



SOUTHAMPTON UNIVERSITY  
CONCERT BAND

*Presents*

# *A Concert Band Christmas*

*Sunday 3rd December*

*Turner Sims Concert Hall*

Featuring a varied programme including  
Tchaikovsky's Nutcracker Suite,  
film favourites such as Titanic and of  
course some Christmas classics!

# Committee

Welcome to Turner Sims for Southampton University Concert Band's annual Christmas concert! As a non-auditioned band, we are proud to welcome all players of woodwind, brass and percussion instruments. The band is made up of a diverse group of individuals from all kinds of backgrounds and disciplines. This term, both the band and our conductors have been working very hard and I would like to thank them all for their dedication.

I hope you enjoy the concert! — **President James Ellicott**

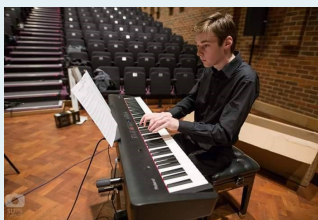


**President: James Ellicott**

Instrument: Bass Clarinet

Degree: MSc Maths

Current Year of Study: 3

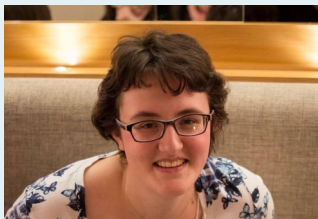


**Vice President: James Atkins**

Instrument: Trombone, Percussion, Piano

Degree: MSc Biochemistry

Current Year of Study: 3

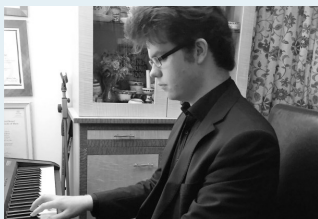


**Treasurer: Catriona Gibbon**

Instrument: Bassoon

Degree: MChem Chemistry with Maths

Current Year of Study: 4



**Librarian: Declan Flannery**

Instrument: Trombone, Piano

Degree: BA Music

Current Year of Study: 2



**Secretary: Kerry Barnard**

Instrument: Flute

Degree: MSc Environmental Science

Current Year of Study: 2



**Communications Secretary: Victoria Richards**

Instrument: Trumpet

Degree: LLB Law

Current Year of Study: 2



**Tour & Fundraising: Matt Hunt**

Instrument: Percussion

Degree: BSc Psychology

Current Year of Study: 2

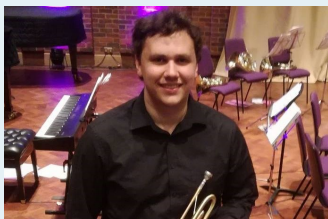


**Tour & Fundraising: Katarina Ristic**

Instrument: Flute

Degree: BA German Linguistic Studies

Current Year of Study: 2



**Social Secretary: Hugh Warden**

Instrument: Trumpet

Degree: MSc Maths with Statistics

Current Year of Study: 2



**Ordinary Member: Sheona Day**

Instrument: Flute

Degree: MPhys Physics

Current Year of Study: 4



# Conductors

## **Tim Carter:**

Tim began playing the Violin at the age of six. He joined the Royal Marines Band Service at 15 as a Saxophonist and a Violinist in Kent. Saxophone, Violin and Academic instructor at the Royal Marines School of Music, Tim was posted to the band based at HMS Collingwood in Fareham. During this posting, Tim began conducting the Southampton University Concert Band. Although not without some challenges, working with the band is a wonderful experience for Tim and he would encourage any musician, be they undergraduate or alumni, relative beginner or more experienced to get involved with the Band.



Tim Carter



Kevin Withell

## **Kevin Withell:**

Already a proficient trombonist, Kevin started conducting at the age of 16, taking rehearsals with Boundstone College Orchestra and Concert Band. He became assistant conductor of the school's Junior Band and musical director of the String Orchestra.

During his studies at University of Southampton, Kevin was awarded the prestigious position of assistant conductor of both Southampton University Symphony Orchestra and Southampton University Sinfonietta as well as directing Southampton Youth Percussion.

As a composer, Kevin has been lucky enough to conduct the premieres of his own settings of the Requiem Mass (2011) and Gloria Mass (2013).

# Assistant Conductors

Every year, the band members are given an opportunity to become an Assistant Conductor. Those who want to take part undertake a small audition and are then elected by the band. Each Assistant Conductor will take time over the course of the year to conduct a few pieces in which they are supported by our Professional Conductors. Every Assistant Conductor enjoys the experience and many go on to conduct on our annual European tour. This year we are very lucky to have two enthusiastic and dedicated Assistant Conductors who are sure to impress you all!



**Sophie Blundell**

Instrument: Flute

Degree: MPhys Physics

About: Sophie is a 2nd year Physics student who plays the flute in Concert Band, as well as playing in the University Symphony and Sinfonietta Orchestras. This is her first time conducting a performance.





**Declan Flannery**

Instrument: Trombone, Piano

Degree: BA Music

About: Declan is a 2nd year Music student specialising in classical piano performance and conducting. In the last few years he has participated in several competitions and made his concerto debut with Hartley Loop Orchestra.



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# Programme

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Russian Christmas Music — *Alfred Reed*

Dragon Music — *John Powell, arr. MacDermott*

Music from Titanic — *music by James Horner, arr. John Moss*

1st Carol - Away in a Manger

Beauty & The Beast — *music by Howard Ashman and Alan Menken,  
arr. Toshio Mashima*

Lux Aeterna — *Elliot Del Borgo*

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## INTERMISSION

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The Nutcracker Suite — *Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky, transcribed by Mark  
Hindsley*

Sleigh Ride — *Leroy Anderson*

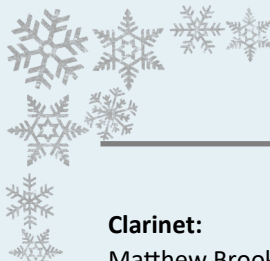
2nd Carol—While Shepherds Watch

A Home Alone Christmas — *music by John Williams and Alan Menken,  
arr. Paul Lavender*

3rd Carol— O' Come All Ye Faithful

In Dulci Jubilo — *arr. P. Neville, transcribed by K Horner*





# Performers

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**Clarinet:**

Matthew Brooks  
Yasmin Parekh  
Kathleen Ahearne  
Philippa Broadbent  
Nora Groever  
May Swinburne  
Zoe Morgan  
Imogen Pledge

**Oboe:**

Karen Mortby  
Joshua Bolland

**Oboe/Cor Anglais:**

Dominic Heaton

**Flute/Piccolo:**

Grace Trimby

**Flute:**

Lucy-Anne Taylor  
Tony Hart  
Marica Andersson  
Sarah Williams  
Sophie Coady  
Hannah Murray  
Hannah Gravenor  
Louise Stone  
Sheona Day  
Katarina Ristic  
Hannah Connabeer  
Lucy Crossfield  
Sophie Blundell  
Hannah Molloy

Becky Hewitt  
Hannah Kaye  
Molly Trudgill  
Charlie Macdonald  
Kerry Barnard  
Rebecca Dumbleton  
Rebecca Deakin  
Alice Durham  
Mareesa Purmalis  
Robyn Crawford-Brunt

**Bassoon:**

Catriona Gibbon  
Kelly Barnsley

**Bass Clarinet:**

James Ellicott

**Alto Saxophone:**

Dan Wilmot  
Luci Reyes

**Tenor Saxophone:**

Fiona Sunderland

**Baritone Saxophone:**

Tom Jackson

**Trumpet:**

Zavier Scozzari  
Hugh Warden  
Victoria Richards  
Fiona Pitt  
Kate Wilmot  
Alison Drivers

**Cornet:**

Alice Vickers

**French Horn:**

Naomi Andrew  
Andrew Cox  
Bex Grogan  
Matt Jenner  
Emily McCann

**Trombone:**

Declan Flannery  
James Harrison  
James Atkins

**Bass Trombone:**

Tom Greig

**Tuba:**

Erika Mantoura

**Electric Upright Bass:**



Ross Miller

**Piano:**

Declan Flannery  
James Atkins

**Percussion:**

Matt Hunt  
James Atkins  
Ng Chuen Ken



# Lyrics

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## Away in a manger:

Away in a manger  
No crib for His bed  
The little Lord Jesus  
Lay down His sweet head

The stars in the bright sky  
Look down where He lay  
The little Lord Jesus  
Asleep on the hay

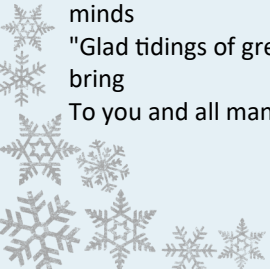
The cattle are lowing  
The poor Baby wakes  
But little Lord Jesus  
No crying He makes

Bless all the dear children  
In Thy tender care  
And take us to Heaven  
To live with Thee there

## While Shepherds Watch:

While shepherds watched  
Their flocks by night  
All seated on the ground  
The angel of the Lord came down  
And glory shone around

"Fear not," he said,  
For mighty dread  
Had seized their troubled  
minds  
"Glad tidings of great joy I  
bring  
To you and all mankind."



"To you in David's  
Town this day  
Is born of David's line  
The Saviour who is Christ the  
Lord  
And this shall be the sign."

"The heavenly Babe  
You there shall find  
To human view displayed  
And meanly wrapped  
In swathing bands  
And in a manger laid."

Thus spake the seraph,  
And forthwith  
Appeared a shining throng  
Of angels praising God, who  
thus  
Addressed their joyful song

"All glory be to  
God on high  
And to the earth be peace;  
Goodwill henceforth  
From heaven to men  
Begin and never cease!"



## O' Come, All Ye Faithful:

O come, all ye faithful, joyful  
and triumphant!  
O come ye, O come ye to  
Bethlehem;  
Come and behold him  
Born the King of Angels:  
O come, let us adore Him,  
(3x)  
Christ the Lord.

God of God, light of light,  
Lo, he abhors not the Virgin's  
womb;  
Very God, begotten, not cre-  
ated:  
O come, let us adore Him,  
(3x)  
Christ the Lord.

Sing, choirs of angels, sing in  
exultation,  
Sing, all ye citizens of Heaven  
above!  
Glory to God, glory in the  
highest:  
O come, let us adore Him,  
(3x)  
Christ the Lord.

