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The SUU Wind Symphony Concert Plays Its Way To The Heritage Center

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Southern Utah University, Cedar City, Utah: Let the autumn winds whisk you to the SUU Wind Symphony Concert at the Heritage Center this Friday, October 28, at 7:30 pm. Come and enjoy an evening of music, featuring the exciting, upbeat compositions of John Williams' *The Cowboys* and Ron Nelson's *Rocky Point Holiday*. It will also include beautiful, sonorous music, such as *O Magnum Mysterium* by Morten Lauridsen, translated by H. Robert Reynolds, and *Rhosymedre* by Vaughan Williams.

The SUU Wind Symphony is an auditioned group consisting of Music Majors and many non-music majors. It is a 60-member ensemble consisting of some of the finest instrumental musicians on SUU's campus.

The name of the group, The Wind Symphony, refers to the method through which much of this music is created. A wind instrument produces sound by the vibration of air, typically from a player blowing into the instrument. The Wind Symphony takes their musical product beyond the traditional stylings of a concert band to create sounds and textures much like a symphony orchestra, but with wind instruments rather than string instruments.

The SUU Wind Symphony Concert will be an evening of both lively and ethereal music that can be enjoyed by the whole family. Don't miss your chance to experience the musical stylings of this talented group of students! Tickets are \$10 for adults, \$8 for emeriti and alumni with card, \$5 for students/children. The concert is free for SUU faculty, staff, and students with ID.

About the College of Performing and Visual Arts

The Southern Utah University College of Performing and Visual Arts is comprised of nationally accredited departments of Art and Design, Music, and Dance. The College also offers programs in Theatre Arts, graduate programs in Arts Administration and Music, as well as a Center for Shakespeare Studies. 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 Master of Fine Arts in Arts Administration, Master of Arts in Arts Administration, Master of Music Education and Master of Music in Music Technology

graduate degrees. More than 60 full- and part-time faculty and staff are engaged in teaching and mentoring nearly 600 majors in the College. Over 1,100 students enroll each year in over 195 arts classes on the SUU campus. The College presents over 100 performances, lectures, presentations, and exhibitions each year. The College's affiliate organizations include the Southern Utah Museum of Art (SUMA), Utah Shakespeare Festival and SUU's Ballroom Dance Company. For more information about the College of Performing and Visual Arts, visit www.suu.edu/pva.

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- Who:** The SUU Wind Symphony
- When:** Friday, October 28, 2016
- Time:** 7:30 pm
- Where:** Cedar City Heritage Center, 105 N 100 E, Cedar City, Utah
- Tickets:** \$10 for adults, \$8 for Emeriti and Alumni with card, and \$5 for youth. SUU faculty, staff, and students can get in free with a valid ID card.
- Info:** Visit www.suu.edu/pva for more information.

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