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3 Stücke für Violoncello und Klavier

3 Pieces for Violin and Piano

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Nach umfangreichen Studien am Tiroler Landeskonservatorium und an der Wiener Musikuniversität (Komposition, Dirigieren) sowie an den Universitäten Innsbruck und Wien (Germanistik) erwarb sich M.L. im Laufe von 10 Jahren als Dirigent an mehreren Theatern umfassende praktische Erfahrungen. 1995-2008 leitete er am Tiroler Landeskonservatorium eine Klasse für Komposition; 2005 wurde er als Professor für Tonsatz/ Komposition an die Wiener Musikuniversität berufen, wo er von 2008-11 die Leitung des Instituts für Komposition und Elektroakustik innehatte.

In seinen Werken, für die er mehrere Preise erhielt, versucht er, divergierende Tendenzen der Neuen Musik auf persönliche Weise miteinander zu verbinden und so die Vielfalt zeitgenössischer Tonsprachen zu nutzen, ohne sich ideologisch festzulegen.

After wide-ranging studies at the Tyrolean State Conservatory in Innsbruck and at the University of Music in Vienna [composition, conducting], Martin Lichtfuss acquired extensive practical experience during 10 years as a conductor at German and Austrian theatres. From 1995-2005 he was head of Department I for music theory/musical directing, at the same time instructing a class in composition at the Tyrolean State Conservatory. In 2005, he followed a call from the University of Music in Vienna, where he was given a professorship in composition.

In his compositions – for which he has been awarded several prizes – Martin Lichtfuss attempts to combine the diverging trends of New Music in a personal manner so as to use the variety of contemporary musical languages without committing to any specific ideology.

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3 PIECES FOR VIOLONCELLO AND PIANO

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I. Quasi recitativo [ca. 4']

II. Schwungvoll – *Buoyant* [ca. 4']

III. Verträumt; sehr langsam und frei –
Dreamy; very slow and free [ca. 9']

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col legno battuto - ohne Haare / without bow hairs
 col legno battuto - mit Haaren / with bow hairs

I

zögernd beginnen; frei (~ 100)
 start hesitatingly; free

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Violoncello

10 - 15 sec. *col legno battuto*

p

X 10 - 15 sec.

pp zunächst mit den Fingerkuppen,
dann auch mit den Fingernägeln in unterschiedlichen Registern
und in unregelmäßigen Bewegungen zart über die Saiten streichen –
gently stroke over the strings in different registers and in irregular movements –
first with the fingertips, then also with the fingernails

Sost.-Röd.

Vc. **f** ritardando e diminuendo

Pf. **mf**

2 fließend/
flowing (~ 138) frei
free *sul ponticello*

2 **sfff** **mp**

4 **7** **8**

sost.-Röd.

5 energisch/
vigorously ($\text{♩} \sim 100$)

(s.p.) $\xrightarrow{\hspace{1cm}}$ ordin.

sf mf \swarrow *sf* \searrow

Vc. *Pf.*

ff

7 *ruhig/ calm (l'istesso tempo)*

7 ruhig/ calm (l'istesso tempo)

p

(8va) dolce

4 4 *3 4* *7 8*

mp \swarrow *pp*

Vc. *Pf.*

10 *ruhig/ calm* *(rit.)*

ff *3 3* *mp* *5* *p* *2*

7 8 *4* *p* *2 4*

f *p* *pp*

Vc. *Pf.*

V.P.0012 *Led.*

3

etwas langsamer, aber fließend
slightly slower, but flowing (♩ ~ 69)

13

Vc.

Pf.

2 4 3 4 4 4

15 (rit.) 3

Vc.

Pf.

4 4 3 4 (rit.) 4 4

18 3 6 sf X X

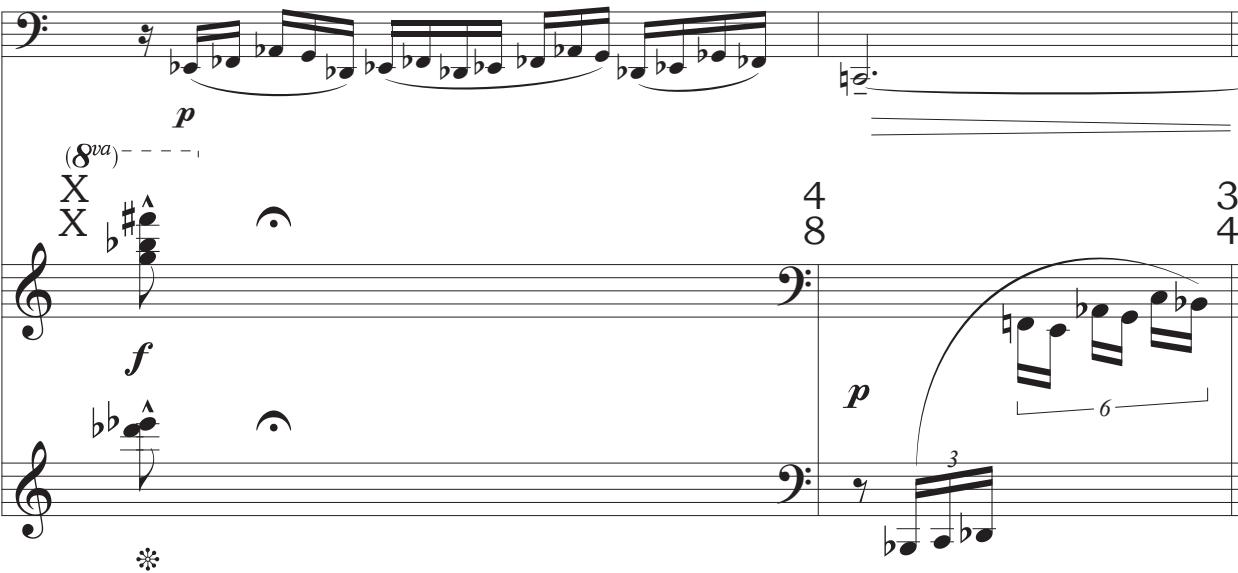
Vc.

Pf.

4 4 3 4 8va- 6

6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6

Re. Re. Re. Re.

20 an der Spitz ("murmelnd") / at the tip of the bow ("murmuring") 4
 Vc. 

22 a tempo, etwas zurückgehalten (♩~132) holding back a little 4
 Vc. 

24 3 4 9 16 5 8 3 4
 Vc. 

5

26

Vc. *pizz.* *arco*

Pf. *f* *mf* *mf*

28 *Reo.* *Reo.*

Vc. *mf*

Pf. *mf*

31

Vc. *pizz.* *arco*

Pf. *pizz.* *arco*

34 *pizz.* *arco*

Vc. *pizz.* *arco*

Pf. *mf* *mf*

37

Vc. *pizz.* arco

Pf.

6 16 9 16 7 8

40

Vc. wild → *s.p.*

Pf. *ff*

7 8 5 16 4 4 7 8

43

Vc. *ordin.* *pizz.* *arco*

Pf. *sf* *ff* *sfp*

7 8 3 4

7

47

5- 10 sec. *ruhig / calm*
dolce

p

Vc.

Pf.

pp

p

Sost.-Ped. - - - - - *

51

Vc.

Pf.

gliss.

58

Sost.-Ped. - - - - -

53

Vc.

mfsf

Pf.

58

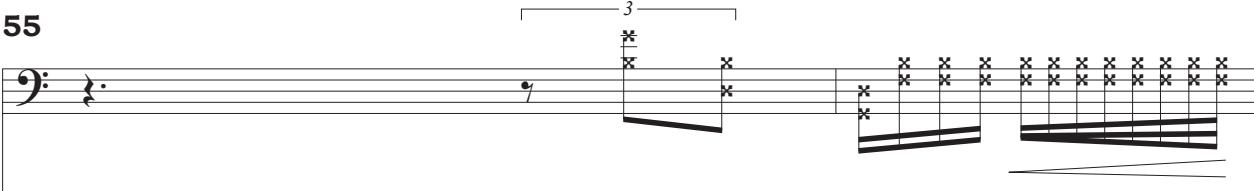
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7

*falls kein Sost.-Ped. vorhanden /
in case no Sost-Ped. is available*

pp

55

Vc. 

Pf. 

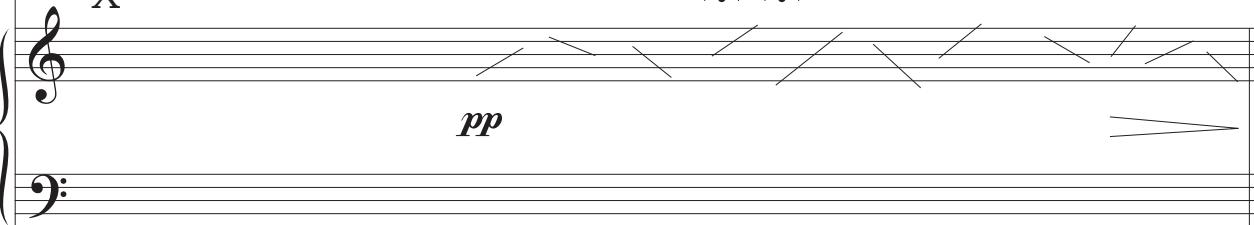
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Vc. 

Pf. 

59

Vc. 

Pf. 

II

mit Schwung/buoyant ($\text{♩} \sim 80$)

Violoncello

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4

Vc.

Vc.

7

Vc.

Vc.

10

Vc.

Vc.

13

Vc.

Pf.

16

Vc.

Pf.

20

Vc.

Pf.

23

Vc.

Pf.

11

26*pizz.**Vc.*

Vc.

26 *pizz.*

Pf.

27 *mf*

28 *f*

29 *mf*

*Vc.**Pf.**Vc.**Pf.*

31 *pizz.*

32 *dolce*

33 *p*

34 *dolce*

*Vc.**Pf.*

35 *mf*

36 *mf*

37 *mf*

35

Vc. 

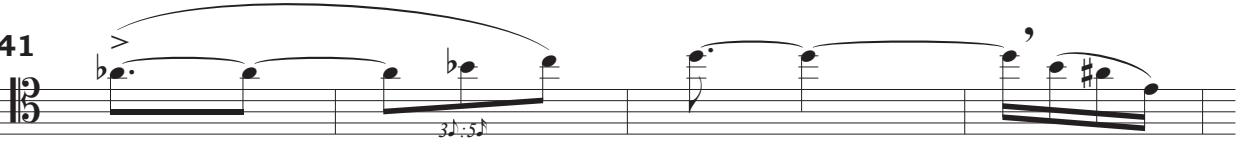
Pf. 

37 leggiero

Vc. 

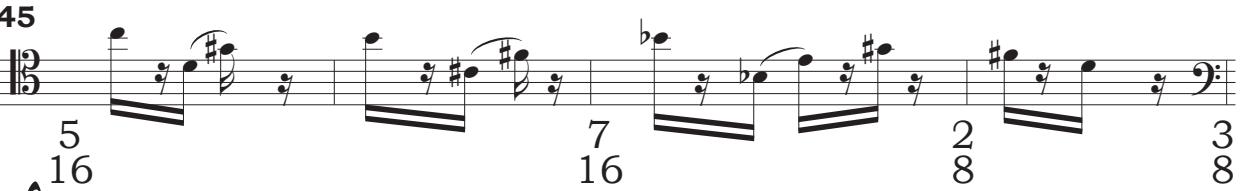
Pf. 

41

Vc. 

Pf. 

45

Vc. 

Pf. 

13

49

Vc.

Pf.

3 8 9 16 5 16 3 4

53

Vc.

Pf.

3 4 11 16 5 8 11 16

56

Vc.

Pf.

11 16 3 8 5

Vc.

Pf.

5 8 11 16 10 16 2 4

f

14

62

Vc. II

Pf. *p* dolce

65

Vc. 7 16 2 4 7 16 5 16

Pf.

68

Vc.

Pf.

Vc. 2 p 7 16 2 4 cresc.

Pf. *p* cresc.

15

75

Vc.

Pf.

7 16 2 4

mf

77

Vc.

Pf.

4 4 2 4

79

Vc.

Pf.

2 4 p 5 16 mp

83

Vc.

Pf.

88

Vc. Pf.

93

Vc. Pf.

98

Vc. Pf.

pizz. arco II III ppp

7 16

104

Vc. Pf.

pizz. p 11 5 11 16

107

Vc. *pizz.* arco

11
16

5
8

11
16

5
8

5
8

110

Vc. *pizz.*

5
8

11
16

5
8

5
8

mf

Vc. *arco*

f 3

5
8

f mf 3

4
8

5
16

113

Vc.

5
16

sfz

5
16

117

123

Vc. Pf.

127

Vc. Pf.

131

Vc. Pf.

135

Vc. Pf.

19

140

Vc.

Pf.

143

Vc.

Pf.

146

Vc.

Pf.

148

Vc.

Pf.

□ = lange Fermate / long fermata
 ⌂ = mittlere Fermate / medium fermata
 ▲ = kurze Fermate / short fermata

III

Verträumt; rubato, senza tempo – sehr langsam und frei ($\text{♩} = 40-50$)
Dreamy; rubato, senza tempo - very slow and freely

Violoncello

Piano

Vc.

con sord.

Pf.

Vc.

Pf.

**

zart fließend (die ♩ ca. 69, immer etwas flüchtig; die ⌂ ca. 1 sec.)
delicately flowing (the ♩ ~ 69, always somewhat ahead; the ⌂ ~ 1 sec.)

2

Vc.

Pf.

col legno battuto

zögernd/ mit etwas Schwung/ wieder langsamer/ vorsichtig/ schnell/
hesitating with a little verve slower again carefully fast

8va

Reed.

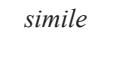
Vc. *ordin.* 

quasi a tempo *mf* *p* *zögernd/*
hesitating 

Pf. *p* *simile* 

Vc. *sforzando* *p* *ruhig, gleichmäßig/calm, evenly* 

Pf. *mf* *p* *schnell/*
fast *8va* *simile* 

Vc. *(8va)* *morendo* *senza sord.* 

Pf. 

Vc. *8va* *8va* *44* 

Pf. *p* *ppp*

23

appassionato ed espressivo (♩ ca. 50)

4

Vc. Pf.

4 4 2 4 4 3 2 4

7

Vc. Pf.

2 4 4 3 2 4 f f pp

10

Vc. Pf.

mf f 2 4 4

13

Vc. Pf.

4 4 ff 3 4 3 4

15

Vc.

18

Vc.

20 *a tempo*

Vc.

23

Vc.

Pf.

V.P.0012

25

26

Vc. The cello part consists of eighth-note patterns. In the first measure, there are two eighth-note pairs followed by a sixteenth-note pair. In the second measure, there are two eighth-note pairs followed by a sixteenth-note pair.

Pf. The piano part features a bass line with eighth-note chords and a treble line with eighth-note chords. Measure 26 concludes with a dynamic of $\frac{4}{4}$.

30

Vc. The cello part starts with a sustained note followed by eighth-note pairs. The dynamic is p . Measure 30 concludes with a dynamic of $\frac{3}{4}$.

Pf. The piano part includes eighth-note chords in the bass and eighth-note patterns in the treble. The dynamic is pp . Measure 30 concludes with a dynamic of $\frac{3}{4}$.

33

Vc. The cello part consists of eighth-note pairs. Measure 33 concludes with a dynamic of $\frac{4}{4}$.

Pf. The piano part features eighth-note chords in the bass and eighth-note patterns in the treble. Measure 33 concludes with a dynamic of $\frac{4}{4}$.

35

Vc. The cello part starts with a sustained note followed by eighth-note pairs. The dynamic is p . Measure 35 concludes with a dynamic of $\frac{4}{4}$.

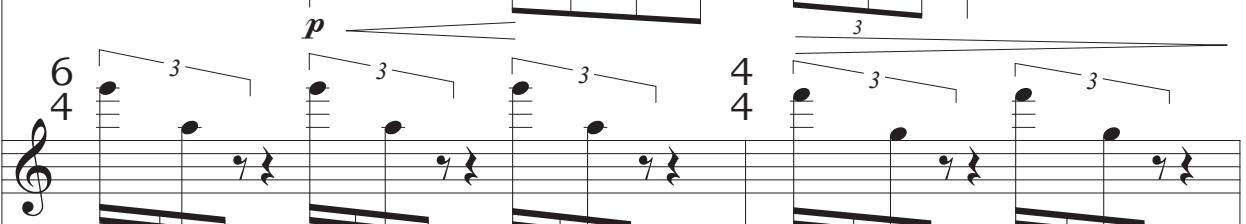
Pf. The piano part includes eighth-note chords in the bass and eighth-note patterns in the treble. The dynamic is $cresc.$. Measure 35 concludes with a dynamic of $\frac{4}{4}$.

39 *ritardando*

Vc. 

Pf. 

42

Vc. 

Pf. 

44 *col legno battuto*

Vc. 

Pf. 

46 *ordin.*

Vc. 

Pf. 

27

48

Vc.

frei / freely

Pf.

3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3

6 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4

50

Vc.

8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8

Pf.

4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4

3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3

3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3

8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8

3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3

52

Vc.

rit.

wild

Pf.

3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3

ff ff

3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3

rit.

54

Vc.

3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3

ritardando

Pf.

p p mf mf mf mf mf mf mf mf mf mf

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rit.

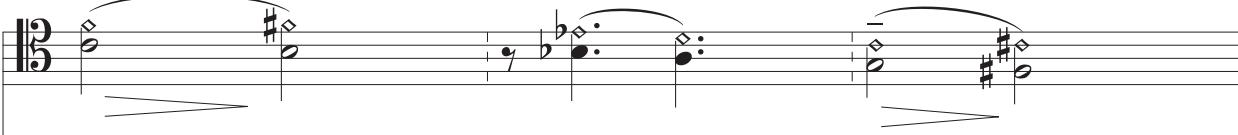
rit.

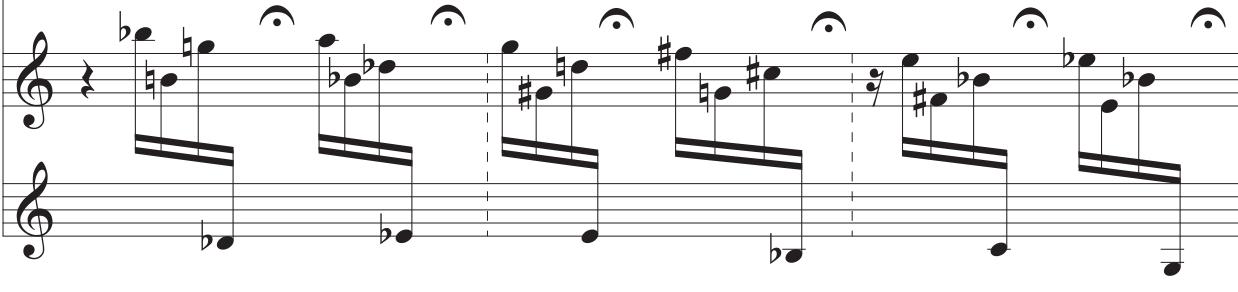
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Vc. 

Pf. 

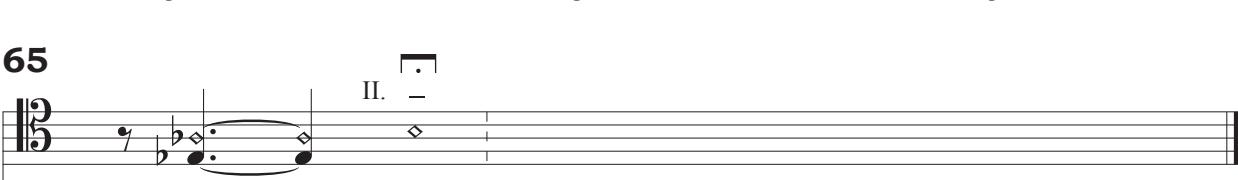
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Vc. 

Pf. 

65

Vc. 

Pf. 

65

Vc. 

Pf. 

MARTIN LICHTFUSS – COMPOSITIONS

ORCHESTRAL WORKS

<i>Re-Cycle II</i> for small orchestra [2023; commissioned by <i>Innstrumenti</i>)	ca. 14'00"
<i>...luceat...</i> for chamber orchestra [2019; commissioned by <i>Innstrumenti</i>)	ca. 13'00"
<i>In Nuce</i> for orchestra [2008]	ca. 1'15"
<i>Adieu</i> for small orchestra (2004)	ca. 14'00"
<i>Earobics</i> for orchestra [2000; commissioned by <i>Klangspuren Schwaz</i>]	ca. 12'00"
<i>Concerto for orchestra</i> [1992/93; commissioned by the city of Innsbruck]	ca. 28'00"
<i>Kafka-Fragments</i> for narrator, baritone, chorus, orchestra and synthesizer (1983/85)	ca. 28'00"

WORKS FOR ENSEMBLE

<i>Stage Music</i> to Ibsen's <i>Peer Gynt</i> (1985)	ca. 20'00"
<i>Stage Music</i> to Schiller's <i>Kabale und Liebe</i> (1985) (commissioned by <i>Tiroler Landestheater</i>)	ca. 17'00"
<i>Interferenzen</i> for solo clarinet and 15 players (1987/88) (commissioned by <i>Tiroler Landesregierung</i>)	ca. 32'00"

CHAMBER MUSIC

<i>Piano Trio</i> (2018/19)	ca. 16'00"
<i>Re-cycle</i> for woodwind-quintet (2011)	ca. 10'00"
<i>K*tzbühel. A patriotic tribute</i> for string quartet and accordion (2008)	ca. 17'00"
<i>Trilogie</i> for violoncello and piano (2006)	ca. 17'00"
<i>"Auf dem Kratzbaum"/ "On the scratcher" – Smart violin pieces for the young</i> (2002/03)	ca. 11'00"
<i>Rhapsodies I & II</i> for soprano and viola d'amore (2002/03)	ca. 15'00"
<i>Rhapsody I</i> – version for altus, violin and accordion	ca. 8'00"
<i>Mobile</i> for 5 flutes (2002)	ca. 10'00"
<i>4 Pieces</i> for violoncello & accordion (2001)	ca. 12'00"
<i>Entartung 2000. 3 ab-reactions</i> for flute and guitar (2000)	ca. 13'00"
<i>Monumentum – for H.</i> Music for piano quintet (1998)	ca. 8'00"
<i>Straightforward</i> for string sextet (1994/2017; commissioned by <i>Tiroler Landesregierung</i>)	ca. 13'00"

5 Chansons after H. C. Artmann's <i>Aus meiner Botanisiertrommel</i> (1994)	ca. 9'00"
Rotationen for brass quintet (1992)	ca. 8'30"
2 Portraits for flute and harp (1992)	ca. 7'30"
Tête-à-tête for two flutes (1982/83)	ca. 13'00"
Sonata for violin and piano (1982/83)	ca. 17'00"
Drei Aspekte/Three Aspects for brass quintet (1981/82)	ca. 10'00"
Epilog for flute and piano (1982)	ca. 7'30"
To Eurydike. Music for string quartet (1981)	ca. 19'00"
4 Pieces for clarinet, trumpet, piano and percussion (1980/81)	ca. 18'00"

PIANO WORKS

... sehr wohl temperiert ... – 12 preludes and fugues for piano (2008-2023)	5'–7' each
Hyperion-Fragmente for piano (2009/18)	ca. 15'00"
Straightforward II for piano (1999; commissioned by <i>Tiroler Landesregierung</i>)	ca. 5'00"
11 Minutes for piano (1983)	ca. 11'00"

ORGAN WORKS

3 Choral Preludes for christmas (2012/2024)	ca. 7'30"
3 Pieces for organ (2003/2006)	ca. 6'30"
Toccata for organ from the <i>Psalmenmesse</i>	ca. 3'00"
Hände. 3 meditations for organ after sculptures by A. Rodin (1996)	ca. 19'00"
Suite for organ (1982)	ca. 12'30"
Fantasy for organ (1979)	ca. 10'00"

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