# Cross Road

YangMing

#### Instrumentation

Flute

Bb Clarinet (double with Bass Clarinet)

### Guzheng



Pipa



Sheng (37 keys)

Percussion

Crotales:



Temple Block, Tam-tam, Chinese Drum(medium 中堂鼓), Peking Gong(小锣)

Violin

Cello

#### Program Note

<Cross Road> is a chamber music for ensemble and two Chinese instruments, Sheng and Pipa. The piece is inspired from the of sound at the cross road where I was listening all kinds of the noise, the takings, the horn, the cellphone ring.... Based on the ideal of soundscape by Pierre Scheaffer, the raw material of the piece is the pure imitation from the horn sound of automobile and bicycles, which construct the motive of an alternative intervals on major second and major third. Moreover, two parts of the piece, the first part of the sound from outside---- the sound of the street, mixing the second part of the sound inside, represents an experience of the bustle without and the turmoil within.

#### Abbreviations and symbols

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: Change very gradually fomr one sound or way of playing to another.

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: Crescendo dal niente; Diminuendo al niente.

N.V: S.V; C.V; M.V

: Non vibrato: Senza vibrato; Ordinary vibrato; Molto vibrato.

#### For Wood Winds.

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: Flutter tongue.



: Trill with same harmonic with other fingering.



Aeloian sounds, air sound with definte pitch.

: Pizz. It is also called tongue-stops.



: Tongue-ram. It is created by closing the mouthpiece with the whole mouth, and then making a big and very rapid movement with the against the teeth. The tone which is produced will sound a major seventh below the fingered one. The easiest way is to say "HOT!" or "HT!", but only suggestions.

#### For Strings.

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: Play behind the bridge.

sp. st. po.

: Sul pont. Sul tasto. Position ordinary.



: press bow against strings.

For percussions.



Use brush to scrath the side of instruments.

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YangMing(2012.riv.2019) = 86 Bass Clarinet pp T-t. scratch the side with triangle beater stroke with brush Percussion sul pont. ord. pp sffz











































































































