



**MARK SUNKETT:
A MUSICAL
CELEBRATION**

**ENSEMBLE SERIES
KATZIN CONCERT HALL
NOVEMBER 25, 2014 • 7:30 PM**

MUSIC

ASU Herberger Institute
FOR DESIGN AND THE ARTS

ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY

Dr. Mark Ellis Sunkett was born April 19, 1949 in Philadelphia, PA and passed away June 26th, 2014 in Mesa, AZ. Mark grew up in Philadelphia and received degrees from The Curtis Institute of Music, Temple University and the University of Pittsburgh where he earned a PhD in Ethnomusicology. As a percussionist, he performed with the Philadelphia Orchestra, the Philadelphia Ballet and Opera Orchestras, "The President's Own" United States Marine Band, the Phoenix Symphony, Ballet Arizona and Arizona Opera.

A member of our School of Music faculty since 1976, Dr. Sunkett contributed greatly to our school, our community, and to his discipline. Dr. Sunkett's areas of research were African-American and African music, percussion practices and aesthetics. His "Drums of Senegal" project documented the rhythms, history, and performance practices among the various ethnic groups in Senegal, and contributed greatly to our understanding of the rituals and traditions of this music.

Program

ASU African Drum Ensemble

- Gna Nui Mom** Traditional
ASU Baak Dr. Mark Sunkett
A Friend Remembers Paul McDermand
Rose Rhythm Doudou N'Diaye Rose
Ceebu Jën Traditional

There will be a 10-minute intermission

ASU Percussion Jazz Ensemble

- Tempe Blues** Mark Sunkett
Sorcerer's Apprentice Full Circle, arr. Sunkett
A Friend Remembers James DeMars
Stolen Moments Oliver Nelson, arr. Sunkett
Serengetti Dance John Blake, arr. Sunkett

Out of respect for the performers and those audience members around you, please turn all beepers, cell phones and watches to their silent mode. Thank you.



African Drum Ensemble

Danielle Moreau, director

Josh Aguirre, Lisa Atkinson, Cindi Glidden-Tracey,
Bryan Hummel, Parker Mann, Emily Okamura,
Arian Robinson, Ataiyo Viafora, Trevor Williamson,
Cory Woodrow

Percussion Jazz Ensemble

J. B. Smith, director

Grace Chaisson, Scott Corell, Tehvon Fowler-Chapman,
Alex Fragiskatos, Bryan Hummel, Parker Mann,
Sean Mireau, Danielle Moreau, Tom Murphy,
Doug Nottingham, Jesse Parker, Mike Richau,
Sandy Schaefer, James Taylor

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