

## **LSU Timm Quartet at Mt. SAC Wind Ensemble!**

February 10, 2015

Greetings Colleagues!

I am excited to announce that members of the Louisiana State University Timm Quintet will be participating in an afternoon residency here at Mt. SAC with members of the Mt. SAC Wind Ensemble!

The Timm Wind Quintet enjoys a tradition of nearly half a century of superb music making and wind teaching through its continuing residency at the Louisiana State University School of Music. Individually and collectively hailed as extraordinarily gifted performers, the Timm Wind Quintet also incorporates guest artists, creating concerts with a variety of textures and sounds, from solo repertoire through large ensemble works, from music of the Renaissance to that of our own time. With their broad range of performance and teaching experience, the Timm Wind Quintet is uniquely suited to offer residencies and master classes in a variety of settings on a wide range of topics.

Performing extensively throughout the south and mid-west, recent appearances include university campuses, high-school clinics, and performances at national conferences of professional organizations.

Wednesday, February 11th from 3p - 4p Professors Deborah Chodacki (Clarinet), Seth Orgel (Horn), and Katherine Kemler (Flute) will be working with their respective sections of the Wind Ensemble in a clinic covering all aspects of instrumental performance, and musicianship training. I am especially excited as Prof. Chodacki taught both myself and Mt. SAC Clarinet Faculty Member Margaret Worsley during our time as students at The University of Michigan in Ann Arbor! Having musicians that are of the artistic depth as our guests tomorrow will be a real benefit to the wind ensemble students and their overall music education. Ultimately, the time spent with the members of the Timm Quintet will allow our students to grow as artists and be inspired to new areas of musical excellence.

Best,

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