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How culture affects music
topic for Laurier lecture

Bruno Nettl, a Prague-born professor of music and anthropology at the University of Illinois, will discuss the effect of culture on the music of three cities in a lecture Sept. 23 at Wilfrid Laurier University.

The three cities are Detroit, Tehran and Madras-- all greatly different from each other, but all affected in different ways by their surrounding cultures. Nettl will speak in Room 1E1 of the Arts and Science building at 8 p.m.

Nettl is the first of five distinguished academics who will take part in this year's Laurier Lecture Series, following the successful lecture series introduced during the university's 75th anniversary celebrations last year.

Prof. Nettl has written 13 books and 230 articles in the field of ethnomusicology, and travels widely presenting lectures on campuses throughout the world.

The Laurier lectures are open to all and are offered without charge.

The general title for the series is Endangered Worlds: testaments to peoples and places discovered, threatened, and destroyed.