan DePatis	Petersburg
Jack Dessent	Deerfield
James Flaherty	Burlington, IA
Hakeem Howard	Plainfield
Ethan Ivey	Plainfield
Robert Krajewski	Carbondale
Stephen Lane	Macomb
Malcolm O'Donnell	Macomb
Nathaniel Stewart	Homewood

### Choral Graduate Assistants

Benjamin Harding  
Ethan Ivey

## CONCERT CHOIR

### SOPRANO

Jamie Adair            Knox City, MO  
Alexis Artner            Johnsburg  
Rebeka Barker            Havana  
Hannah Becker            Bartonville  
Kimberly Blakley            Chicago  
Brittany Burklow            Hampshire  
Ashton Driscoll            Coal Valley  
Ashley Hill            Minooka  
Mia Iliopoulos            Kildeer  
Amanda Kester            Byron  
Sarah Layne            Rushville  
Mariah Maiman            Byron  
Sydney Musgrave            Naperville  
Jordan Spaciel            Waterford, WI  
Olivia Wright            Granite City

### ALTO

Christina Beisel            Darwstadt, Germany  
Micaela Bratland            Romeoville  
Janel Cross            Lynn Center  
Claire Distler            O' Fallon  
Shelby Grazulis            Schaumburg  
Kristin Jaskowiak            Colfax  
Hillary Kelly            Bradford  
Cassie Lipcaman            Mt. Sterling  
Amanda Martin            Coal Valley  
Amber McCall            Chicago  
Andrea Owens            Martinton  
Elisa Padro            Moline  
Lizzie Saban            Downers Grove  
Anissa Williams            Collinsville

### TENOR

CJ Acree            Jacksonville  
Jacob Hagen            Darion  
Theothis Price            Hanover Park  
Aaron Stevens            Burlington, IA

### BASS

Marius Anthony            Hopkins Park  
Marcos Mercado            Elk Grove Village  
Daniel Richmond            Naperville  
Ben Snart            Coal Valley

## Conductors

**James Stegall**, Professor of Music, is Director of Choral Activities at Western Illinois University and the 2013 Distinguished Faculty Lecturer. He received his DMA in Conducting from the University of Missouri – Kansas City, Conservatory of Music. Dr. Stegall conducts the Western Illinois University Singers, Madrigal Singers and teaches graduate and undergraduate choral conducting and literature. Through juried application his University Singers have achieved significant recognition through state, regional and national convention performances including the Illinois Music Educators Association, the National Association for Music Education and the American Choral Directors Association. They have appeared on professional venues with the Dallas Brass, Kansas City Symphony, Peoria Symphony, and Phoenix Symphony. Additionally, Dr. Stegall has presented for the College Music Society, The International Conference on Arts and Humanities, The Phenomenon of Singing International Symposium, the National Association for Music Education and the American Choral Directors Association.

The Illinois Music Educators Association recognized Dr. Stegall's contributions in teaching with the Mary Hoffman Award of Excellence. At WIU he received the Outstanding Teacher in the College of Fine Arts Award, three Outstanding Student Organizational Advisor Awards, two Faculty Excellence Awards, four Professional Achievement Awards and also the Outstanding Music Alumnus Award from Stephen F. Austin State University.

Dr. Stegall makes frequent appearances as a guest conductor, All-State clinician and lecturer on vocal production and choral conducting throughout the country. He is member of the College Music Society, American Choral Directors Association, National Collegiate Choral Organization, National Association for Music Education, the Illinois Music Educators Association and is a founding member of Southwest Liederkrantz, a scholarly gathering of conductors from around the nation.

**Heather Zosel**, Assistant Professor of Choral Music Education at Western Illinois University, holds a DMA in choral conducting at the University of Arizona, where she studied under Bruce Chamberlain and Elizabeth Schauer. While at the UA, Dr. Zosel was Assistant Director of the University Community Chorus, and served as collegiate president of the American Choral Directors Association. She sang in the Arizona Choir, Tucson Symphony Orchestra Chorus, Musica Sonora, Tucson Chamber Artists, and Coro, and has been featured in performances of Mozart's *Vesperae solennes de Confessore*, Handel's *Messiah* and Bach's *St. John Passion*.

Dr. Zosel holds a BM in music education and an MA in choral conducting, both from Washington State University, where she studied under Lori Wiest. She sang in the Washington State University Madrigal Singers and Concert Choir; performed in opera and musical theatre choruses for productions of *Die Fledermaus*, *She Loves Me*, *Carmen* and *High Society*; and also received the prestigious Presser Award for outstanding scholarship and musical ability.

Dr. Zosel recently completed a one-year contract at Indiana University of Pennsylvania, where she was Interim Director of Choral Activities. Before receiving her doctorate, she served as Director of Choirs and Bands at Oroville High School, and conductor of the Okanogan Valley Orchestra Chorus, both in Washington State. She is active in musical theatre and has served as chorus master, vocal coach and accompanist for three production companies in the Okanogan Valley area, for shows including *Grease*, *Bye Bye Birdie*, and *Cats*.

## CALENDAR

### SPRING 2013

- Tuesday, March 19      Restoration Cathedral Music Symposium Concert  
University Singers  
Wesley United Methodist Church  
12:30p-1:45p
- Friday, March 22      WIU Jr and Sr Honor Choir Festival  
COFAC Recital Hall  
9:30a - 4:30p
- Tuesday, March 26      University Singers at Distinguished Faculty Lecture  
COFAC Recital Hall  
7:00p
- Wednesday, April 3      University Singers at Distinguished Faculty Lecture  
WIU Quad Cities Campus  
3:00p
- Tuesday, April 9      Ben Harding Graduate Conducting Recital  
University Singers  
COFAC Recital Hall  
1:00p-1:45p
- Tuesday, April 16      University Singers and Concert Choir Concert  
COFAC Recital Hall  
7:30p
- Thursday, April 18      Vocal Jazz Ensemble Concert  
COFAC Recital Hall  
7:30p
- Sunday, April 21      WIU Choirs Student Conductors Concert  
COFAC Recital Hall  
3:00p

### SUMMER 2013

- June 13-16      Choral Conducting Specialty Camp
- June 16-22      Senior High Choir Camp
- June 23-29      Junior High Choir Camp



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the performance without distraction,  
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taking flash photographs;  
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