

A Conspiracy of Feelings
for Chamber Orchestra

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A Conspiracy of Feelings (2022)

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Written for the *HELIX!* New Music Ensemble

Instrumentation:

- Flute
- Oboe
- Clarinet in B $\flat$ (dbls Bass Clarinet)
- Bassoon
- Horn in F
- Trumpet in B $\flat$
- 1 Percussionist:
 - Marimba (5.0)
 - Crash Cymbal
 - Suspended Cymbal
 - Bass Drum
 - Tam-Tam
- Piano
- Violin I
- Violin II
- Viola
- Cello
- Double Bass

Percussion Key

Percussion

The diagram shows a single staff with a key signature of one flat (B $\flat$). The notes and symbols are as follows:

- First measure: A half note on the first line (F $\sharp$ 4).
- Second measure: A quarter note on the second line (G4).
- Third measure: A quarter rest, with an 'x' symbol above the staff.
- Fourth measure: A quarter rest, with an 'x' symbol above the staff.

Labels above the staff: "Tam-Tam" is positioned above the first measure, and "Sus. Cymbal" is positioned above the third and fourth measures.

Labels below the staff: "Bass Drum" is positioned below the second measure, and "Clash Cymbal" is positioned below the fourth measure.

“Let’s drink, Kavalero**v**,” said Ivan. “We’ll drink, Kavalero**v**, to youth, which has passed, to the conspiracy of feelings, which has collapsed, to the machine, which is not and will not be....” -
Ivan Babichev, from Yuri Olesha's *Envy*

Performance Time: approx. 6' 15"

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This page of a musical score, likely for a symphony, features a variety of instruments and their corresponding parts. The staves are arranged vertically, with the following instruments and parts from top to bottom:

- Fl. (Flute):** The first staff, starting at measure 15. It features a melodic line with dynamics *mf*, *f*, *pp*, and *p*.
- Ob. (Oboe):** The second staff, also starting at measure 15. It features a melodic line with dynamics *mf*, *f*, *pp*, and *p*.
- Cl. in Bb (Clarinet in Bb):** The third staff, starting at measure 15. It features a melodic line with dynamics *mf* and *f*. A note at measure 15 is marked "To B. Cl." (To Bass Clarinet).
- Bsn (Bassoon):** The fourth staff, starting at measure 15. It features a melodic line with dynamics *p* and *f*.
- F. Hn in F (French Horn in F):** The fifth staff, starting at measure 15. It features a melodic line with dynamics *p* and *f*.
- Tpt in Bb (Trumpet in Bb):** The sixth staff, starting at measure 15. It features a melodic line with dynamics *p* and *f*.
- Perc. (Percussion):** The seventh staff, starting at measure 15. It features a rhythmic line with dynamics *f*, *mf*, *p*, *mf*, and *ppp*.
- Pno (Piano):** The eighth staff, starting at measure 15. It features a complex harmonic and rhythmic accompaniment with dynamics *f*, *molto espressivo*, and *f*.
- Vln I (Violin I):** The ninth staff, starting at measure 15. It features a melodic line with dynamics *p* and *f*.
- Vln II (Violin II):** The tenth staff, starting at measure 15. It features a melodic line with dynamics *p* and *f*.
- Vla (Viola):** The eleventh staff, starting at measure 15. It features a melodic line with dynamics *p* and *f*.
- Vc. (Violoncello):** The twelfth staff, starting at measure 15. It features a melodic line with dynamics *p* and *f*.
- D. B. (Double Bass):** The thirteenth staff, starting at measure 15. It features a melodic line with dynamics *p* and *f*.

The score includes various musical notations such as notes, rests, dynamics (*mf*, *f*, *pp*, *p*, *fpp*, *fp*), and articulation marks. The page is numbered 15 in the top left corner.

B

19

Fl. *f*

Ob. *mf*

B. Cl. *fff*

Bsn *fff*

F. Hn in F *fff* *cuivré*

Tpt in Bb *mf*

Perc. *ff*

Pno *fff*

Vln I *B*

Vln II

Vla *f*

Vc. *f* *ff*

D. B. *f*

The musical score for page 7, section B, is written for a large ensemble. The key signature has one flat (Bb), and the time signature is 2/4. The score begins at measure 19. The Flute part starts with a forte (*f*) dynamic. The Oboe part starts with a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic. The Bass Clarinet and Bassoon parts start with fortissimo (*fff*) dynamics. The French Horn in F part starts with a fortissimo (*fff*) dynamic and is marked *cuivré*. The Trumpet in Bb part starts with a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic. The Percussion part starts with a fortissimo (*ff*) dynamic. The Piano part starts with a fortissimo (*fff*) dynamic. The Violin I part starts with a fortissimo (*f*) dynamic. The Violin II part starts with a fortissimo (*f*) dynamic. The Viola part starts with a fortissimo (*f*) dynamic. The Violoncello part starts with a fortissimo (*f*) dynamic. The Double Bass part starts with a fortissimo (*f*) dynamic. The score includes various musical notations such as notes, rests, beams, and articulation marks. There are also dynamic markings like *f*, *mf*, *fff*, and *ff*. The section B is marked with a box containing the letter B.

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35

Fl.

acc^{el}. ♩ = 96

p *pp* *sub. f*

Ob.

p *ff* *f*

Cl. in Bb

p *f* *p*

Bsn

F. Hn in F

f *mp* *sub. mf* *ff* *ff*

Tpt in Bb

p *f*

Mar.

Pno

Vln I

acc^{el}. ♩ = 96

f *f* *p* *f*

Vln II

f *f* *p* *f*

Vla

f *f* *p* *f*

Vc.

f *f* *p* *f*

D. B.

f *f* *p* *f*

40

Fl.

Ob.

Cl. in Bb

Bsn

F. Hn in F

Tpt in Bb

Mar.

Pno

Vln I

Vln II

Vla

Vc.

D. B.

mp

mf

f

rit.

f

Red.

mf

p

f

Red.

49 **F** ♩ = 80

Fl. *p* *mf* *sub. f* *sub. ff* *p* *pp* *p* *rit.*

Ob. *p* *mf* *sub. f* *sub. ff* *p* *pp* *p*

B. Cl. *p* *mf* *sub. f* *sub. ff* *p* *pp* *p*

Bsn *p* *mf* *sub. f* *sub. ff* *p* *pp* *p*

F. Hn in F *pp* *mf* *ff* *p* *mp*

Tpt in Bb *pp* *f* *mf* *p* *mp*

Perc. *f* *To Mar.* *ff* *mf* *To Perc.*

Pno *ff* *mf* *Sost.*

Vln I *sub. p* *mf* *sub. f* *p* *mp* *rit.*

Vln II *sub. p* *mf* *sub. f* *p* *mp*

Vla *sub. p* *mf* *sub. f* *pp* *p*

Vc. *sub. p* *mf* *sub. f* *ff* *p* *pp* *p*

D. B. *sub. p* *mf* *sub. f* *ff* *p* *pp* *p*

G

56 **accel.** ♩ = 69 **Molto Rubato rit.**

Fl.

Ob.

B. Cl.

Bsn

F. Hn in F

Tpt in Bb

Perc.

Perc.

Pno

Vln I

Vln II

Vla

Vc.

D. B.

To Cl. in Bb

mp

pp *mp* *sub. pp*

mp

p

p

pp

mf

mp *f*

mf

pp

f

mf

pp

f

mf

pp

p

pp

f

G

accel. ♩ = 69 **Molto Rubato rit.**

pizz.

pizz.

pizz.

arco

pizz.

62 **accel.**

Fl. *pp fpp* *mf*

Ob. *pp fpp*

Cl. in Bb *fpp* *pp* *mf*

Bsn *mf > p* *pp fpp*

F. Hn in F *p* *mp*

Tpt in Bb *p* 3

To Mar.

Perc.

Pno *p* *pp* *mf* 3

Vln I *arco* *pp fpp* *mf* *accel.* 3

Vln II *arco* *pp fpp* *mf* 3

Vla *arco* *pp fpp* *mf* *mp*

Vc. *pp fpp* *mf* 3

D. B. *arco* *pp fpp* *mf* *p*

H

Interally Quick ♩ = 126

67

Fl.

Ob.

Cl. in Bb

Bsn

F. Hn in F

Tpt in Bb

Mar.

Pno

Vln I

Vln II

Vla

Vc.

D. B.

pp

pp

pp

pp

pp

pp

mf

mf

pp

pp

mf

mf

mp

una corda

mf

mp

p

f

mf

p

f

mf

Mar.
Rubber Mallets

72

Fl.

Ob.

Cl. in Bb

Bsn

F. Hn in F

Tpt in Bb

Mar.

Pno

(u.c.)

Vln I

Vln II

Vla

Vc.

D. B.

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Fl.

Ob.

Cl. in Bb

Bsn

F. Hn in F

Tpt in Bb

Mar.

Pno

(u.c.)

Vln I

Vln II

Vla

Vc.

D. B.

f *sub. p* *f* *sub. p*

82

Fl.

Ob.

Cl. in Bb

Bsn

F. Hn in F

Tpt in Bb

Mar.

Pno

(u.c.)

Vln I

Vln II

Vla

Vc.

D. B.

mp

f

p

ff

sub. p

ppp

mf

To Perc.

Perc.

open

I

88

Fl.

Ob.

Cl. in Bb

Bsn

F. Hn in F

Tpt in Bb

Mar.

To Mar.

mp *f* *mp*

Pno

mp *f* *mp*

Vln I

Vln II

Vla

ff

Vc.

molto espressivo ff

D. B.

97

Fl.

Ob.

Cl. in Bb

Bsn

F. Hn in F

Tpt in Bb

Mar.

Pno

Vln I

Vln II

Vla

Vc.

D. B.

p

mp

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sub. p

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ff

duet molto espressivo

sul pont.

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