

Matthew Larson

Percussion Faculty, Joint Music Program

Matthew Larson was appointed the director of the Case Western Reserve University Percussion Ensemble in 2014 and has been the Cleveland Institute of Music percussion teacher at CWRU since 2010. Larson is the principal percussionist of the West Virginia Symphony Orchestra and percussionist with the Erie Philharmonic. He has also performed with The Cleveland Orchestra, Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra, Detroit Symphony Orchestra, Buffalo Philharmonic, Akron Symphony Orchestra, Canton Symphony Orchestra, Blossom Festival Band and Blossom Festival Orchestra. As an extra with The Cleveland Orchestra, Larson has performed several concerts at Carnegie Hall in New York City.

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