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# **Faculty Tuesdays**

#### Winterreise ("Winter Journey")

Michael Hoffman, tenor Mutsumi Moteki, piano 7:30 pm, Tuesday, Oct. 11, 2022 Grusin Music Hall

## Program

## Winterreise ("Winter Journey")

Poems by Wilhelm Müller (1794-1827) Music by Franz Schubert (1797-1828)

- 1. Gute Nacht ("Good Night")
- 2. Die Wetterfahne ("The Weathervane")
- 3. Gefrorne Tränen ("Frozen Tears")
- 4. Erstarrung ("Numbness")
- 5. Der Lindenbaum ("The Linden Tree")
- 6. Wasserflut ("Flood")
- 7. Auf dem Flusse ("On the River")
- 8. Rückblick ("Backward Glance")
- 9. Irrlicht ("Will-o'-the-Wisp")
- 10. Rast ("Rest")
- 11. Frühlingstraum ("Dream of Spring")

#### -Intermission-

- 12. Einsamkeit ("Loneliness")
- 13. Die Post ("The Post")
- 14. Der greise Kopf ("The Grey Head")
- 15. Die Krähe ("The Crow")
- 16. Letzte Hoffnung ("Last Hope")
- 17. Im Dorfe ("In the Village")
- 18. Der stürmische Morgen ("The Stormy Morning")

- 19. Täuschung ("Illusion")
- 20. Der Wegweiser ("The Signpost")
- 21. Das Wirtshaus ("The Inn")
- 22. Mut ("Courage")
- 23. Die Nebensonnen ("The Mock Suns")
- 24. Der Leiermann ("The Organ-Grinder")

## Personnel

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### Mutsumi Moteki, piano

#### Michael Hoffman, tenor

Acclaimed for his warm, captivating and honest stage presence, Minnesota native Michael Hoffman is an avid performer and interpreter of art song, oratorio, opera and choral music. In 2017, he received his Master of Music from CU Boulder in vocal performance, and in that same school year had his Carnegie Hall debut performing Schubert's *Auf dem Strom*.

Currently an Opera On the Go Artist with Central City Opera, Hoffman frequently performs with orchestras and ensembles throughout the state and across the country, and won the coveted Denver Lyric Opera Guild Competition in 2018. He holds a successful voice studio in Lakewood, CO, and is the music director of Grace Lutheran Church in Boulder. Despite the challenges of performing and teaching during the COVID-19 pandemic, Hoffman grew his studio by introducing online lessons and maintained weekly virtual choir rehearsals with his church choir.

Stemming from his love of teaching, in the summer of 2018 he and his wife Nadya Hill founded the Mountain Area Chamber Music Festival, a week-long festival for middle and high school vocalists and string players. Outside the concert hall and teaching studio, Hoffman loves spending time in the outdoors, woodworking, gardening and working with dogs.



## Upcoming events at the College of Music

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