Princeton University Wind Ensemble
PRESENTS:

Songs of Ice and Fire:
a Winter Concert

Monday, December 9th
Richardson Auditorium
7:30pm
Passport to the Arts Engine
Exhibits, Student Work
All children 12 and under
Welcome to the performance in the hall

Please join us for a reception downstairs directly following the performance.
In Memory of Rick F. Modica '99...

In 1996, Rick Modica ’99 began a mission to bring a wind ensemble to Princeton University. He worked for a year and had founded the Princeton University Wind Ensemble (PUWE) when he was tragically killed in a car accident in the spring of 1997. Rick will always be remembered for his commitment and dedication and his legacy will forever live in the hearts of each and every member of this ensemble.

Mission Statement

The Princeton University Wind Ensemble seeks to provide a place where university members can continue to challenge themselves to higher levels of repertoire, learn from their peers and conductor, and pursue their passion and enjoyment of music while on campus.

Songs of Fire and Ice

Program

Elsa’s Procession to the Cathedral
Richard WAGNER

Four Scottish Dances
Malcolm ARNOLD
Arranged by John P. PAYNTER

Russian Christmas Music
Alfred REED

Goddess of Fire
Steven REINEKE

INTERMISSION
QUEEN

Bohemian Rhapsody
(Saxophone Ensemble)

Festive Sounds of Hanukkah
(Flute Ensemble)
Bill HOLCOMBE and Bill
HOLCOMBE JR.

God Rest Ye Merry, Gentlemen
Arranged by Chip DAVIS

Ding Dong! Merrily on High
Arranged by Leif STRAND and
Olov HELGE

How to Train Your Dragon
John POWELL
Arranged by Sean O’LOUGHLIN

A Christmas Festival
Leroy ANDERSON

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The Princeton University Wind Ensemble

In 1996, Rick Modica '99 began a mission to bring a wind ensemble to Princeton University. He worked for a year and formed the Princeton University Wind Ensemble. Tragically, however, he was killed in a car accident while on spring break in 1997. The ensemble restarted the following year and prepared a concert in the Spring of 1998 in the University Chapel in memory of Rick. Dr. Biancosino, director of Princeton High School bands, conducted the ensemble during the premier concert. That year, the ensemble included 20 students from Princeton University and about 20 students from Princeton High School.

Since then, we have grown to over 50 members, and have continued to develop our musicianship and identity as a group. We look forward to continuing our success, exploring both challenging new repertoire as well as revisiting old favorites.

PUWE has been under the direction of Philadelphia Pops trumpet player Robert Gravener since fall 2009. Gravener brings superior musicianship and over 25 years of teaching experience to PUWE.

PUWE is an excellent musical outlet for all woodwind, brass, and percussion players at Princeton University. Students retain much control of the group and their leadership permits them to choose the direction of the ensemble, making it an ideal group for dedicated instrumentalists.

The Conductor

Robert Gravener is an accomplished professional musician who joins PUWE from the Philadelphia Pops Orchestra where he currently plays trumpet. Previously, Mr. Gravener directed the Nottingham High School Concert Band, Jazz Band and Marching Band for 25 years. Gravener is very excited about the how much PUWE has grown in the past few years, both in size and musicianship, and is looking forward to many more years of inspired music making.

Members of the Princeton University Wind Ensemble

**Flute**
Eleanor Brush
Vincent Chu
Kathi Froehlich
Corrie Kavanaugh
Enji Kim
Julia Langer
Shiyi Li
Helena Ma
Michelle Navis
Tristan Perez
Ezra Spiro
Anna Kornfeld Simpson
Brendon Vetter
Rachna Vyas

**Oboe**
Angi Dong
Stephanie Murani
Evangelie Zachos

**Clarinet**
Saisai Chen
Daniel Giff
Wendy Gu
Frank Jiang
Daniel Li
Leigh Anne Schriever
Andrew Ward
Simon Wu

**Bass Clarinet**
Benjamin Kalinsky

**Bassoon**
Michael Wagner

**Alto Saxophone**
Julie Chen
Rory Fitzpatrick
Richard Hu
Andrew Lauria
Andrew Nelson
Ebo Quansah
Ongeomaechi Uzosike
Daniel Zirkel

**Tenor Saxophone**
Aaron Schwartz
Quan Zhou

**Baritone Saxophone**
Martin Jucker
Kim Shepard

**Trumpet**
Eric Carter
Max Friedfeld
Maxwell Gollin
Bradley Neider
Natalie Weires

**French Horn**
Kevin Huang
Brittany Lopetrone
Hannah Rosenthal

**Trombone**
Noah Apthorpe
Luyu Cheng
Andrew Kim
Dennis Yi

**Euphonium**
Luke Paulsen

**Tuba**
Jieming Liu

**Percussion**
Colleen Bradley
Amy Gonzalez
Tom Morrell
Nicole Schiavone
Matt Smith
Chantal Yuen
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