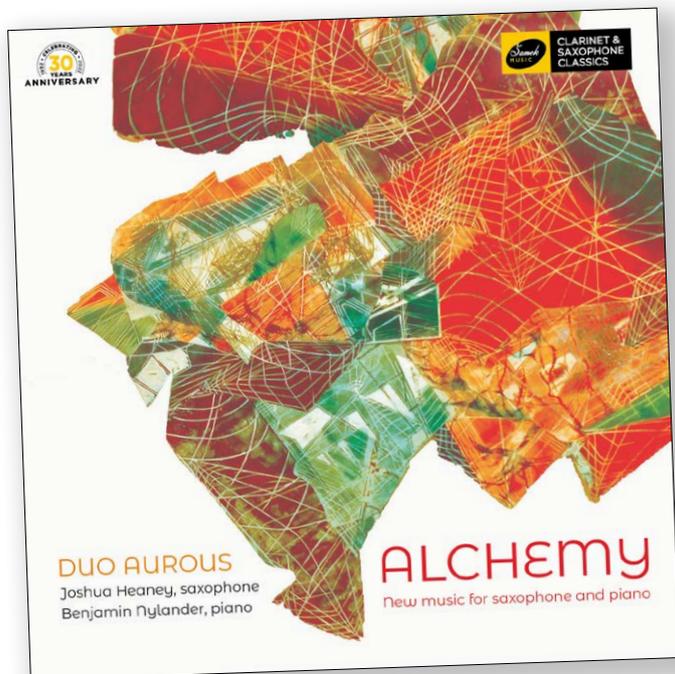


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Joshua Heaney, saxophone

Benjamin Nylander, piano

Joshua Heaney is an award-winning concert described by renowned British conductor Timothy Reynish as “extremely sensitive dynamically, with a beautiful sound,” with his novel expression, storytelling, and human connection through contemporary music. Joshua has collaborated with, commissioned, and premiered over 40 works by distinguished and emerging composers alike. He has performed throughout the United States at regional and national engagements and is regularly featured on various music series and radio programs.

Composer and pianist Benjamin Nylander draws inspiration from a background in traditional western performance and a variety of art forms including film, literature, theatre, and visual art. As a performer, Nylander has enjoyed success as both a soloist and collaborative pianist with notable performances throughout the United States as well as Japan.

1. *Distances Within Me* (1979)
John Anthony Lennon (b. 1950)
2. *Lacrimosa* (2006)
Marilyn Shrude (b. 1946)
3. *Simple Song* (2019)
Mischa Zupko (b. 1971)
4. *Body of Water* (2022)
Benjamin Nylander (b. 1997)
5. *Sanctuary* (2020)
Viet Cuong (b. 1990)

- **Joshua Heaney** is an award-winning concert saxophonist
- Featuring the intertwined relationship between saxophone and piano
- Highly idiomatic for each instrument using a wide pallet of techniques, colors, and sounds
- **John Anthony Lennon** and **Marilyn Shrude** the most esteemed names of the roster, recognized for their deep body of work and accolades.
- **Viet Cuong** and **Mischa Zupko** the most talented and distinct voices within this generation of emergent composers.
- **Benjamin Nylander** the latest generation of promising young composers and provides a glimpse into the direction of music to come.



Joshua Heaney



Benjamin Nylander

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