

GUY FEW

Piano and Instrumental Adjudicator

Guy Few's instrumental versatility and fearless interpretations have been noted by the international press, "outrageous...simply phenomenal" (*Le Devoir*, Montreal) and "sheer brilliance" (L.A. Times).

He has performed with many Canadian and US symphonies as a trumpet, piano and vocal soloist, remains a committed chamber artist in ensembles Few Mara duo, HEAT, Sounding Thunder and Spirit 20 and has been a guest at many summer festivals including The Festival of the Sound, Ottawa Chamber Music Festival, Tanglewood, Takefu International Music Festival, The Oregon Bach Festival and Stratford Summer Music.

A prolific recording artist, Guy has released CDs on numerous labels including S.N.E., Arsis Classics, Naxos, MSR Classics and the Hänssler Classics labels.

Awards include Best Classical Orchestral Album, Just Plain Folks Music Awards (guy and nadina/ TCO/Kevin Mallon/MSR), a 2014 JUNO nomination, (guy & nadina/g27/Paetkau/MSR) and CAPACOA Touring Artist of the Year, 2010. Guy has appeared on CBC-TV, CTV, BRAVO, TV5 and European television broadcasts and is heard regularly on CBC Radio, NPR and SiriusXM.

Guy has adjudicated throughout Canada for festivals in Alberta, Saskatchewan, Ontario, New Brunswick and PEI, judging everything from piano and brass through bands and music theatre. His adjudications have been enjoyed at the local, provincial and national levels. "Share the joy" is his motto. Festivals should be fun! Guy is a sessional lecturer at Wilfrid Laurier University, Waterloo, Ontario, Canada where he teaches trumpet and is a collaborative pianist/coach for voice. Guy is a Yamaha artist and Artistic Director of NUMUS Concerts.