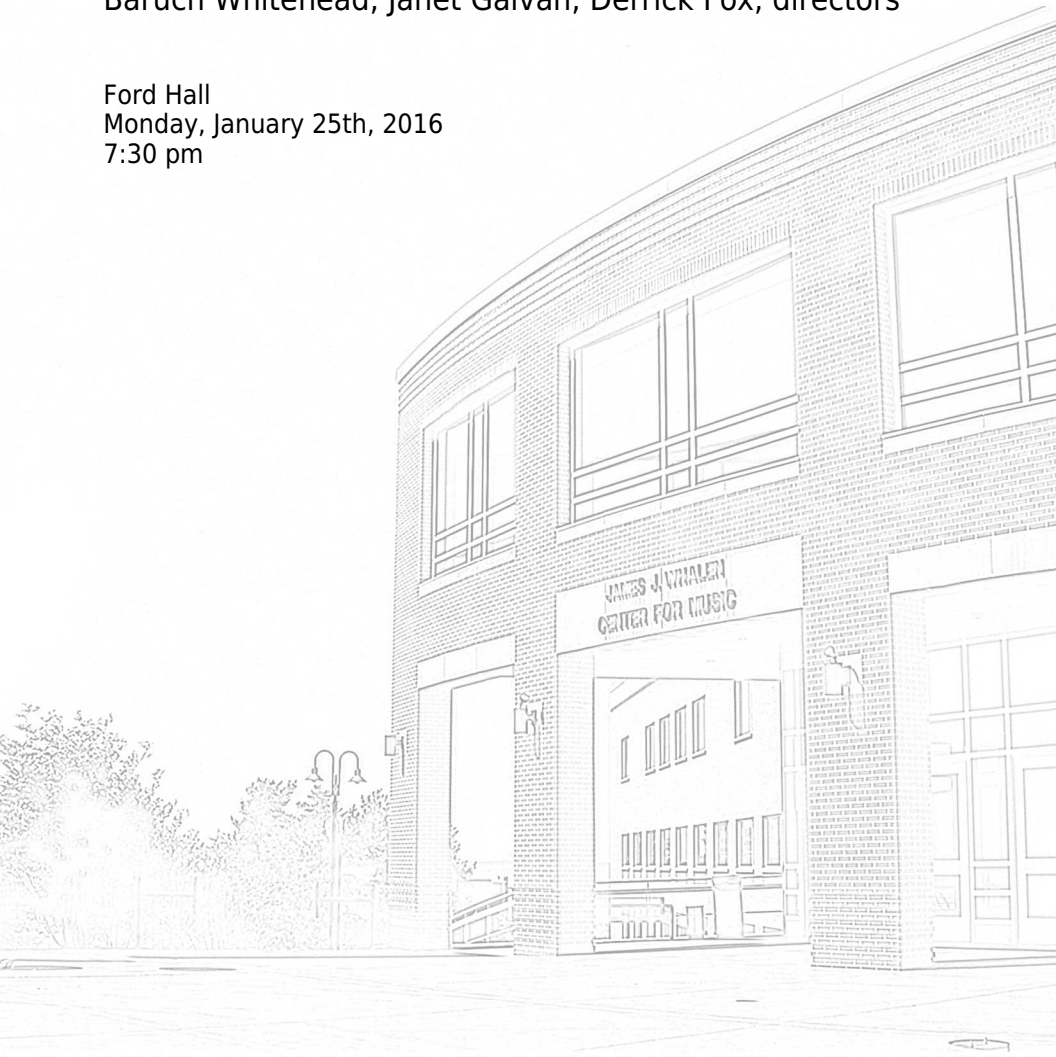


# A Concert in Honor of Martin Luther King Jr.

## Conscience asks the Question

Baruch Whitehead, Janet Galván, Derrick Fox, directors

Ford Hall  
Monday, January 25th, 2016  
7:30 pm



**ITHACA COLLEGE**

School of Music

# Program

## Welcome and Opening Remarks Karl Paulnack, Dean of the School of Music

Witness

*Ithaca College Chorus  
Derrick Fox, conductor*

arr. Stacey V. Gibbs

*Soloists:  
Emma McDermott-Wise  
Josiah Spellmen  
Shaun Rimkunas  
Carmen Vieytez  
Anna Marcus-Hecht*

## Conscience asks the Question by Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. 1929-1968

Three Traditional Spirituals

Nobody Knows  
It's Me Oh Lord  
Swing Low Sweet Chariot

*Pablo Cohen, guitar*

arr. Denis Mortagne

City Called Heaven

*Ithaca College Choir  
Janet Galván, conductor*

arr. Josephine Poelintiz

*Soloists:  
Heather Barnes  
Joshua Dufour  
D'quan Tyson*

Ezekiel Saw de Wheel

*Ithaca College Choir  
Janet Galván, conductor*

arr. William Dawson

**Remarks**  
**Namarah McCall**  
**Class of 2016, Music, Voice (BA)**

I Wanna Be Ready

James Miller

*Dorothy Cotton Jubilee Singers  
Baruch Whitehead, conductor*

*Soloist:  
Juliana Child*

I'll Never Turn Back No Mo'

arr. Hall Johnson

*Dorothy Cotton Jubilee Singers  
Baruch Whitehead, conductor*

*Soloists:  
Josiah Spellman  
Jessie Baldassari  
D'Laney Bowry*

## **Remarks**

**Roger Richardson**

**Associate Provost Diversity, Inclusion & Engagement, Provost  
and Educational Affairs**

Strange Fruit

Abel Meeropol

*John Holiday, counter-tenor*

What's Going On

Al Cleveland, Renaldo Benson,  
Marvin Gaye

*Dwight Carroll, guitar  
John White, piano*

A Knock at the Door

Tenzin Chopak  
(b.1976)

*Tenzin Chopak, voice & guitar  
Nicholas Walker, double bass*

Bo Bo Bo

traditional Ewe recreational piece

*Ithaca College African Drumming and Dance Ensemble  
Baruch Whitehead, director*

*Michael Stern, trumpet*

*Courage is an inner resolution to go forward despite obstacles.  
Cowardice is submissive surrender to circumstances.  
Courage breeds creativity; Cowardice represses fear and is  
mastered by it.*

*Cowardice asks the question, is it safe?*

*Expediency ask the question, is it politic?*

*Vanity asks the question, is it popular?*

*But, conscience asks the question, is it right? And there comes  
a time when we must take a position that is neither safe, nor  
politic, nor popular, but one must take it because it is right."*

- - **Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.**