



MICHAEL HALL • MUSIC DIRECTOR

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“Hall’s allegros were brisk, sculpted, crisp. In some of the quiet, slow moments, Hall dared to be extra quiet and extra slow, striking a mood but always keeping the line.” Timothy Mangan **The Orange County Register**

Recognized for his musically distinguished performances, Michael Hall is now in his second season as Music Director of the Southwest Florida Symphony. He has held the positions of Associate Conductor with the Pacific Symphony in California and the Havant Symphony Orchestra in the UK, as well as Resident Conductor with the Winnipeg Symphony Orchestra.

Hall’s numerous guest appearances include some of the finest orchestras in North America, including the Houston Symphony, the Toronto Symphony, the Vancouver Symphony, the Toledo Symphony, the Northeastern Pennsylvania Philharmonic, the Windsor Symphony as well as the Manitoba Chamber Orchestra. The 2008-09 season includes a re-invitation to the Tucson Symphony.

Hall holds a Masters degree in conducting from the University of Michigan, and a DipRAM from the Royal Academy of Music in London where he worked with Sir Colin Davis. He was a finalist in the 2003 International Conducting Competition in Besançon France, and was awarded Third Prize in the 2004 Cadaques Orchestra International Conducting Competition in Spain.