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**SUU's DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC PRESENTS**  
**TANG BING, FRENCH HORN, IN RECITAL**  
**OCTOBER 9, 2015**

**Southern Utah University, Cedar City, Utah:** A renowned musician who has performed throughout China makes his Utah debut at **Southern Utah University**. **Dr. Keith Bradshaw**, Chair of SUU's Department of Music, is pleased to announce and present French Horn player **Tang Bing** in recital. This distinguished performer will be joined in recital by members of SUU's music faculty including **Dr. Christian Bohnenstengel** on piano, **Dr. Adam Lambert** on trumpet, Adjunct Professor of Music **Michelle Lambert** on trombone, and **Dr. Xun Sun**, violin. The recital starts at **7:30pm** on Friday, **October 9** in **Thorley Recital Hall** within SUU's Music Building. The performance is **free** and open to the public.

For his recital, Mr. Tang and the SUU faculty ensemble perform "Concerto for Horn Op. 8" by Franz Strauss, "Sonata for Horn and Piano" by Paul Hindesmith, and "Trio for Violin, Horn and Piano, KV 407" by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart.

Virtuoso French horn performer, **Tang Bing**, currently serves as professor of music at Arts College of RenMin University of China in Beijing. Recognized as the National First-Rank of Music Performer of China Philharmonic, Mr. Tang is a member of the International Association of Horn, and Chinese Musicians Association.

Since 1983, Mr. Tang has worked in the Shanghai Symphony Orchestra, China Broadcasting Symphony Orchestra and Central Orchestra. In 1989 he served as the Principal Horn in the China National Opera House Orchestra, and, since 1996, has worked with the China Radio Symphony Orchestra as Principal Horn. Mr. Tang gave numerous performances around the world, including the United States, Europe, Japan, South Korea, Indonesia, Hong Kong, Macau, Taiwan and more.

In 1972, Mr. Tang was admitted by the Precollege of Wuhan Conservatory of Music to study with Professor Qian, WanYao and Liang, Pei. He was accepted at Wuhan Conservatory and then furthered his studies at Central Conservatory with Professor Xia, ZhiQiu and He, Zong. After receiving his Bachelors of Art Degree, he joined the Wuhan Conservatory of Music as youngest faculty member. In 1986, Mr. Tang won first prize at China's National Horn Competition.

As one of the most outstanding Horn educators in China, Mr. Tang has published numerous articles in national academic journals and two of his articles received high praise at China's National Horn Conferences. Throughout his career, Mr. Tang has not only performed symphonic works, but also performed dozens of famous opera productions under the direction of many renewed national and international conductors.

Don't miss this opportunity to experience a gifted artist on the French Horn performing classic repertoire. For more information on the SUU College of Performing and Visual Arts events, please visit [www.suu.edu/pva/arts](http://www.suu.edu/pva/arts).

#### **ABOUT THE COLLEGE**

The Southern Utah University College of Performing and Visual Arts is comprised of nationally accredited departments of Art and Design, Music, Theatre Arts and Dance, as well as a Center for Shakespeare Studies and a graduate program in Arts Administration. The College offers 16 different degree areas, including liberal arts Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science degrees; professional Bachelor of Music and Bachelor of Fine Arts in art and theatre degrees; and a Master of Fine Arts in Arts Administration degree. The Center for Shakespeare Studies offers a minor in Shakespeare Studies. More than 60 full- and part-time faculty and staff are engaged in teaching and mentoring over 550 majors in the College. Over 1100 students enroll each year in over 195 arts classes on the SUU campus. The College presents 100 performances, lectures, presentations, and exhibitions each year. The College's affiliate organizations include the Braithwaite Fine Arts Gallery, Utah Shakespeare Festival, and the SUU Ballroom Dance Company. For more information about the College of Performing and Visual Arts, visit [www.suu.edu/pva/arts](http://www.suu.edu/pva/arts).

#### **FOR CALENDAR EDITORS: TANG BING, FRENCH HORN, IN RECITAL**

- WHAT:** A renowned French Horn player from China, Tang Bing comes to Southern Utah University and performs a free recital performing works by Mozart, Hindesmith and Strauss.
- WHO:** Southern Utah University, College of Performing and Visual Arts, Department of Music
- WHEN:** Friday, October 9, 2015 @ 7:30pm
- WHERE:** Thorley Recital Hall, Music Building, Southern Utah University, Cedar City, UT

**INFO:** [www.suu.edu/pva/arts](http://www.suu.edu/pva/arts)

**PRICES:** Free and the General Public is encouraged to attend.