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FEB 10-20		The Pirates of Penzance	Person
FEB 26	2:00 PM	Symphony Orchestra Family Concert	Weill
MARCH 2	1:00 PM	Instrumental Repertory Recital	Schroeder
MARCH 3	7:30 PM	Latin Band and Jazz Combos	Schroeder
MARCH 4	7:30 PM	Jazz Orchestra	Weill
MARCH 8	7:30 PM	Concert Band with High School Guest	Weill
MARCH 9-11		Sonoma Invitational 2022	Weill
MARCH 11	7:30 PM	Sonoma Musica Viva	Schroeder
MARCH 16	1:00 PM	Department Repertory Recital	Schroeder
MARCH 17	7:30 PM	Faculty Composers	Schroeder
MARCH 29	8:00–6:00 PM	Sonoma State Sings	GMC
APRIL 1	7:30 PM	New Music Sonoma	Schroeder
APRIL 9	7:30 PM	Guitar Guest- Thomas Viloteau	Schroeder
APRIL 20	1:00 PM	Instrumental Repertory Recital	Weill
APRIL 24	2:00 PM	Brass Ensemble	Schroeder
APRIL 30	7:30 PM	Symphony Orchestra	Weill
MAY 1	2:00 PM	Navarro Trio	Schroeder
MAY 1	7:30 PM	Student Composers	Schroeder
MAY 3	7:30 PM	Jazz Combos	Schroeder
MAY 4	7:30 PM	Concert Choir and SonoVoce	Schroeder
MAY 6	7:30 PM	Guitar Ensemble	Schroeder
MAY 11	1:00 PM	Department Repertory Recital	Schroeder
MAY 11	7:30 PM	Music Theater Scenes	Schroeder
MAY 12	7:30 PM	SSU Symphonic Wind Ensemble & Concert Band	Weill
MAY 13	7:30 PM	Jazz Orchestra	Weill
MAY 17	7:30 PM	Vocal Repertory Recital	Schroeder

Sonoma State University
Department of Music
Presents

Combined Forces

Sonoma State University

Symphonic Wind Ensemble & Concert Band

Andy Collinsworth, Conductor

United States Air Force Band of the Golden West

Major Joseph S. Hansen, Conductor

Thursday, May 12, 2022
7:30 pm
Joan and Sanford I. Weill Hall

PROGRAM

CONCERT BAND

Rocketship Kevin Day

Benediction John Stevens

Passages Michael Sweeney

Diamond Tide Viet Cuong

With the SSU Symphonic Wind Ensemble

The Invincible Eagle John Philip Sousa

With the USAF Band of the Golden West

10-minute intermission

SYMPHONIC WIND ENSEMBLE

Hail to the Spirit of Liberty John Philip Sousa

Heart on Fire Viet Cuong

*California premiere

Dum Spiro Spero Chris Pilsner

Three Latin Dances Jeff Tyzik

Armenian Dances, Part I Alfred Reed

10-minute intermission

USAF BAND OF THE GOLDEN WEST

Theme from Back to the Future Alan Silvestri
arr. Marcel Saurer

Codex Marko Bazjer

Thu Dieu Viet Cuong

SSgt Michelle Doolittle, vocalist

Kalinda

Andy Narell
arr. A1C Benjamin Roberts

MSgt Tim Shaw, *steelpan*

In This Place (An American Lyric)

A1C Benjamin Roberts
Poem by Amanda Gorman

TSgt Sarah Howard-Carter, *reciter*

Battle Hymn of the Republic

Julia Ward Howe
arr. Eric Richards

A1C Natalie Angst, *vocalist*

U.S. Armed Services Medley

arr. Robert Cray
ed. F. Gourley and S. Stanke

SSgt Michelle Doolittle, *vocalist*

The Stars and Stripes Forever

John Philip Sousa

With the SSU Symphonic Wind Ensemble

PERSONNEL

CONCERT BAND

FLUTE

Loralei Dixon (BA, Chicano & Latino Studies)

Destiny Lusinger (Undeclared)

Ashley Rydell (BA, Women & Gender Studies)

Devin Swift (BA, Philosophy)

CLARINET

Gabriella Achiro (BS, Business Administration)

Lorena Flores (BA, Psychology)

Rachael Juarez (BA, Art History)

Alaina Miller (BM, Music Education)

BASS CLARINET

Emma Hofhenke (BM, Music Education)

ALTO SAXOPHONE

Al Angeles (Undeclared)

Leah Davis (BS, Biology)

Nathan Silva (BM, Music Education)

TENOR SAXOPHONE

Alexander Guevara (BA, Art)

BARITONE SAXOPHONE

Matthew Bowker (Credential Candidate)

TRUMPET

Alex Blanco-Martinez (BM, Music Education)

Alexander Brown (BM, Music Education)

Reagan Jorgensen (Undeclared)

Madison Lechman (BM, Music Education)

Anthony Markham (BS, Statistics)

Brian Poole (BM, Music Education)

TROMBONE

Steve Dollison (Community Member)

Hailey Glass (BA, Liberal Arts Music)

Matthew Johnson (BS, Pre-Business Administration)

Dennis Kuba (Community Member)

EUPHONIUM

Aaron Serrano (BA, Psychology)

Mike Wang (BM, Music Education)

TUBA

Nick Alexander (BA, Spanish)

Jayson Tong (BA, History)

PERCUSSION

Alexandra Ortiz ((BM, Vocal Performance)

Christopher Sonntag (BS, Biology)

Eli Streich (BM, Jazz Studies)

SYMPHONIC WIND ENSEMBLE

FLUTE/PICCOLO

Isabella Grimes (BM, Instrumental Performance)

Jane Lee (Community Member)

Juan Miranda (BM, Music Education)

Sierra Smith (BM, Music Education)

OBOE

Elias Ramos (BM, Music Education)

Kayla Yee (Community Member)

CLARINET

Aron Bateleur (Community Member)

Natalie Cucina (BS Geology)

Belle Ehrmantraut (BS, Biology)

Thomas Gosnell (SSU Graduate,

Community Member)

Emma Hofhenke (BM, Music Education)

Alaina Miller (BM, Music Education)

BASS CLARINET

Cathy Brooks (Community Member)

CONTRABASS CLARINET

Matthew Bowker (BM Credential Candidate)

SOPRANO SAXOPHONE

Matthew Bowker (BM Credential Candidate)

ALTO SAXOPHONE

Martin Contreras (BM, Music Education)

Owen Short (BM, Music Education)

TENOR SAXOPHONE

Cooper Ysais (BM, Music Education)

BARITONE SAXOPHONE

Matthew Edwards (BM, Music Education)

TRUMPET

Hikaru Hallberg (BM, Instrumental Performance)

Robert Springer (BM, Music Education)

Vincent Elliott (BM, Instrumental Performance)

Emerson Kimble (BA, Composition & Technology)

Madison Lechman (BM, Music Education)

Alexander Brown (BM, Music Education)

HORN

Eric Anderson (Community Member)

Ryan Ristine (BM, Music Education)

Jason Whitney (SSU Graduate, Community Member)

Adrian Zarco Guitierrez (BM, Music Education)

TROMBONE

Marcus Bedient (BM, Instrumental Performance)

Nick Dibley (BM, Music Education)

Mike Wang (BM, Music Education)

EUPHONIUM

Ricardo Imeri (BM, Music Education)

TUBA

Jayson Tong (BA, History)

Juan Villaseñor (BM, Music Education)

STRING BASS

Gabriel Ruppert (BM, Instrumental Performance)

PERCUSSION

Mario Aparicio (BM, Music Education)

Charlie Gomez (BM, Music Education)

Victoria Hayward (BM, Piano Performance)

Nathan Silva (BM, Music Education)

Beth Ann Turner (SSU Faculty Member)

USAF BAND OF THE GOLDEN WEST

COMMANDER

Maj Joseph Hansen

FLUTE

TSgt Wendy Hermes

TSgt Sarah Howard-Carter

OBOE

Nick Boland

Robyn Smith

CLARINET

TSgt Brian Wilmer

TSgt Randolph Palada

SSgt Alaina Shaw

SrA Clarissa Osborn

SrA Chester Howard

A1C Andrew Compton

BASSOON

TSgt Dan Shifren

SrA Jay Sutey

SAXOPHONE

TSgt Marco Munoz

A1C Kai Hammond

TRUMPET

SSgt Alan Matteri

SrA Nathaniel McKay

A1C Grace Gilpatrick

A1C Henry Gergen

HORN

TSgt Edwin Oschner

SSgt Jon Anderson

SrA Anna Gilpatrick

TROMBONE

TSgt Ben Huseby

SrA Sam Wamhoff

A1C Jeff Sharoff

TUBA

SrA Jacob Moore

PERCUSSION

MSgt Tim Shaw

Connor Yeackley

Michael Downing

Jon Herbers

KEYS

SSgt Robert Barnes

PIANO

A1C Will Comer

BASS

A1C Alex Valdez

A1C Eric Nakamoto

VOCAL

SSgt Michelle Doolittle

A1C Natalie Angst

GUITAR

A1C Thomas Antonic

AUDIO

SrA Warren Lynch

ARRANGER

A1C Ben Roberts



Major Joseph S. Hansen serves as the Commander and Conductor of the United States Air Force Band of the Golden West at Travis Air Force Base, California, a 60-member musical unit comprised of eight different performing groups with a 5-state area of responsibility serving Air Mobility Command.

Prior to this command assignment, Major Hansen served as an opinion leader engagement action officer for the Secretary of the Air Force Office of Public Affairs. He was the think tank engagement advisor and liaison for the Chief of Staff and Vice Chief of Staff of the Air Force, as well as senior Pentagon and MAJCOM leaders, and was responsible for developing and implementing public support and understanding of Air Force roles and missions.

Previously, Major Hansen served as assistant director of operations and flight commander for the United States Air Force Band, Joint Base Anacostia-Bolling, Washington, D.C. During his tenure with the band, he served as officer in charge of the Concert Band, Singing Sergeants, Air Force Strings, and Max Impact as well as overseeing the unit's marketing, operations, and resource sections.

He deployed in support of Operation Enduring Freedom (2014) and Operations Inherent Resolve and Freedom's Sentinel (2018) to Al Udeid Air Base, Qatar and served as the U.S. Air Forces Central Command (AFCENT) Band officer in charge. Through his leadership, deployed bands traveled to Afghanistan, Iraq, Egypt and 10 other countries performing for 50,000 military and local audience members on over 250 missions.

Major Hansen began his Air Force career in 2009 as deputy commander of the USAF Band of the West at Joint Base San Antonio, Texas. In 2011, he planned and directed the band's first combined concert with the San Antonio Symphony.

Prior to joining the Air Force, Major Hansen was a band and orchestra teacher in Colorado Springs, Colorado. He graduated with honors from Brigham Young University with a Bachelor of Music degree in Music Education in 2006. He went on to complete his Master of Music degree from Southern Oregon University through the American Band College in 2009. Major Hansen graduated with Doctor of Musical Art degree in Music Education from Boston University in 2021.



Andy Collinsworth has been the Director of Bands at Sonoma State University since 2008, where he leads the university Symphonic Wind Ensemble and Concert Band, teaches Instrumental Conducting and serves as Chair of the Music Department.

During a career that spans 32 years and counting, Dr. Collinsworth brings a wealth of knowledge and experience to the courses he teaches in conducting and music education. He maintains an active schedule as a rehearsal clinician and guest conductor with a multitude of band and music education organizations throughout the western states. In addition to his duties at SSU, he leads the Saint Helena Community Band, an ensemble established and sponsored by renowned director Francis Ford Coppola. He is the founder and an instructor for the Sonoma Summer Wind Band Conducting Symposium, an annual weeklong conducting seminar for music educators. He is the coordinator of the Sonoma Invitational Wind Band and Orchestra Festival—a signature three-day event featuring high school ensembles that is an affiliate of the Music for All National Concert Band Festival, sponsored by Yamaha. Dr. Collinsworth was awarded the 2022 Outstanding Music Educator Award by the California Music Educators Association Bay Section.

Andy Collinsworth holds degrees in Conducting (DMA, 2008 Arizona State University (2008), Saxophone Performance (MM, 1989 University of Nevada at Reno) and Music Education (BME, 1987 University of Nevada at Reno).

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Marilyn Thompson, Piano and Chamber Music Director
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Aaron Westman, Violin & Viola
Jill Rachuy Brindel, Cello
Mark Wallace, Classical Bass
Daniel Levitan, Harp
Eric Cabalo, Classical Guitar

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Kathleen Reynolds, Flute
Laura Reynolds, Oboe
Roy Zajac, Clarinet
Rufus Olivier, Bassoon
Andrew Harrison, Saxophone

BRASS

Daniel Gianola-Norris, Trumpet
Ruth Wilson, Horn
David Ridge, Trombone
Jonathan Seiberlich, Tuba and Euphonium

PERCUSSION AND PIANO

Jennifer Wilsey, Percussion
Marilyn Thompson, Piano

VOICE

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Justin Montigne
Danielle Wertz

JAZZ

Raffi Garabedian, Saxophone
Ian Carey, Trumpet
Doug Leibinger, Trombone
Ken Cook, Piano
Randy Vincent, Guitar
Cliff Hugo, Bass
George Marsh, Drums
Kendrick Freeman, Latin Band

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