

Kathryn Salfelder, *Composer*

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Current Projects

New Work for Wind Ensemble (2010)

Commissioned by the United States Air Force Band, Washington, D. C.

New Work for Orchestra (2010)

For the Yale Philharmonia/New Music New Haven

Conductors & Ensembles

Frank Battisti, University of Minnesota Wind Ensemble
Jerry Junkin, Dallas Wind Symphony
Gary W. Hill, Arizona State University Bands
Osmo Vänskä, Minnesota Orchestra
Charles Peltz, New England Conservatory Wind Ensemble
Richard Pittman, New England Philharmonic
Mark Scatterday, Eastman Wind Ensemble

Performance Venues

CBDNA Biennial Convention, Austin, TX
Clowes Memorial Hall, Indianapolis, IN
Esplanade Concert Hall, Singapore
Jordan Hall & Tsai Performance Center, Boston, MA
Orchestra Hall, Minneapolis, MN
United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, MD
RiverCenter for the Performing Arts, Columbus, GA

Awards/Honors

Minnesota Orchestra Composers' Institute, 2009
Winner, New England Philharmonic Call for Scores, 2009
Recipient, Toru Takemitsu Award, Japan Society of Boston, 2009
Winner, US Air Force Band Colonel Arnald D. Gabriel Award, 2008
Winner, ASCAP/CBDNA Frederick Fennell Prize, 2008
Winner, Walter Beeler Memorial Composition Prize, 2008
Winner, New England Conservatory Honors Ensemble Composition Competition, 2008
Finalist, ASCAP Morton Gould Young Composers Awards, 2008 & 2009
Recipient, Encore Grant from the American Composers Forum, 2006
National Band Association Young Composer Mentor Project, 2006
1st place, Charles B. Olson Young Composers Contest, 2005
1st place, Music Educators Association of New Jersey Eric Steiner Memorial Awards, 2005
New York Art Ensemble "Emerging Composer" Award, 2005

Publications

"Cathedrals." Boosey & Hawkes Windependence Series - Artist Level, 2009
"Composers on Composing for Band, Vol. 4: Young, Emerging Composers." Chicago: GIA Publications, 2009
Autobiographical chapter on the compositional process

Selected Performance Experience

Associate Conductor & Rehearsal Pianist, Fiddlehead Theatre Company, Norwood, MA, 2007 - 09
Pianist, New England Conservatory Wind Ensemble, 2007 - 09
Pianist/Organist, New England Conservatory Jordan Winds, 2007 - 09
Alto, New England Conservatory Renaissance Choir, 2007 - 09
Substitute Pianist/Organist, Church of the Covenant, Boston, MA, 2008
Pianist, New England Conservatory's Tuesday Night New Music & Composer's Series concerts, 2006 - 08.
Soloist, North Jersey Symphony Orchestra, Mendelssohn and Saint-Saens Piano Concerti, 2004 - 05

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Scholarships

Yale School of Music Full-Tuition Scholarship & Stipend, 2009 - 11
Carpe Diem Foundation Scholarship Winner, 2006 - 09
Elks National Foundation Scholarship Winner, 2005 - 09
New England Conservatory Merit Award and Lotta Crabtree Scholarship, 2005 - 09

Affiliations/Memberships

American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers (ASCAP)
National Band Association (NBA)
United States Scholastic Band Association (USSBA)

Education

Yale School of Music, New Haven, CT
MM in Composition, anticipated 2011

New England Conservatory of Music, Boston, MA
BM in Composition with Honors, 2009

- 2009 George Whitfield Chadwick Medal
- 2009 Donald Martino Award for Excellence in Composition

Principal Teachers
Aaron Jay Kernis • Michael Gandolfi • Lyle Davidson • Larry Hochman • Katherine Chi (piano)

Conductors/Coaches
Charles Peltz • William Drury • Gabriel Chodos • Malcolm Peyton

References available upon request