



Luis Garay Percussion World

The Passion and Inspiration of the Drum

LUIS GARAY PERCUSSION WORLD ENSEMBLE was conceived in 1996 in Washington D.C. This multicultural ensemble is comprised of four world class percussionists specializing in the exhilarating rhythms of the Americas and Africa.

The Passion and Inspiration of the Drum, is an educational and entertaining musical journey with a blend of South American, Caribbean, and African rhythms. The audience was introduced to many exotic instruments such as the balofone, djembe, steel drum and talking drum, and also to the more familiar congas, bongos, timbales, marimba, cuica, cajon, and drum set. The audience participated throughout the performance as they clapped authentic rhythms from different cultures and also played on the actual instruments.

This was a highly interactive performance that captivated the students and teachers alike with the passionate and inspiring drumming.



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