## Chamber Music America

## **Ensemble: Ben Goldberg Quintet**

Bandleader: Ben Goldberg

## Ensemble members:

NAME	INSTRUMENT
Ben Goldberg	Clarinet
Carla Kihlstedt	Violin
Rob Sudduth	Tenor saxophone
Devin Hoff	Bass
Ches Smith	Drums
Kenny Wollesen	Vibraphone
Ron Miles	Trumpet
Nels Cline	Guitar
Michelle Kwan	Cello

Title of Work: Orphic Machine
Composer: Ben Goldberg
Date completed: In progress
Work Length (minutes): 40 minutes

## Work Description (Include information about your premiere concerts):

This is a large-scale piece based upon "Summa Lyrica: A Primer of the Commonplaces in Speculative Poetics," by Allen Grossman. The work will consist of multiple movements and will be scored for quintet (violin, clarinet, tenor saxophone, bass, drums) and four additional musicians (trumpet, cello, guitar, vibraphone). The premiere will take place March 4, 2012 at Freight and Salvage in Berkeley, California, as part of the Berkeley Jewish Music Festival.

Recording (CD title/label and other related info):

To be recorded for release on BAG Production records

Technical Requirements/Specs:

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