

Understanding Embodiment in Making Music with Technology

- 1. What flute part did you play?
- 2. Please describe your experience in performing the piece *Torrent* for flutes and water.
- 3. What did you think or feel about hearing the flutists' muscle tension through the water sounds?
- 4. How much did you listen to the water?
- 5. How did you regard the water? Did you think of it as another performer, or did you think of it as hearing your colleagues' tension?
- 6. Did you prefer to hear more or less of the water, and why?
- 7. What connection did you hear between the water and the music you were playing, if any?
- 8. How did the water make you feel, at any particular points?
- 9. Did it feel different to play the piece with electronics for the first time? Did if feel different when the electronics were removed?
- 10. Did it feel different to play Torrent compared to other pieces without electronics?
- 11. Would you have liked to be one of the sensored players, and why?
- 12. Do you know if you have tension when you play, and where do you hold it?
- 13. How do you like working with technology in music performance?

If you were one of the principal players, please answer the following 3 questions:

- 14. Please describe your experience of hearing your muscle tension affect the water sounds.
- 15. How did it affect your playing to hear your muscle tension reflected in the water sounds?
- 16. How did having your muscle tension affect the sound of the composition shape your experience of playing the piece of music in comparison to playing music without electronics?
- 17. Any other comments on *Torrent?*