

*Treefalls: New Music* is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization that is dedicated to the presentation of contemporary chamber music written by living, active composers. Through a series of free concerts, *Treefalls* endeavors to offer the public inventive and creative new works performed by professional musicians who support New Music. We will select fresh, original pieces from our open Calls for Scores, Commissioning Projects, and active research in the field.

*Treefalls* strives to transform current opinion of concert hall music – if only a little – and inspire a new generation of composers and performers in our community.

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### Who We Are:

Peter B. Kay  
Artistic Director

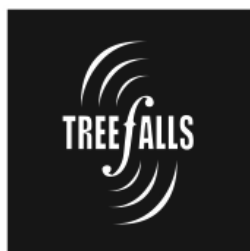
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***Treefalls: New Music Concert Series presents***

# TRILLIUM

Monday, March 20, 2017, 7:00pm  
at *The Hub City Tap House*  
197 East Saint John St, Spartanburg, SC

PLAYING FROM THE FOLLOWING LIST OF PIECES:

Serenade for String Trio                      Peter Hope  
    3. Tango  
    4. Waltz  
    1. Alla marcia

Limestone & Felt                                Caroline Shaw

Contradance                                      Andrew Levin

Haiku Settings (Summer)                      Nolan Stolz  
    1. The Visitor  
    2. Skeletons  
    3. Prayers for Rain  
    4. The Great River

for Molly                                         Peter B. Kay  
    1. Building Blocks  
    4. Closing

Ménage a Trio                                    Jon Grier

Vision Mantra                                    Marcos Balter

**Tracy Ensley** is a teacher and performer of violin, viola, and piano. She has been adjunct faculty at Bob Jones University and String Instructor at Spartanburg Day School and Pinner Studios. Mrs. Ensley is currently a violinist with both the Charleston Symphony and is Principal Second Violin of the Spartanburg Philharmonic Orchestra.

Tracy graduated from Northwestern University with a Bachelor's degree in Violin Performance and Historic Keyboard and a Master's degree in Viola Performance. During her time at Northwestern Tracy held positions as concertmaster in both the Northwestern University Chamber Orchestra and the Northwestern University Symphony Orchestra. She studied violin and viola with Roland and Almita Vamos, and organ with Margaret Kemper. She currently resides in Greenville, SC with her husband, Joseph, a classical guitarist, with whom she loves to collaborate! She teaches a small, private studio from her home and performs regularly as a freelance musician with several groups, including FretsandBows, Trillium, and the Mulfinger String Quartet.

**Travis Baird** has enjoyed solo performances in England, Austria, Canada, and around the United States in a wide variety of venues. Recent highlights include participating in the Prussia Cove International Music Seminar in Cornwall, England, earning a fellowship to attend Aspen Music Festival funded by the Talented Students in the Arts Initiative, and performing as a featured artist at Applause Music Festival in Fort Worth, Texas.

A recent graduate of University of South Carolina, Travis also holds degrees from Peabody Conservatory of the Johns Hopkins University, and from University of Texas at Arlington. He served as the viola studio graduate teaching assistant at University of South Carolina, graduating in May 2016 with a Doctor of Musical Arts degree.

Travis lives in Greenville, South Carolina. He performs with Charleston Symphony Orchestra, Greenville Symphony Orchestra, South Carolina Philharmonic, and Spartanburg Philharmonic Orchestra. He is a registered yoga teacher (RYT-200) and NASM certified personal trainer. Travis presented at the 2016 ASTA National Conference and the 2014 Primrose International Viola Competition and Festival on Yoga for Violists.

**Brenda Leonard** is principal cellist of the Spartanburg Philharmonic Orchestra and the GAMAC Chamber Orchestra in Anderson, SC. She performs regularly as a chamber musician with *Cello Times Two*, a duo with cellist Benjamin Smith of Montreat College, as a member of *Trillium*, and as a member of the North Greenville Chamber Players. She is the professor of cello at North Greenville University and maintains a busy private studio. Dr. Leonard received her DMA in cello performance from the University of South Carolina and her BA and MM from Northern Illinois University.

HAIKU TO ACCOMPANY MUSIC BY NOLAN STOLZ

The Visitor

All the rains of June:  
and one evening, secretly,  
through the pines, the moon.

Skeletons

On top of skeletons  
they put a gala-dress, and then -  
the flower-viewing!

Prayers for Rain

Prayers for rain:  
Rise up to heaven  
O beating drums!

The Great River

All the rains of June  
it brings together, and is swift -  
the Mogami river

*“Amagoi ya  
ten ni hibiki to  
utsu taiko”*

*“Samidare wo  
atsumete hayashi  
Mogamigawa”*

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