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CONGAS FULL CIRCLE

Inner3 Congas Full Circle satisfies a missing link in percussion literature. This is the first book for congas and hand drumming that breaks down the patterns of various styles (almost 50!) into small sections that can be digested easier. Although there are many high quality books for hand drummers, the books merely notate the patterns without teaching the reader how to play the rhythms. Congas Full Circle will fill that void. The book includes many exercises to teach the reader how to play rudiments on congas while improving your quality of sound. There are also examples of styles for djembe, batÃ¡, bongos, and cajones with music spanning from early African patterns to modern day Salsa and Timba. With almost 400 pages, this is the most comprehensive book on congas available.

LEGENDARY OP. 44

THE FIRST BOOK OF CONGA SOLOS EVER PUBLISHED

Inner3 "Legendary, Op. 44" is a collection of conga solos composed by best selling author Dr. Greg Jackson. This is the first book of solo literature ever published for the instrument. Each solo uses traditional music notation, as well as indications for which hand is recommended to play a certain drum. The different sounds are also thoroughly notated for each piece for those who are new to reading music. "Legendary" features 13 pieces for 2 to 5 congas and incorporates some traditional marchas, as well as newer forms such as timba. Each piece is designed for concert performance settings, or for the conguero in need of a solo during a song break. This book is also an excellent study tool for learning to design your own solos in a band type of setting. Level: Beginner to Professional

DRUM CIRCLE

A GUIDE TO WORLD PERCUSSION

Alfred Music Publishing This unique guide to world percussion features descriptions and performance techniques for 28 different instruments, plus exercises, traditional rhythms, and cultural information. 76 pages.

PANDORA

Inner3 Pandora is a collection of 4 mallet marimba literature from Greg Jackson. The compositions are ideal for graduate level percussion recitals and professional concerts; with some works that can be handled by most advanced high school and collegiate percussionists. Pandora contains a total of 12 works; 11 are for solo marimba and 1 piece for marimba and cello. Three of the compositions are featured on the CD "Darkest Hour". For more information about the music in this collection and program notes, please visit www.inner3.com.

BERCEUSE

OP. 51

Createspace Independent Pub A Romantic Period style solo for the piano in the tradition of Chopin, Liszt, and Brahms.

ALL ABOUT CONGAS

EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO KNOW TO START PLAYING NOW

Alfred Music Publishing In-depth coverage of popular percussion instruments, including history, tuning, maintenance, techniques, exercises, ensembles, and more, from a world-renowned educator and performer, Kalani. Each book comes with an enhanced CD featuring additional multimedia content, including demonstrations of all rhythms and techniques and tuning instructions.

DRUM CIRCLE GROOVES

Lulu Press, Inc With clear, concise writing and a relaxed--even conversational--style of instruction, Dennis Maberry takes the pressure out of learning to drum . Maberry's practical, step-by-step guide will take any novice from the basics, such as learning the instruments and tones, to beginner and intermediate rhythms. By the end of this book, the reader will have the fundamental knowledge and skills necessary to participate in most recreational drum circles. Drum Circle Grooves is also an effective facilitator's guide, providing insight into simple and comprehensible teaching methods for beginners.

THE WELL-TEMPERED MARIMBIST OP. 46

Inner3 The Well-Tempered Marimbist is a set of compositions for the two mallet percussionist. The collection consists of 24 etudes, each in a different key, similar to the pivotal Well-Tempered Clavier by J.S. Bach. Most of the new music available is for 4-mallets, leaving those learning keyboard percussion without much of a selection for music that is current. This book contains music that fits many genres from traditional melodic development to music that would be classified as modern or 21st Century. WTM includes a wide range of solos for the beginning mallet player to the advanced level percussionist. The easier pieces are great for sight-reading practice as well. These solos are excellent pieces for recitals and solo performances as audiences will love the outstanding melodies. The percussionist will enjoy how well each piece lays on the instrument. This book is sure to become a classic for many generations and is an excellent source to have in the library of every percussionist.

RHAPSODY FOR VIOLIN

OP. 18

Createspace Independent Pub A Neo-Romantic work for solo violin with piano accompaniment. Includes score and parts

TUMBA LE (LA CONGA)

A GARIFUNA NOVEL

JACKSON'S RUDIMENT DICTIONARY

Createspace Independent Publishing Platform The first completely thorough compilation of rudiments in print with short exercises to help the percussionist learn to play each rudiment. Includes the Percussive Arts Society 40 rudiments, almost 900 Hybrid rudiments, and the Jackson 40.

HIKARI YUUSHI

OP. 50

Createspace Independent Pub A four mallet marimba solo for a low E marimba.

DRUM CIRCLE SPIRIT

FACILITATING HUMAN POTENTIAL THROUGH RHYTHM

White Cliffs Media Company Percussionist Arthur Hull has used drum circles to build team spirit among managers at Motorola, to ease tensions between rival street gangs, and to improve

communication in Wall Street investment firms. He led a rhythm event in Red Square in Moscow -- the first celebration other than a military one there in many years. His appearances with major musical figures such as Babatunde Olatunji and Mickey Hart, and his forthcoming appearances on major media, will propel Drum Circle Spirit forward as a leading self-help, spirituality, and New Age title.

THE ART AND HEART OF DRUM CIRCLES

Hal Leonard Corporation (Book). In this quintessential guide to both creating and facilitating drum circles, noted music therapist and drum circle facilitator Christine Stevens covers everything from key grooves and instrumentation, to the personal side of empowering people and creating transformational experiences through recreational drumming. Filled with practical tools, guidelines, principles, helpful hints, exercises, and even a play-along CD, Stevens' book weaves into one resource the many key elements of what My Generation/AARP Magazine refers to as one of the country's "fastest growing holistic health trends." "Christine Stevens brings together the energy of her drum circle leadership and the healing power of her background in wellness to give us a very helpful book for drum circle leaders, teachers, recreation specialists, religious group leaders, health professionals, business people and amateur drummers." Dr. Will Schmid, MENC Past President and author, World Music Drumming "This book is a must for anyone involved in or interested in the drum circle movement from veterans to wanna-be facilitators." Karl Bruhn, Father of the Music Making and Wellness Movement What you'll learn: . The science of entrainment . The drum circle duality . How to advertise and set up your drum circle . Recommended drums and percussion instruments . Eight basic facilitation cues . Seven essential skills of facilitation . Making arrangements in-the-moment . Facilitation using a melody instrument . Creating sound-scapes with new drummers . How to cover the basics of hand drumming . Starting and maintaining the groove . Designing your program . Facilitating from a place of musical joy! . Creating metaphors and meaning

AMERICAN RHAPSODY

OP. 59

Createspace Independent Pub A four mallet marimba work written for a 4.6 octave marimba. Part of a collection of future releases.

THE SYNERGY METHOD FOR DRUMMING, VOL. 2

CreateSpace This is the second volume of The Synergy Method for Drumming, and the 10th book from Dr. Greg Jackson. The collection of etudes found in this volume will help percussionists push themselves past their expectations. The etudes found in this method book are some of the most advanced pieces in the percussion literature. Level: Extremely Advanced to Professional

HISTORY OF DANCING RING AND CASINO-SALSA

Ediciones Cubanas The experiences we describe in this book are part of our lives; we intend to offer an image of the surging of casino dancing and ring (Rueda) in Cuba. To do so, we have requested the experiences and anecdotes of the dancers who participated from the very prodigious beginning of a dance that is as Cuban as the palms, the sugar cane, the rum and the tobacco... ..We dedicate this book to ah the founders of casino dance and ring, who definitely are the creators of this dancing style, that later has been called Salsa in other countries. We will make it extensive to ah the professors, promoters, directors of casino rings and to the good dancers that are already hundreds of thousands in Cuba and ah over the world.

PROMETHEUS AND PANDORA'S RHAPSODY

OP. 49

Createspace Independent Pub A 4 mallet marimba solo composed for competitions. Written for a low F marimba but also includes the 5 octave (low C) version.

HOKKAIDO JISHIN OP. 37

FOR PERCUSSION ENSEMBLE

CreateSpace Hokkaido Jishin is about the many earthquakes that have occurred in or around the Hokkaido area in Japan over the past decades. This composition is at times very loud to represent the power of the earthquake. The percussionists should perform this piece with great intensity throughout, even during the soft sections that are barely heard to generate a sensation of reoccurring aftershocks. This percussion ensemble is for 6 performers playing in the traditional Taiko drumming style using instruments that are common to most percussion studios. The Brake Drum part should use

hard mallets for a metallic sound, and the smallest available drums should be used for the Snare Drum and Tom Tom parts. Tenor Drum 1, 2, and 3 should use the largest available drum. Large floor toms or small bass drums are preferable. Individual Parts are included with the score

MODERN DRUMMER

MD.

THE ASCENSION, OP. 21

FOR PERCUSSION ENSEMBLE

CreateSpace The Ascension is a work for percussion ensemble to convey the Ascension of Christ. After He was crucified, Jesus was taken up to Heaven in his resurrection body in the presence of his Apostles forty days after he was resurrected. "But unto every one of us is given grace according to the measure of the gift of Christ. Wherefore he saith, When he ascended up on high, he led captivity captive and gave gifts unto men." Ephesians 4:7-8.

PROGRESSIVE STEPS TO BONGO AND CONGA DRUM TECHNIQUE

Alfred Music Basic rhythms, variations, fill-ins, short solos for the bolero, cha-cha, merengue, mambo, guaracha, rumba, modern jazz and more.

AUTUMN IN NEW YORK

CreateSpace Autumn in New York is an arrangement for percussion ensemble of the jazz standard. My first exposure to this piece came from a recording that Bud Powell did in 1953 of Vernon Duke's classic song. Although it is not possible to recreate the thick harmonic gestures in the same way as someone would on piano, the piece has a unique character with mallet percussion instruments. Score and Parts Included

REQUIEM FOR 9/11

OP. 45

CreateSpace Requiem for 9/11 was composed for the 10th anniversary of September 11th, a day that will always be remembered in U.S. history. It is a piece dedicated to those who lost their lives that day, and in the years after the attack, protecting our country and freedom. This is my 45th composition so I decided to write something about that tragic day. Although the events are quite different, the United States suffered another colossal attack on American soil at Pearl Harbor in 1941. On that day, World War II began for America, although the war was in progress between other countries. In 1945, the war ended, and thus the number connection of Opus 45. Major events happened in 1945 and 2011; justice being served to two major enemies of the United States that were responsible for so many deaths. There are several times the numbers 9 and 11 are used. The time signatures are obviously in connection with the date of the attack, but there are also instances when the juxtaposition of dynamics and the number of 16th notes are indicative of the 9/11 motive. The piece begins in E minor, before settling in E-flat minor for the majority of the piece. This is done to mirror the cadence: Neapolitan 6, Dominant 7, Tonic 6. E minor acts as the enharmonic version of a N6 tonality, before moving to E-flat minor. The dies irae appears in the beginning and a few more times in the piece. Although this piece is a Requiem, I did not use other portions of the Mass. The inspiration to write a Requiem comes from Benjamin Britten, while infusing elements of my compositional technique reminiscent of the works from Sergei Rachmaninoff and Frederic Chopin. I chose to compose this piece for marimba because the instrument captures so many different emotions. The marimba can produce warm, lush sounds while exhibiting aggressive and violent attributes. The piece opens with the dies irae as an impending representation of tolling bells of death. I tried to combine the effects of an ominous tone and tranquility because no one except the terrorists realized the disaster that was to unfold. The chaotic section represents all that happened with the planes and also the battles that have taken place in the past decade. The solemn section is reflecting on the lives lost, which then builds to another climactic point in the piece. Although the piece was completed May 2nd, I started working on the piece weeks before. On May 1st, the world heard the news that the mastermind of the September 11th attacks had been found. Osama bin Laden was eliminated. The end of the piece represents the conflict that occurred that night, followed by a small portion of "My Country tis of Thee" as a way of giving hope to all Americans and others in the world who have been victims of terrorist acts. Requiem for 9/11 requires a 4.6 octave marimba, or low E, at the minimum. The performer should use discretion when choosing mallets for this piece; choose a mallet that provides enough articulation for fast passages and can handle roll passages. The sticking indications used for this piece are to serve as a guide for the performer, but the artist has freedom to alter the sticking patterns if necessary. I used the standard ordering of

mallets that most composers use: "1" is for the outside mallet in the left hand, "2" is for the inside mallet in the left hand, "3" is for the inside mallet in the right hand, and "4" is for the outside mallet in the right hand.

PATH OF THE LIGHT WARRIOR

OP. 53

Createspace Independent Pub "Path of the Light Warrior" is linked in a way to another composition of Dr. Gregory Jackson, "Hikari Yuushi, Op. 50". Light Warrior is a 4 mallet marimba piece that requires at least a low F marimba. The suggested difficulty is Medium-Advanced. For more information, visit: www.inner3.com

ETUDES

OP. 48

CreateSpace Etudes Op. 48 is a book of modern solos ideal for the concert solo setting. The book is for beginners to advanced level percussionists. There are solos suited for beginners which can also serve as excellent sight-reading materials. Many of the snare drum books available now are outdated and the market does not have many new books. Etudes Op. 48 will be a great addition for the percussionists looking for a collection of solos composed with the 21st century musician in mind.

FIRST LESSONS CONGA

Mel Bay Publications This book and accompanying audio are a perfect introduction to the conga drum. The book includes lessons on music notation, posture, positioning, tuning, and hand strokes. There are also many exercises, examples of Latin rhythms, and even some history of the instrument. Written by best-selling Mel Bay author Trevor Salloum, this method is all you need to start playing the conga today!

CONGA DRUMS IN SPACE AND TIME

MUSICAL THEORY OF TIME POSITIONS AND POLYMETRY, WITH PERCUSSION NOTATION FOR HAND DRUMS

Archway Publishing Afro-Cuban percussion contributes essential characteristics to the richness of Latin American musical folklore, and its rhythmic systems hold a complexity and sophistication that deserve greater study among both learned and popular musical spheres. In *Conga Drums in Space and Time*, author Jorge Pardo presents an exploration of the surprising ways rhythms can create three-dimensional space when properly structured, considering Afro-Cuban percussion in particular. He charts the emotional excitement felt by listeners when exposed to syncopated rhythms using a thought-provoking theory of time positions. These ideas then carry over into Pardo's own system of hand drum notation (HDN), a simple and straightforward iconography that allows percussionists of any level to sight-read two hand patterns and play authentic Conga rhythms in a short time. Through a combination of theory and practical exercises, Pardo takes musicians on an unusual rhythmic journey of discovery. Intriguing and challenging, this bilingual study explores the unexpected relationship between music and three-dimensional space and provides a simple and accessible system for percussion notation.

CONGA ORIENTAL

TRADITIONAL PARADE MUSIC OF EASTERN CUBA

Okamehachimoku Media The conga oriental is the version of the conga that has existed in Santiago de Cuba since the second decade of the 20th century and afterwards in Guantánamo. The instruments of the conga oriental, treated in Part I, can be divided into four classes: aerophones (cornetas chinas), idiophones (campanas), bimumbranophones (bombos or tamboras), and unimumbranophones (bocues). Part II introduces ensemble playing and covers such diverse topics as entradas, efectos, marching formation, tempo, and ensemble tuning. The conga ensemble is known principally for playing the eponymous conga toque, but other toques, namely toque masón and concierto, are also described. Finally, there is a chapter on how the conga oriental is played by various professional folklore groups. Part III is a short essay on the conga song. The two principal points of analysis are song structure with emphasis on the AABB structure unique to the conga and a theoretical grouping of conga songs according to provenance. Short histories, ensemble scores, and diagrams of the marching formation of the ten principal congas of Guantánamo and Santiago are reproduced in

Part IV. Part V concerns itself with such wider topics as the congueros and the milieu in which they perform, including most importantly the Carnavales of eastern Cuba. The last chapter gives a brief resumé of the general history of the conga oriental.

CONGA AND BONGO DRUM IN JAZZ

Mel Bay Publications The first book ever published on how to play the conga and bongo drum in jazz. This text is an essential tool for band teachers and drummers playing Latin Percussion in jazz with special emphasis on swing. Includes chapters on history, description, tuning, position/posture, notation, strokes, rhythms, etc. Complete with photos, interviews, music transcriptions and video links. This much-needed text fills a niche in the application of the conga and bongo drum in jazz. Special features include archival photos, a rare interview with legendary jazz guitarist Kenny Burrell, online companion video with Candido and Bobby Sanabria and the most comprehensive discography ever compiled on the use of conga and bongo drums in jazz with over 100 listings and commentary including Candido, Ray Barretto, Armando Peraza, Willie Bobo, Luis Miranda, Patato Valdez, Willie Rodriguez, Tata Guines and many more

CONGA & LU

THE CHRONICLES OF TWO CUBANAS

Gatekeeper Press From crushes to Castro, freedom to fear, barefoot feet to big city streets, follow the ordinary, yet extraordinary lives of two strong Cuban women - Conga & Lu, a true story of family, country, survival, and love. Conga's idyllic childhood with a wealthy prestigious family in Havana is happy and carefree. Lu, a young black woman from rural Matanzas, becomes Conga's nanny. Their bond will transcend age, race, and privilege. But when Fidel Castro assumes power, the revolution transforms Cuba forever, and their ties will be tested by distance and time. With her doll and some clothes, Conga and her brother are desperately flown to the United States among 14,000 unaccompanied Cuban children during Operation Peter Pan. Conga must quickly adapt to poverty and a new culture, while holding on to Cuban roots in exile. Under Castro's new government, Lu struggles to care for her own children. Beset by hardship, misfortune, heartbreak, and an endless search for a home and happiness, she never loses her positivity and faith. From the days before the revolution to the present, Conga and Lu's indomitable spirits triumph over historic obstacles. After nearly sixty years, Conga returns and finds Cuba torn apart, her home unrecognizable, with the mysteries of her lost family and Lu's whereabouts unsolved. Filled with tears, smiles, and memories, Conga's past becomes the present. But will Lu will still be there?

FANTASY OF ICARUS, OP. 76

CreateSpace For large Percussion Ensemble. Instrumentation: Bells, Xylophone, 4 Marimbas, Chimes, Timpani, Bass Drum, Surdo, Accessories, Piano, Bass

CONGA TOWN

PERCUSSION ENSEMBLES FOR UPPER ELEMENTARY AND MIDDLE SCHOOL

Alfred Music Teachers can make their classes come alive with this wonderful collection of 12 percussion ensemble arrangements with a "conga focus." This upper elementary and middle school publication comes complete with teaching tips, photographs, and percussion technique instructions.

LAZARUS TAXON

OP. 60

Createspace Independent Pub Lazarus Taxon is a percussion ensemble requiring 4 performers. The piece is designed for traveling groups that might have to use equipment from an outside source. The instrumentation is as follows: Shakers, Floor Tom 1, Floor Tom 2, and Bass Drum. For all of the listed instruments, the ensemble can choose which particular instruments to use. For example, instead of floor toms, surdos can be used if available; for bass drum, a concert bass drum or marching bass drum could be used; shakers could use any combination of the various types of shakers available. The performer also can choose any acceptable implement for the different instruments that will produce articulate rhythms and the best quality of sound for the drum head and rims, which the score and parts indicate what notation device is used to differentiate between regular playing on the head and the rim. Approximate duration: 12 minutes 30 seconds

A CONGA LINE OF SUCKHOLES

MARK LATHAM'S BOOK OF QUOTATIONS

Melbourne Univ. Publishing During his time in politics Mark Latham not only kept a diary, but also collected quotes and anecdotes that he found inspiring, amusing or enlightening. Here, with an introduction by the author, are words of wisdom and humour, withering ripostes and personal reflections from authors, politicians and public figures-ranging from Ben Chifley to Barry Humphries, from Julius Caesar to Dorothy Parker, and also some of Mark Latham's own memorable turns of phrase. A Conga Line of Suckholes collects together both wit and wisdom, the language of both the academy and the larrikin. It is an essential companion for the reader, writer, browser and public speaker, which will make readers think and laugh. Mark Latham was the Federal Member for Werriwa from 1994 to 2005. He was Leader of the Labor Party between 2003 and 2005. Mark Latham is the author of The Latham Diaries and five other books on Australian public policy, including Civilising Global Capital and From the Suburbs. He lives in the outer suburbs of Sydney with his wife and two children.

SYMPHONY NO. 1

OP. 55

Createspace Independent Pub This is the first Symphony from composer Dr. Gregory J. Jackson. Op. 55 is a 4 movement work for the following instrumentation: Piccolo, Flute, Oboe, B-flat Clarinet, Bass Clarinet, Bassoon, 3 First French Horns, 3 Second French Horns, 3 First Trumpets, 3 Second Trumpets, 4 Trombones, Bass Trombone, 4 Tubas, Timpani 1 (3 drums), Timpani 2 (2 drums), Percussion 1 and Percussion 2 (Snare Drum, Bass Drum, Gong, Suspended Cymbals, Crash Cymbals, Tambourine, Triangle), Violin 1, Violin 2, Viola, Cellos, Contrabass. www.inner3.com

TOMAS CRUZ CONGA METHOD VOLUME 1 - BEGINNING

Mel Bay Publications In Volume I, Tomasito reveals the time tested conga method which he himself studied with Changuito and other master congueros at the ENA conservatory in Havana. Volume I starts at the absolute beginning and is designed for the person who has never touched the congas, but is also of great value to the advanced player who wishes to understand the foundation and rudiments of the approach that has allowed the ENA and the other Havana conservatories to consistently turn out so many world class congueros each year. Volume I begins with simple exercises to develop technique and systematically works its way through rudiments and 'recursos' for use in solos and fills and basic rhythm patterns such as Salsa, Cha-Cha and Bolero. These are presented using the unique Step by Step online video Method, which enables the student to learn the patterns by watching the video and imitating Tomasito as he builds the patterns stroke by stroke. This, combined with a special type of notation designed to be simple for those who don't read music, results in a conga course that really works, rather than just another reference book to add to the bookshelf!

RUMBA - AFRO CUBAN CONGA DRUM IMPROVISATION, VOLUME 2

Mel Bay Publications This book is designed to take your soloing ability from 0 to 90 MPH on the quinto, conga drum, bongo or timbales while mastering the clave rhythm at the same time. It is rich with authentic phrasing. Volume 2 has much to offer for beginners and veterans alike. The book will widen your soloing horizons, and is something you will continually refer back to for ideas and inspiration. You will enjoy learning many of these unique and interesting flavors. This teaching method brings together two different learning approaches for Afro-Cuban Drumming. The first approach is to learn by way of reading written notation; the second is to learn solely by listening and feeling. Three types of Afro-Cuban syncopated expressions are transcribed in this book: Quinto Ride, Quinto Phrase, and Quinto Solo. The helpful companion CDs allow one to hear these expressions ensuring proper comprehension of the concepts taught in this lesson.

SYMPHONY NO. 2

OP. 68

CreateSpace The second symphony from Greg Jackson for orchestra. This is loosely a program symphony based on the book of Exodus. Standard instrumentation in 3 movements, with a duration of 33 minutes.

MEPHISTO'S SPREE, OP. 84

CreateSpace The "Shopping Spree" has been around the drumming community for decades. The name shopping spree most likely comes from the phrase "shopping for more notes". It is essentially an

exercise for developing specific techniques and rudiments. This book is an attempt to leave a mark in the historical records so musicologists will know of the importance of this rudimental etude, and hopefully cause a rebirth of this classic. Dr. Jackson composed 30 Original shopping spree etudes for this work in addition to some bonus compositions from previous books from Jackson