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**SUU's WIND SYMPHONY GOES ON TOUR
TO PROVO AND AMERICAN FORK
WITH "ANGELS IN THE ARCHITECTURE" CONCERT
APRIL 2 & 3, 2015**

Southern Utah University, Cedar City, Utah: SUU's Wind Symphony takes to the road with two performances of its spring concert, *Angels in the Architecture*. On **Thursday, April 2**, the Wind Symphony performs their program at the **Provo High School Auditorium**, then on **Friday, April 3**, the tour finds the SUU musicians performing at the **American Fork Junior High School Auditorium**. Both performances begin at **7:30pm** and are **free and open to the public**.

Under the direction of **Dr. Adam Lambert**, the **Wind Symphony's** concert takes its title from Frank Ticheli's atmospheric composition "Angels in the Architecture." The evening's program also features the SUU Wind Symphony performing Frank Erickson's "Overture Jubiloso," Takafumi Maki's "Second Wind Gallop," Frank Ticheli's symphonic arrangement of the classic hymn "Amazing Grace," Percy Grainger's "Down Longford Way," Alfred Reed's "Punchinello," and Samul Hazo's "Ride." Of special interest to popular culture devotees, the program includes "Star Wars (Main Theme)" by award-winning American composer John Williams.

Dr. Adam Lambert, Director of Bands and Brass Studies, at Southern Utah University in Cedar City, has directed the band and brass programs at Chadron State College in Nebraska, where he conducted the Wind Symphony, Symphonic Band, and Athletic Bands and coordinated the brass studio.

As a trumpet soloist and an active member of the Nebraska Arts Council, Adam has given performances at many colleges and universities throughout the Midwest, including the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Wayne State College, the University of Wyoming, Northwest College, and Colorado State University. He holds degrees in music education from Brigham Young University and a doctorate in trumpet

performance from the University of North Texas (UNT). He has given clinics and guest-conducted at many events, colleges, and universities throughout the western and Midwestern United States.

Adam is an active trumpet educator, performer, and clinician in both classical and jazz. He was the director of bands at Provo High School in Provo, Utah, from 1997 to 2002. He was awarded a Teaching Fellowship at UNT from 2002 to 2005. Adam performed and recorded with the University of North Texas Wind Symphony under the direction of Eugene Corporon and appears on several recordings featured by the UNT Wind Symphony on the series Teaching Music through Performance. He has performed as a professional jazz musician at many major jazz festivals, including the Snow Bird Jazz Festival, the Park City Jazz Festival, and the Salt Lake City Jazz Festival. Adam is a Bach trumpet artist and clinician for the Conn-Selmer Corporation.

The SUU Wind Symphony is an auditioned ensemble made up of the top wind and percussion students at SUU. The ensemble is committed to the performance of the highest quality contemporary and traditional works in the wind band repertoire. Innovative concerts, adventurous programming, and high-level music-making are the hallmarks of this select ensemble. This group is open to students of any major by audition. For more information about auditioning for the Wind Symphony, please contact Dr. Adam Lambert, Director of Bands, at adamlambert@suu.edu or (435) 865-8160.

Join Dr. Adam Lambert and the SUU Wind Symphony for these special performances. For more information on the SUU College of Performing and Visual Arts events, please visit www.suu.edu/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 the new 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, contact the Office of the Dean (435) 865-8561, or by e-mail at cpvamktg@suu.edu.

FOR CALENDAR EDITORS: ANGELS IN THE ARCHITECTURE, SUU WIND SYMPHONY ON TOUR

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WHEN: Provo: Thursday, April 2, 2015
American Fork: Friday, April 3, 2015

TIME: 7:30pm

WHERE: Apr. 2: Provo High School Auditorium, Provo, UT
Apr. 3: American Fork Junior High School Auditorium, American Fork, UT

TICKETS: Free and open to the public.

INFO: www.suu.edu/pva/arts