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GRADUATE RECITAL, TRUMPET

Mary Pappert School of Music

PNC Recital Hall

Duquesne University

In partial fulfillment of the requirements for
the degree of Master of Music

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ABSTRACT

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April 20th, 2011

Supervised by Sr. Carole Ann Riley, B.S., M.A., M.M., Ph.D., C.D.P.

This recital will encompass all the styles of music that I have encountered during my years at Northwestern State University as well as at Duquesne University. There will be a classical piece by Alfred Reed, “Ode to Trumpet”; to represent the studies I did in my undergraduate years. The jazz pieces, “Confirmation” by Charlie Parker and “This I Dig of You” by Hank Mobley, will represent the years that I have spent studying jazz at Duquesne University. The original piece “Latin Burgh” represents some of the experiences I have encountered with the Latin bands while being a Pittsburgh resident. The other original piece, “Blues for S.J.”, is my way of saying thank you to Sean Jones for taking my trumpet playing to the next level. The arrangement of “Pure Imagination” will show what I have learned from my studies with Mike Tomaro, and that it takes imagination to create beautiful arrangements and compositions.

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I would first like to thank God for giving me the strength and musical ability to pursue an instrument that demands most of my time to perfect. Next, my family, who have supported my decision to become a music major and devote their time and money to see me perform in various venues. It's a blessing to have such great family in my life and none of this would be possible without them. To all the teachers that have put up with me and pushed me to my limits, thank you. There's no other way I would have wanted it and it has prepared me for my future in the music industry. Lastly to all my friends and brothers of Kappa Kappa Psi, in the many states that I have lived in, thank you for understanding my devotion to music and supporting me by coming to my performances. Without you, I would have had no real drive to get to the point at which I am right now.

PROGRAM

Ode for Trumpet

Alfred Reed
(1921-2005)

Latin Burgh

Carlos Ortiz IV
(b. 1984)

Pure Imagination

Anthony Newley
(1931-1999)
Leslie Bricusse
(b. 1931)
Arr. Carlos Ortiz IV

INTERMISSION

Confirmation

Charlie Parker
(1920-1955)

This I Dig of You

Hank Mobley
(1930-1986)

Blues for S.J.

Carlos Ortiz IV
(b. 1984)