Owen Davis

List of Works/Performances

n6 (2016) for clarinet, saxophone, horn, double bass

Composed for the new music ensemble, Timepoint Ensemble, based in Calgary, Alberta, Canada. Premiere: June 4th, 2016. Timepoint Ensemble, Calgary, Alberta

n5 (2016) for solo trombone and video

Composed for the performing artist and trombonist, Nick Meryhew, based in Chicago, IL. Premiere: May 23rd, 2016. Nick Meryhew, trombone, The Hideout, Chicago, IL

n4 (2016) for any solo instrument

Supported in part by composition residency at Northern Arizona University. Composed for the NAU saxophone professor, Jonathan Bergeron

Premiere: April 8th, 2016. Jonathan Bergeron, saxophone, Ardrey Auditorium, NAU, Flagstaff, AZ

n3 (2016) for eight percussionists and sound engineer

Supported in part by composition residency at Northern Arizona University. Composed for the NAU Percussion Ensemble under the direction of Steven Hemphill.

Premiere: April 23rd, 2016. NAU Percussion Ensemble, Ardrey Auditorium, NAU, Flagstaff, AZ

n2 (2015) for violin and tenor saxophone

Composed for Irine Durova Røsnes (violin) and Thomas Caminito (tenor saxophone) Premiere: May 21st, 2016. Irine Durova Røsnes & Thomas Caminito, Transistor Chicago, Chicago, IL Second Performance: October 8th, 2016. Liminar, NAU School of Music, Flagstaff, AZ

n1 (2015) for solo vibraphone

Composed for percussionist Jordan Lewis Premiere: December 12th, 2015. Jordan Lewis, Firecreek Coffee, Flagstaff, AZ Second Performance: May 8th, 2016. Jordan Lewis, NAU School of Music, Flagstaff, AZ

MEAT SPEAK (2015) for solo bass clarinet and large ensemble

Masters Thesis composition for partial degree completion at the DePaul University School of Music. Composed for the new music ensemble, Ensemble 20+ under the direction of Michael Lewanski. Premiere: March 6th, 2015. Zachary Good, soloist, DePaul School of Music, Chicago, IL

Flux (2015) for violin and live electronics

commissioned by the Chicago Wild Sounds organization with support from the DePaul School of Music and Purdue University.

Premiere: March 5th, 2015. Ashlyn Olsen, solo violin. DePaul Art Museum, Chicago, IL

RGB (2015) for solo performer with Max/MSP

Premiere: March 2nd, 2015. Christopher Wood, performer. DePaul University, Chicago, IL

...with your... (2014) for voice, percussion, and double bass

written for soprano Kaitlin Foley, percussionist Isaac Stevenson, and bassist Sara Neilson Premiere: November 10th, 2014, DePaul School of Music, Chicago, IL

Shadow Series No.1 (2013) for two double basses.

Premiere: March 3rd, 2014, DePaul School of Music, Chicago, IL

Cicadian (2013) for alto saxophone and vibraphone.

Premiere: May 4th, 2013 alongside choreography by Sandra Sherer

Harrison Bergeron (2013) for string quartet written for the Wren Quartet, Flagstaff, AZ

Premiere: May 3rd, 2013 SOUNDS new music concert, Flagstaff, AZ

The Minor Etudes (2013) solo cello and electronics

Premiere: May 5th, 2013 by Katyrn Boerner, Flagstaff, AZ Second Performance: November 4th, 2013 by Alexander Ellsworth, DePaul School of Music, Chicago, IL

TELEPHONE (2012) for piano, speaker, and electronics

commissioned by pianist Jess Ryan Premiere: December 7th, 2012 by Jessica Ryan, Ashurst Hall, Flagstaff, AZ

TELEPHONE PRELUDE (2012) for alto saxophone, drumset, vibraphone, piano, and tape

written for Erasable Color Premiere: August 10th 2012 by Erasable Color, The Hive, Flagstaff, AZ

The Great Wave (2012) for flute and saxophone

for Duo Fujin

DRIFT (2012) for tuba quartet

commissioned by *Las Tubas de Tucson* Premiere: on June 11th, 2012 at the International Alliance of Women in Brass Conference in Kalamazoo, MI.

Love Song for Lucinda (2012) for solo voice and marimba

Commissioned by baritone, Quinten Lee Premiere: on May 5th, 2012, Flagstaff, AZ

Colour Gommable (2012) for alto saxophone, percussion, and live electronics Premiere: May 5th, 2012, Flagstaff, AZ Second Performance: May 19th, 2014, Chicago, IL

XENOCRYST (2012) for two clarinets and live electronics

Premiere: May 5th, 2012, Flagstaff, AZ

CHESS PIECE (2012) for large ensemble and 32'x 32' installation

Premiere: on May 3rd, 2012, Flagstaff, AZ

Three Poems of Ryan Brown (2012) alto saxophone, drumset, vibraphone, piano, and tape

written for Erasable Color Premiere: on April 27th, 2012, Flagstaff, AZ Second Performance: May 5th, 2012 Third Performance: August 10th, 2012 Fourth Performance: October 5th, 2012 Fifth Performance: December 7th, 2012 Sixth Performance: January 4th, 2013

HOME (2012) for solo marimba

commissioned by percussionist Drew Worden Premiere: on April 27th, 2012, Flagstaff, AZ. Second Performance: May 4th, 2012, Flagstaff, AZ. Third Performance: May 6th, 2012, Flagstaff, AZ. Fourth Performance: December 13th, 2013, Rochester, New York

Brittle Black Firebrick (2011) for percussion sextet and electronics

written for the Northern Arizona University Percussion Ensemble Premiere: on April 22nd, 2011, Flagstaff, AZ

DIX (2010) for saxophone quartet and percussion

written for the Aeolus Saxophone Quartet Premiere: on April 30th, 2010, Flagstaff, AZ. Second Performance: December 7th, 2010 Third Performance: April 26th, 2012 Fourth Performance: May 5th, 2013