



The
JEFFERY
Concerts

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ARTISTIC DIRECTOR

**TorQ Percussion
Quartet**

Saturday, Feb 15, 2020

Welcome to The Jeffery Concerts!



The Gordon Jeffery Music Foundation welcomes you to our 32nd Anniversary Season. It is our great privilege to continue our tribute to Gordon Jeffery by presenting first-class chamber music in London.

To our many friends and supporters, we thank you for being part of this extraordinary legacy.

REMEMBERING GORDON JEFFERY

A lawyer from the founding family of the London Life Insurance Company, Gordon Jeffery was an active organist, conductor and a passionate collector of exceptional historic instruments and rare musical scores. An avid student of Baroque and Classical performance practice, he enabled past and present Londoners to experience decades of live concerts given by world-renowned artists in his restored former London Town Hall of 1882. In 1987 provisions in his will continued Mr. Jeffery's mission to provide chamber music to our community's cultural life, by his naming a Trust to establish the "Aeolian" (later "Jeffery") Concerts. Substantial assistance was later provided for a new concert venue, the Wolf Performance Hall in London's Public Library.

To learn more about Gordon Jeffery's life and legacy, visit www.jefferyconcerts.com

On behalf of all those patrons who suffer from serious allergies, we ask that you refrain from wearing perfume, scented hairspray, cologne, aftershave or any other scented products when attending performances in the Wolf Performance Hall. Thank you.

TorQ Percussion Quartet

Richard Burrows
Adam Campbell
Jamie Drake
Dan Morphy

<i>Bright Side</i>	Ken Shorley (b. 1969)
<i>El Mosquito Marrón</i>	Adam Campbell (b. 1984)
<i>Thrown from a Loop</i>	Daniel Morphy (b. 1985)
II. Nocturno from <i>Modulations 1</i>	Christos Hatzis (b. 1953)
<i>Sleep</i>	Eric Whitacre (b. 1970) arr. D. Morphy & B. Duinker
IV. Ersilia from <i>Invisible Cities</i>	Dinuk Wijeratne (b. 1978)

INTERMISSION

View from the Island

TorQ Percussion Quartet

*Conversations Regarding the Future
of Architecture*

James Drake
(b. 1981)

Elements Suite

Richard Burrows (b. 1977) &
Morphy

*Fire
Water
Air
Earth*

TorQ Percussion Quartet is represented by Andrew Kwan Artists Management Inc.

Recordings by the Artist will be available for sale during the intermission and following the performance.

We need your help!

The Jeffery Concerts is looking for someone to help promote our concerts. This would include but not be limited to: social media, print media, and radio. If this might be of interest to you, please see one of the board members or email us at jefferyconcerts@gmail.com.

TorQ Percussion Quartet



TorQ Percussion Quartet is Canada's premiere percussion ensembles and consistently brings new vitality to percussion repertoire and performance in every situation and opportunity. Renowned for their engaging performances, Richard Burrows, Adam Campbell, Jamie Drake and Daniel Morphy are committed to making percussion music accessible to audiences that span generations and as *The Toronto Star* states "[TorQ] can stand proud among the growing throng of chamber percussion ensembles around the world."

Since coming together in 2004, they have performed across Canada and have seen major inroads into the United States with extensive tours in Alaska, Washington, Idaho and residencies in Ohio and Michigan. In 2016, TorQ had its first American symphonic collaboration with the Buffalo Philharmonic Orchestra. They have collaborated with the Toronto Symphony Orchestra, Orchestre symphonique de Montréal (OSM), and Kitchener-Waterloo Symphony.

Their program, *Together on the Beat!!Ensemble, à tout coup!* designed in collaboration with OSM, won the 2018 Prix Opus award for Young Audience Concert. Some other international highlights include the International Percussion Quartet Festival (Luxembourg), Percussive Arts Society International Convention-PASIC (San Antonio and Indianapolis) and with the Stuttgart Chamber Choir.

At home, TorQ has made appearances at the Ottawa Chamber Music Festival, PEI's Indian River Festival, MusicFest Canada (Vancouver), Toronto's Soundstreams, Elora Festival, and Kitchener's Open Ears Contemporary Music Festival. They have been Selected by Canadian touring organisations, Jeunesses Musicales Canada, Prairie Debut, and Debut Atlantic. As collaborative artists, TorQ has performed with the Larkin Singers, Toronto Mendelssohn Choir, Elora Festival Singers, and the Hamilton Children's Choir.

TorQ has presented many Canadian and world premieres including percussion quartet concerti by Canadian Composers Dinuk Wijeratne and Monica Pearce. Their discography consists of four recordings on Bedoint Records.

TorQ is actively involved in music education initiatives and performs approximately 80 school shows per year. During summers, TorQ hosts their annual TorQ Percussion Seminar (TPS), a five-day percussion event. TPS has partnered with Lunenburg Academy of Music Performance in Nova Scotia and Stratford Summer Music in Ontario.

St. Lawrence String Quartet

Sat, March 7, 2020 at 8:00 PM



Mozart: String Quartet No. 3 in D minor, K. 421

Korngold: String Quartet No. 3 in D major, Op. 34

Saint-Saëns: String Quartet No. 1 in E minor, Op. 112



The Complete Beethoven Violin Sonatas

Jonathan Crow, violin
Arthur Rowe, piano

Sat, March 28, 2020 at 7:00 PM

No. 1 in D, Op. 12
No. 2 in A, Op. 12
No. 10 in G, Op. 96
No. 5 in F, Op. 24 ("Spring")
No. 7 in C minor, Op. 30

Sun, March 29, 2020 at 2:00 PM*

No. 3 in E-flat, Op. 12
No. 4 in A minor, Op. 23
No. 6 in A, Op. 30
No. 8 in G, Op. 30
No. 9 in A, Op. 47 ("Kreutzer")

*March 29 concert is free to subscribers



London Symphonia with conductor Matthias Maute

Saturday, February 29, 2020 at 7:30 pm

Metropolitan United Church 468 Wellington Street London, ON

London Symphonia and conductor Matthias Maute explore the musical friendship between Haydn and Mozart. While Mozart had a deep respect for his mentor, Haydn was awestruck by the genius and creativity of his young protégé. They formed a deep musical bond that influenced the symphonies and string quartets on this program.

For tickets and more information go to londonsymphonia.ca

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19–20 Season at a Glance

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| Sat, Sept 21, 2019 at 8 PM | Gryphon Trio |
| Sat, Oct 19, 2019 at 8 PM | Penderecki String Quartet with
Arthur Rowe, piano |
| Sun, Nov 17, 2019 at 3 PM | Minsoo Sohn, piano |
| Sat, Jan 25, 2020 at 8 PM | “Boccheriniana”
Jan De Winne, flute
Laura Andriani, violin
Rossella Croce, violin
Isaac Chalk, viola
Elinor Frey, cello |
| Sat, Feb 15, 2020 at 8 PM | TorQ Percussion Quartet |
| Sat, Mar 7, 2020 at 8 PM | St. Lawrence String Quartet |
| Sat, Mar 28, 2020 at 7 PM
Sun, Mar 29, 2020 at 2 PM | Jonathan Crow, violin and
Arthur Rowe, piano |
| Fri, Apr 24, 2020 at 8 PM | Quatuor Danel and
Lise de la Salle, piano |

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