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ALAYNA RINGSBY SENIOR DEGREE RECITAL CLARINET AND JAZZ PIANO

WITH
SERENA HOU, PIANO
AUBREY WILLIAMSON, FLUTE
SAM STOVER, BASS
XANDER WEBB, DRUMS
LEVI DUGGER, TRUMPET
TYLER UTTER, ALTO SAXOPHONE
LOGAN NEIFERT, TENOR SAXOPHONE

PROGRAM

Duos for Flute and Clarinet (1991)

Robert Muczynski (1929-2010)

Aubrey Williamson, flute

Andante sostenuto
Allegro risoluto
Moderato
Allegro ma non troppo
Andante molto
Allegro

Postcards from Belgium (2013)

Belgian Benevolence Culinary Delights Adventures in Bruges Theresa Martin

(b. 1979)

Sonatina for Clarinet and Piano (1957)

Bohuslav Martinu (1890-1959)

Serena Hou, piano

INTERMISSION

In Walked Bud (1947)

Sam Stover, bass Xander Webb, drums Thelonious Monk (1917-1982)

Kenny Wheeler

Onmo (1997) Kenny Wheeler (1930-2014)

Darn That Dream (1939)

Jimmy Van Heusen
(1913-1990)

(1913-1990)

Ode to St. Cecile (1975)

Mary Lou Williams (1910-1981) arr. Alayna Ringsby

Sam Stover, bass Xander Webb, drums Levi Dugger, trumpet Tyler Utter, alto sax Logan Neifert, tenor sax

ABOUT THE ARTIST

Alayna Ringsby is an Instrumental Music Education Major with a Jazz Studies emphasis. After graduation, she will student-teach in the Des Moines area.

Alayna studies clarinet at the University of Northern Iowa with Dr. Amanda McCandless. On the clarinet, she has participated in UNI ensembles such as the Wind Ensemble and Panther Marching Band. Additionally, in 2022, she was selected as a finalist for UNI's Concerto Competition and placed second in the Emerging Artists Competition.

Alayna studies jazz piano with Dr. Michael Conrad. She has played in a variety of ensembles at UNI, including Jazz Band One, and a variety of jazz combos. Additionally, she has performed with a variety of artists around the state, and is part of the lowa Women's Jazz Orchestra.

When Alayna is not playing music at UNI, she is inevitably playing music somewhere else. She is a part of the worship team at Candeo Church and Salt Company, where she often serves on piano, bass, and electric guitar. She also regularly plays piano for jam sessions in the Cedar Valley.

In the rare times that Alayna is not making music, she can often be found watching live music, biking, cooking, traveling, or drinking copious amounts of coffee.

Alayna would like to thank her current and former teachers, her family, and her friends at UNI. She would not be where she is today without their instruction and support.