

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH ALABAMA DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC

### USA OPERA THEATRE THOMAS L. ROWELL, DIRECTOR

#### PRESENTS

# THE BARTERED BRIDE

#### An opera in three acts

Music by Bedřich Smetana Performed in English with supertitles

Krusina, a peasant Joshua Vaughn Ludmilla, his wife Gabriela Merz Marie, their daughter Megan King # Jenik, a stable hand Myles Garver Kecal, a marriage broker **Tyler Peterson** Micha, a rich farmer **Blake Waters** Hata, his wife Erica Washington Vasek, their son Garrett Torbert Thomas L. Rowell Director of a traveling circus Esmeralda, a member of the circus **Brianna Smith** Indian, a member of the circus Shanarrous Briggins-Pollard

The opera takes place in a small village near the home of Krusina. Intermission will take place between Acts II and III.

RECITAL HALL LAIDLAW PERFORMING ARTS CENTER Friday, April 25 and Saturday, April 26 , 2014 at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, April 27, 2014 at 3:00 p.m.

#### **USA Opera Theatre Chorus**

Tim Aguirre Josh Alter Elizabeth Bemis Jennifer Bemis # Morgan Carithers Alex Carper Jenni Dyess Kate Frazier Payton B. Fulford Chris Gaal Jay Glover Tracy Mank Laura Moore # Sarah Pace Matt Selete

Dawson Sellers Colby Smith Phillip Wyatt Tyler Williams

#### University of South Alabama Opera Orchestra Robert J. Seebacher, conductor

#### Flute/Piccolo

Rachel Moody \* Nicole Carrion

#### Oboe

Madi Kreamer \* Kaitlyn Poiroux

#### Clarinet

Emily Allen \* Derek McDougal

#### Bassoon

Jake Cannon \* Lauren Burch

#### Horn

Lauren Morrison\* Dustin Miller Morgan Wilkins Shawn Wright

#### Trumpet

Drew Pritchard \* Dennis Parker

#### Trombone

Edward Doyle\* Chase West Will Rosati

#### Timpani

Ian Jones

#### Percussion

Ryan Boehme\* Soren Odom

#### Violin I

Rebecca Mitchell, concertmaster Elizabeth French +

#### Violin II

Brian Orr \* Esther Borlovan

#### Viola

Matthew Watts \* Candice Frazier-Pugh +

#### Cello

Daniel Martinez \* Mariana Aldana

#### Bass

Sean Noah #

- \* denotes principal
- # denotes USA Faculty
- + denotes guest artist

#### **Production Personnel**

Director	Thomas L. Rowell
Musical Director/Conductor	Robert J. Seebacher
Rehearsal Accompanist	Jennifer Bemis
Stage Management	Joshua Vaughn
Choreography	Jessica Moore
Costumes	Glenn Avery Breed – <i>Wardrobe Witchery</i> Rebecca Britton, Blake Waters, Morgan Carithers
Wigs/Makeup	Blake Waters, Morgan Carithers, Rebecca Britton Danielle Hamilton, Jay Glover
Set Construction/Design Shanarro	Thomas Rowell, Joshua Vaughn, Dawson Sellers Brianna Smith, Tyler Williams, Nicole Carrion bus Briggins-Pollard, USA Opera Theatre Students
Supertitles	Luke Smith

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