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Charles Gambetta earned his Doctor of Musical Arts degree in orchestral conducting at the University of North Carolina at Greensboro where he was the assistant conductor of the University Symphony Orchestra from 1996-98. He began his conducting studies with Ansel Brusilow in 1974 at the University of North Texas where he was also Associate Conductor and Arranger for the One O'clock Lab Band. Upon completing a Bachelor of Arts degree in music performance at California State University, Hayward in 1977, he served as double bassist and arranger with the **United States Military Academy Band at West Point.**

Following three years of distinguished military service, he established the **Young American Symphony Orchestra** in the Merrimack Valley, Massachusetts, a fellowship program for emerging orchestral musicians, and served as Music Director from 1986 to 1993. He has also served as **Music Director of the Greensboro Symphony Youth Orchestra and Assistant Conductor of the Greensboro Symphony, the Fayetteville Symphony and the Philharmonia of Greensboro.** In addition to his work with American and Canadian orchestras, he has conducted orchestras in **Italy, Ukraine, Bulgaria and Romania.**

Maestro Gambetta is currently on the music faculties of Winston-Salem State University, Guilford College and Greensboro College in North Carolina. In 2007 he accepted an appointment to the artist faculty of the prestigious **International Institute for Conductors** where he also serves as program administrator. Recognized around the world for his revolutionary approach to conductor training, Dr. Gambetta has authored articles for the **Journal of the Conductors Guild, the College Orchestra Director's Association and the Journal of Laban Movement Studies.** He has presented his work at the 2006 Laban for the 21st Century Conference in Bratislava, the 2008 Laban International Conference in London and the 2010 CODA Conference in Atlanta where he was also one of two master teachers for the Student Conductor Workshop.

In addition to regular **guest conducting engagements in North Carolina and Romania,** he continues to inspire conducting students through master classes and workshops in his ground breaking approach to conducting that emphasizes the underlying qualities and character of gesture as the most potent aspect of non-verbal communication between conductor and ensemble

Charles Gambetta-Repertoire

SYMPHONIC

Adler

Concertino No. 3

Arnold

Scottish Dances

Bach, J. S.

Brandenburg Concerto No. 2 in F Major, BWV 1047

Brandenburg Concerto No. 3 in G Major, BWV 1048

Brandenburg Concerto No. 4 in G Major, BWV 1049

Orchestral Suite No. 2 in B Minor, BWV 1067

Orchestral Suite No. 3 in D Major, BWV 1068

Barber

Adagio for Strings

Bartok

Concerto for Orchestra

Divertimento

Violin Concerto No. 2

Beethoven

Choral Fantasy in C Minor, Op. 80

Creatures of Prometheus Overture, Op. 43

Coriolan Overture, Op. 62

Egmont Overture, Op. 84

Fidelio Overture, Op. 72b

Leonore Overture No. 3, Op. 72a

Ruins of Athens Overture, Op. 113

Piano Concerto No. 1 in C Major, Op. 15

Piano Concerto No. 3 in E-flat Major, Op. 37

Piano Concerto No. 5 in E-flat Major, Op. 73 ("Emperor")

Triple Concerto in C Major, Op. 56

Violin Concerto in D Major, Op. 61

Symphony No. 1 in C Major, Op. 21

Symphony No. 2 in D Major, Op. 36

Symphony No. 3 in E-flat Major, Op. 55 ("Eroica")

Symphony No. 4 in B-flat Major, Op. 60

Symphony No. 5 in C Minor, Op. 67

Symphony No. 6 in B-flat Major, Op. 68

Symphony No. 7 in A Major, Op. 92

Symphony No. 8 in F Major, Op. 93

Symphony No. 9 in D minor, Op. 125

Berlioz

Benvenuto Cellini Overture, Op. 23

Rakoczy March from The Damnation Of Faust, Op. 24

Le Corsaire Overture, Op. 21

Roman Carnival Overture, Op.9

Symphony Fantastique, Op. 14

Bernstein

Candide Overture

Symphonic Dances from West Side Story

Bizet

Carmen Suite No. 1

Carmen Suite No. 2

L'Arlesienne Suite No. 2

Symphony in C

Bloch

Concerto Grosso

Borodin

"Polovtsian Dances"

Bottessini

Elegy

Passione Amorosa

Brahms

Academic Festival Overture, Op. 80

Tragic Overture, Op. 81

Variations on a Theme by Joseph Haydn, Op. 56a

Alto Rhapsody, Op. 53

Nänie, Op. 82

Schicksalslied, Op. 54

Ave Maria, Op. 12

Double Concerto, Op. 102

Violin Concerto in D Major, Op. 77

Symphony No. 1 in C Minor, Op. 68

Symphony No. 2 in D Major, Op. 73

Symphony No. 3 in F Major, Op. 90

Symphony No. 4 in E Minor, Op. 98

Britten

Four Sea Interludes from Peter Grimes, Op. 33a

Simple Symphony, Op. 4

The Young Person's Guide to the Orchestra, Op. 34

Chabrier

Espana

Copland

Appalachian Spring (for 13 instruments)

El Salón México

Fanfare for the Common Man

"Hoe-Down" from Rodeo

An Outdoor Overture

Debussy

Fetes

Jeux

La mer

Prélude à l'après-midi d'un faune

Dukas

The Sorcerer's Apprentice

Dvorák

Czech Suite, Op. 39

Symphonic Variations, Op. 78

Slovanic Dances, Op. 46

Serenade for Strings, Op. 22

Serenade in D Minor, Op. 44

Symphony No. 8 in G Major, Op. 88

Symphony No. 9 in E Minor, Op. 95 ("From the New World")

Elgar

Enigma Variations, Op. 36

In the South Overture Op. 50

Serenade for Strings in E Minor, Op. 20

Ellington/Gambetta

An Ellington Portrait (world premiere)

Enescu

Rumanian Rhapsody No. 1 in A Major, Op. 11

de Falla

Three-Cornered Hat Suite No. 2

Faure

Pavane

Frank

D Minor Symphony

Gambetta

Highland Favorites (orchestration of traditional Scottish tunes)
My Heart's in the Highlands (arrangement)

Gershwin

Rhapsody in Blue
An American in Paris

Gliere

Russian Sailor's Dance from The Red Poppy

Glinka

Ruslan and Ludmilla Overture

Gould

American Salute

Grieg

Holberg Suite, Op. 40
Peer Gynt Suites Nos. 1 and 2
Piano Concerto in A Minor, Op. 16

Griffes

Poem for Flute and Orchestra

Handel

The Messiah
Water Music

Haydn

Cello Concerto in C Major
Piano Concerto in G Major
Trumpet Concerto in E-flat Major
Symphony No. 22 in E-flat Major "The Philosopher"
Symphony No. 88 in G Major
Symphony No. 94 in G Major "Surprise"
Symphony No. 100 in G Major "Military"
Symphony No. 104 in D Major "London"

Hindemith

Symphonic Metamorphosis on Themes by Carl Maria von Weber
Concert Music for Strings and Brass

Holst

The Planets
St. Paul's Suite, Op. 29 no. 2

Hummel

Trumpet Concerto in E-flat Major

Ives

Three Places in New England

Janacek

Idyll

Jones

Elegy

Symphony No. 3

Kabalevsky

Colas Breugnon Overture

Kodaly

Galanta Dances

Mahler

Symphony No. 1

Symphony No. 2

Symphony No. 5

Mendelssohn

Hebrides Overture

Midsummer Night's Dream Overture & Scherzo

String Symphony No. 9

Symphony No. 3 in A Minor, Op. 56 ("Scottish")

Symphony No. 4 in A Major, Op. 90 ("Italian")

Symphony No. 5 in D Minor, Op. 107 ("Reformation")

Violin Concerto in E Minor, Op. 64

Mercadante

Flute Concerto in E Minor

Milhaud

La Creation du Monde, Op. 81a

Mozart

Clarinet Concerto, K. 622

La clemenza di Tito Overture, K. 621

Don Giovanni Overture, K. 527

Le nozze di Figaro Overture, K. 492

Die Schauspieldirektor Overture, K. 486

Die Zauberflöte Overture, K. 620

"Per questa bella mano," K. 612

Eine kleine Nachtmusik, K. 525
Flute Concerto in D Major, K. 314
Horn Concerto No. 1 in D Major, K. 412
Piano Concerto No. 23 in A Major, K. 488
Violin Concerto in A Major, K. 219
Symphony No. 29 in A Major, K. 201/186a
Symphony No. 35 in D Major, K. 385 "Haffner"
Symphony No. 36 in C Major, K. 425 "Linz"
Symphony No. 38 in D Major, K. 504 "Prague"
Symphony No. 39 in E-flat Major, K. 543
Symphony No. 40 in G minor, K. 550
Symphony No. 41 in C Major, K. 551 "Jupiter"

Mussorgsky

Night on Bald Mountain
Pictures at an Exhibition (orch. Ravel)

Offenbach

Orpheus in the Underworld Overture

Paulus

Concerto for Orchestra

Prokofiev

Peter and the Wolf, Op. 67
Romeo and Juliet Suites Nos. 1 & 2, Op. 64b
Symphony No. 1 in D Major, Op. 25 ("Classical")
Symphony No. 5 in B-flat Major, Op. 100

Rachmaninov

Piano Concerto No. 2 in C Minor, Op. 18
Piano Concerto No. 3 in D Minor, Op. 30
Rhapsody on a Theme of Paganini, Op. 43

Ravel

Boléro
Daphnis et Cloé Suite No. 2
Ma Mère l'Oye
Pavane pour une infante défunte
Le Tombeau de Couperin
La Valse

Respighi

Fountains of Rome
Pines of Rome
Gli ucelli

Rimsky-Korsakov

Capriccio Espagnol, Op. 34
Russian Easter Festival Overture, Op. 36
Scheherazade, Op. 35

Rogers/Bennett

Victory at Sea

Rossini

Barber of Seville Overture
La Cenerentola overture
La gazza ladra overture
Guillaume Tell overture
L'Italiana in Algieri overture
Semiramide overture
Il signore Bruschino overture
Tancredi overture
Largo al factotem (from Barber of Seville)

Saint-Saëns

Introduction & Rondo Capriccioso, Op. 28
Symphony No. 3 in C Minor, Op. 78 "Organ"
Bacchanale from Samson and Delilah
Danse Macabre, Op. 40

Schubert

Overture in the Italian Style, D. 591
Symphony No. 5 in B-flat Major, D. 435
Symphony No. 8 in B Minor, D. 759 ("Unfinished")
Symphony No. 9 in C Major, D. 944 ("The Great")

Schumann

Manfred Overture, Op. 115
Piano Concerto in A minor, Op. 54
Symphony No. 1 in B-flat Major, Op. 38
Symphony No. 3 in E-flat Major, Op. 97

Shostakovich

Symphony No. 1 in F Minor, Op. 10
Symphony No. 5 in D minor, Op. 47
Festive Overture, Op. 96

Sibelius

Finlandia, Op. 26
Violin Concerto in D minor, Op. 47
Romance, Op. 42
Symphony No. 2 in D Major, Op.43

Singleton

Cara Mia Gwen

Smetana

The Moldau

Strauss, Johann. Jr.

Acceleration Waltz, Op. 234

Die Fledermaus Overture

Kaiser-Walzer, Op. 437

Künstlerleben (Artists' Life) op. 316

On the Beautiful Blue Danube, Op. 314

Tales from the Vienna Woods, Op. 325

Thunder and Lightning Polka, Op. 324

Strauss, J Sr.

Radetsky March, Op. 228

Strauss, R.

Don Juan, Op. 18

Der Rosenkavalier Suite

Serenade, Op. 7

Till Eulenspiegel's lustige Streiche, Op. 28

Stravinsky

Apollon Musagete

Firebird Suite (1919)

L'histoire du soldat

Petrouchka

Le sacre du printemps

Divertimento from The Fairy's Kiss

Pulcinella Suite

Suk

Serenade for Strings in E-flat Major, Op. 6

Suppe

Light Cavalry Overture

Morning, Noon and Night in Vienna Overture

Poet and Peasant Overture

Tchaikovsky

1812 Overture, Op. 49

Capriccio Italien, Op. 45

March Slave, Op. 31

The Nutcracker, Op. 71

Romeo and Juliet Fantasy Overture

Violin Concerto in D Major, Op. 35

Piano Concerto No. 1 in B-flat Major, Op. 23

Serenade, Op. 48

Symphony No. 4 in F Minor, Op. 36
Symphony No. 5 in E Minor, Op. 64
Symphony No. 6 in B Minor, Op. 74

Varése

Octandre

Verdi

La Forza del destino overture
Nabucco Overture
Triumphal March from Aida

Vivaldi

The Four Seasons
Concerto for Bassoon in e minor

Wagner

Die Meistersinger Overture
Flying Dutchman Overture
Prelude and Liebestod from Tristan und Isolde
Rienzi Overture
Siegfried Idyll
Tannhäuser Overture

Weber

Concertino for Clarinet, Op. 26
Der Freischutz Overture, Op. 77

OPERATHEATRE

Donizetti

L'Elisir d'Amore

Mozart

Don Giovanni Overture, K. 527
Le Nozze di Figaro, K. 492

Puccini

La Bohème

Wilson

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