## **OLD DOMINION UNIVERSITY**

Department of Music

# Student Recital

John Allgood Music Composition



Diehn Fine and Performing Arts

Chandler Recital Hall

November 9, 2015

7:30pm

# Program

Sonata for Oboe and Piano\*

John Allgood

I. Morning Music

(b. 1994)

Andrew Leoboldt, oboe Oksana Lutsyshyn, piano

Songs of Kalbasi\*

John Allgood

I. Possession

II. Dancing Tango

Cailin Gwaltney, soprano Stephen Coxe, piano

#### Suite for String Quartet

John Allgood

I. Polka

II. Waltz

III. Chorale

IV. Fugue

Allegra Havens, violin Anna Dobrzyn, violin Anastasia Migliozzi, viola Jeffrey Phelps, cello Andrey Kasparov, Conductor

John Allgood is a student of Dr. Andrey Kasparov.

This recital is given in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the Bachelor of Music Composition degree.

<sup>\*</sup>Premiere performance

# Songs of Kalbasi

## *Possession* by Sheema Kalbasi

The world of dreams and the world of reality. They collide and separate but never disconnect. They now embrace one another in sensuality. The warmth and profound feelings in admiration of each for the other. They no longer need to approach. They do not fear abundance or flammability. They are dance partners seeking possession.

#### Dancing Tango by Sheema Kalbasi

Oh, Orlando! Remember the night we danced quietly on the sands where music was played? Your words were wanderers, said quietly in the pockets of my ears.

Oh, Esphahan¹! With your turquoise blue mosques and lovers hiding under the sands

by the Zayandehrood<sup>2</sup> and its haunting blue skies. Still the words did wonders when they were said quietly

in the pockets of my ears.

Time is eternity, my dignity resides in yours and your words are wonders that I count as precious coins kept quietly in the pockets of my tears.

(These texts are used with the permission from the poet)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Esphahan is a city in Iran

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Zayandehrood is a river in Esphahan