

Teresa McCollough: Playing and Teaching the Music of Our Time

Repertoire suggestions for programming contemporary piano music:

Easy to Moderate:

Bela Bartok	Mikrokosmos Romanian Folk Dances
Luciano Berio	Brin (from Six Encores)
Leonard Bernstein	Anniversaries
Martin Bresnick	Prayers Remain Forever
John Cage	Suite for Toy Piano In A Landscape
	<i>for prepared piano:</i>
	Music for Marcel Duchamp A Valentine Out of Season Sonatas and Interludes
Henry Cowell	Aeolian Harp <i>The Tides of Manaunaun</i> The Banshee
Aaron Copland	Sentimental Melody Down a Country Lane The Cat and the Mouse
Morton Feldman	Last Pieces <i>Palais de Mari</i> Intermission 6
Philip Glass	Truman Sleeps
Charles Griffin	Vernacular Dances #2*
Lou Harrison	Six Sonatas for Cembalo A Summerfield Set
Charles Ives	Some Southpaw Pitching
Alvin Lucier	Nothing is Real (for piano, amplified teapot and recorder)
Henry Martin	Little Preludes and Fugues
Elizabeth Pizer	Strains and Restraints*
David Rakowski	Etudes (Majors)
Belinda Reynolds	Custom Made (duets)
Carl Ruggles	Four Evocations
Arnold Schoenberg	Six Little Pieces, Op.19
Anne Silsbee	Doors
Alvin Singleton	Changing Faces

Moderate to Advanced:

John Adams	Phrygian Gates China Gates Excursions Out of Doors Suite Leaf, Wasserklavier) Queen of Heaven (for piano and electronics) Etudes (selections) Folio (selections) Two Pieces 1946 The Seasons
Samuel Barber	
Bela Bartok	
Luciano Berio	
Scott Blasco	
William Bolcom	
Earle Brown	
John Cage	
	<i>for prepared piano:</i>
David Conte	Baccanale The Perilous Night Sonatas and Interludes Fantasy for Solo Piano
Aaron Copland	Passacaglia
Ruth Crawford	Preludes #6-9
George Crumb	Makrokosmos A Little Suite for Xmas Toccata
Emma Lou Diemer	Solo
Lukas Foss	Vernacular Dances (#1&3)*
Charles Griffin	Sandhill Crane (Migration Variations)*
Steve Heitzeg	Three Page Sonata Concord Sonata (Alcotts) Etudes (selections) Old and Lost Rivers Etude: Nocturnal*
Charles Ives	Three Pieces, Op.11 Piano Suite, No.1 Sonata No.2, Op.121*
Gyorgi Ligeti	Rain Tree Sketch <i>Les yeux clos</i> Sonatas
Tobias Picker	
David Rakowski	
Arnold Schoenberg	Variations for Piano, Op.25
Alex Shapiro	
Tomas Svoboda	
Toru Takemitsu	
Galina Ustvolskaya	
Anton Webern	

Advanced to Difficult:

Samuel Barber	Sonata
Bela Bartok	Sonata
Luciano Berio	Sequenza IV <i>Cinque Variazioni</i> Premiere Sonata
Pierre Boulez	Ishi's Song
Martin Bresnick	Piano Sonata Night Fantasies
Elliott Carter	Piano Sonata Piano Variations
Aaron Copland	Second Sonata Third Sonata Piano Concerto
Alberto Ginastera	Basic Training Riff and Transfiguration
Lou Harrison	Sonata No. 1 Concord Sonata
Lee Hyla	Gargoyles Prelude & Fugue in G Major*
Charles Ives	<i>Vingt Regards sur l'enfant Jesu</i> Into the Maelstrom (for piano and tape)
Lowell Liebermann	Sonatina
Henry Martin	Noise + Mobile (piano + tape)
Olivier Messiaen	Etudes: Bam!*; Close Enough for Jazz* (various)
James Mobberley	Four North American Ballades The People United
Conlon Noncarrow	Second Sonata Third Sonata Five Pieces for Piano
Sam Pluta	Sonata for Piano*
David Rakowski	In My Own Skin Piano Sonata
Frederic Rzewski	The Rite of Spring (for two pianos)
Roger Sessions	
Alex Shapiro	
Alvin Singleton	
Igor Stravinsky	

*recorded by Teresa McCollough