

Facts Surrounding the Instrument



University President Albert Murpree received \$50,000 for the organ from Dr. Andrew Anderson, a St. Augustine physician, philanthropist, and associate of early Florida developer Henry Flagler. The organ was first played publicly on June 7th, 1925, at the annual University Commencement Convocation. A musical landmark for its day, the organ was

designed and voiced at the zenith of orchestral-imitative or "symphonic" organ design in this country. During World War II and immediately after, due to institutional economic conditions, the instrument itself was not given proper care. This University treasure was virtually buried behind layers of heavy velour curtains hung in front of the organ to allow theatrical presentations.

ORGAN STUDIO MEMBERS

Dr. Laura Ellis	Xavier W. Richardson
Maria Kravchenko	Erica Wessling
Frank Han	Wagner Schulz
Melanie Yeager	Matt Gender



If you have any questions about the Organ Studio of the School of Music at the University of Florida please contact Dr. Laura Ellis at lellis@ufl.edu. Please visit our webpage: arts.ufl.edu/organ. We appreciate your attendance at today's Pipe Organ Demonstration. Thank you.

Fall 2009

Pipe Organ Demonstration "POD"

Presented by

The University Organ Studio



1:00 pm
Saturday, October 10, 2009

FEATURED PIECES

All pieces performed are demonstrations relative to the multiple divisions of the Andrew Anderson Memorial Pipe Organ. All performers are from the Organ Studio of Dr. Laura Ellis. Welcome and Enjoy.



Toccata in D Minor by J. S. Bach *Maria Kravchenko*

French Carol: **Bring a Torch** *Xavier Richardson*

Chorale No. 3 in A Minor by César Franck *Wagner Schulz*

Prelude in B Minor by J. S. Bach *Frank Han*

'Es ist ein Ros' entsprungen' by Johannes Brahms *Erica Wessling*

Praeludium in C by Dietrich Buxtehude *Xavier Richardson*

Prière from Suite Gothique by Léon Boellmann *Matt Gender*

Prélude, Fugue and Variation by César Franck *Erica Wessling*

Festive Trumpet Tune by David German *Matt Gender*

UF Alma Mater *Stand: see next page *Xavier Richardson*

Toccata from Symphony V by Ch. M. Widor *Wagner Schulz*

Upcoming Events

October 11 at 4:00 pm
Temple Terrace, FL Dr. Laura Ellis in recital at Christ Episcopal Church. This is sponsored by the Pensacola Chapter of the American Guild of Organists.

November 6-7
Miami Organ Crawl Five churches and institutions have been selected for which the Organ Studio will tour on the 2-day Miami Organ Crawl.

November 15 at 3:00 pm
Century Tower The Carillon Afternoon Concert Series Continues. See you at the Tower.

November 30 at 7:30 pm
University Auditorium The Organ Studio will present repertoire learned this semester in a recital. This event is free and open to the public.

UF ALMA MATER

Florida, our Alma Mater,
Thy Glorious Name We Praise.
All thy loyal Sons and Daughters,
A joyous song shall raise.
Where palm and pine are blowing,
Where southern seas are flowing,
Shine forth thy noble gothic walls,
Thy lovely vine clad halls.
'Neath the Orange and Blue victorious
Our love shall never fail.
There's no other name so glorious,
All hail, Florida hail!