

David Coash

Percussionist David Coash has been a member of the Florida Orchestra, in Tampa, Florida since 1978. Dr. Coash received his Doctorate degree from the University of Michigan and holds a Masters Degree from Northwestern University, and degrees from the University of South Florida. Dr. Coash is currently the Principal Percussionist with the Lake George Opera and is the co-founder and director of Spectrum Contemporary Ensemble. He has been a member of the Brass Band of Battle Creek since 1994. He has performed with the London Symphony (1999), with the Detroit Symphony (1994) and in 2001 and 2002 he served as Timpanist for the Eisenstadter Sommerakademie in Eisenstadt, Austria. Dr. Coash has also performed at the Bowdoin Music Festival (1996) and at Music at Gretna, (1995 & 97) and at the Pine Mountain Music Festival (1997). Dr. Coash has appeared on several recordings with the Florida Orchestra, The Brass Band of Battle Creek, Chuck Owen's *Jazz Surge* and *Equilibrium*. He is a member of Bogus Pomp, an ensemble dedicated to the performance of the music of Frank Zappa. Dr. Coash has been a member of The University of Tampa in Tampa faculty since 1983.