## **Resident Faculty**



#### **Gillian MacKay**

Gillian MacKay is Professor of Music of the University of Toronto, where she conducts the Wind Ensemble and teaches conducting and trumpet. An award-winning teacher, Gillian

has an active career as a conductor, adjudicator, and clinician. She has conducted honour bands throughout Canada and the United States. As an adjudicator, Dr. MacKay has judged Canadian band festivals at local, provincial, and national levels. She has presented clinics and workshops at provincial and state conferences in Canada and the U.S.A., and is known for her work on the relationship between conducting and mime. Gillian oversees the graduate program in Wind Conducting at the University of Toronto. She holds degrees and diplomas from the University of Lethbridge, McGill University, the University of Calgary, and Northwestern University.



#### **Jeffrey Reynolds**

Dr. Jeffrey Reynolds is a Senior Lecturer at the UofT Faculty of Music, where he is the conductor of the Wind Symphony, as well as instructor of trumpet, chamber music,

conducting, and music education. He regularly conducts student, community and professional ensembles, including Southampton Festival Winds and The Toronto Wind Orchestra. He received his Ph.D. from the University of Toronto, after degrees from York University, the University of Calgary and the University of Victoria. Dr. Reynolds is a founding member of the Canadian Wind Band Repertoire Project, and is active as a guest conductor, clinician, journal contributor and adjudicator across the country. He is the author of the successful pedagogical book, *Trumpet for Dummies*.

#### **Housing Information**

Accommodation is available at a reasonable rate on campus, two blocks from the Faculty of Music. Please contact Massey College for reservations at:

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# Wind Conducting Symposium 2017

July 4-7, 2017

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Guest Clinician
Dr. Paula Holcomb,
State University of New York at
Fredonia

with
Gillian MacKay
Jeffrey Reynolds
University of Toronto

#### Paula Holcomb Guest Faculty



Dr. Paula Holcomb has been at State University of New York at Fredonia since 1999 as Director of Bands, after serving in a similar position for 20 years at Central College in Pella, Iowa.

Under her direction at Central College, the Symphonic Wind Ensemble and the Symphonic Band toured internationally to Canada, Europe, and Mexico and performed at Alice Tully Hall of New York City's Lincoln Center. At Fredonia, the extensive band program consists of four concert bands. Dr. Holcomb conducts the Wind Ensemble and musicals, and teaches graduate and undergraduate conducting. Additionally, she initiated the conducting program as part of the Master of Music in Performance.

Highly sought after as an adjudicator and guest conductor, Dr. Holcomb has conducted bands and orchestras in 39 states, South America, Australia, Mexico, Europe, and Canada. She has presented Conducting Symposia in Canada, South America, Australia and the United States, Dr. Holcomb is former assistant horn of the Des Moines Symphony and past president of the Iowa Music Educators Association. Recently, she was presented with the A. Frank Miller award from Kappa Kappa Psi, served on the **Council and Artistic Planning Conference** Committee for the World Association of Symphonic Bands and Ensembles, serving on the board of the Conductors Guild and is currently Northeastern Division Presidentelect of the College Band Directors National Association.

### Repertoire

# Please choose three selections/movements from the following:

- Cesarini Greek Folk Song Suite
- Daehn A Song for Friends
- Boysen Tricycle
- Mackey Lighting Field
- De Haan Ammerland
- Tull Sketches on a Tudor Psalm
- Byrd/Jacob William Byrd Suite
- Persichetti Symphony #6
- Nelson Courtly Airs and Dances

Scores will be available at St. John's Music

#### **Topics of Discussion**

Repertoire
Score Study
Rehearsal Technique
Leadership
Classroom Problem Solving
Movement and Gesture
Band Pedagogy

## Daily Schedule 9-6 each day

**Mornings:** lectures, presentations, discussions **Afternoons:** live conducting with ensemble consisting of UofT ensemble members and participants

#### **Registration Form**

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Active participant (limited enrolment)	\$550
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