



THE COPPER STREET BRASS QUINTET

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Brass Quintet on North Dakota Tour Blends Color and Sound

Minot, ND -- Don't miss your chance to hear one of the most electrifying new ensembles in the country! The Copper Street Brass Quintet will be performing in Minot, ND as part of their 2009 North Dakota tour on Monday, October 5th, 2009 at 7:30p.m. at the Ann Nicole Larson Hall on the campus of Minot State University.

The CSBQ will be performing its new program called The Color Project, a fascinating blend of music and color. As the quintet performs throughout the concert, they invite listeners to observe colors both on stage and in their programs, or as they're calling it, their 'color palette'. The colors will be a visual and conceptual compliment to their music, creating a complete audio-image experience for the audience. Trumpeter Allison Hall says, "This show was modeled after our educational outreach program of the same name, where students draw or create art as a response to our music, so this will be fun to bring it to the concert hall."

"We're thrilled to be performing this totally innovative program to the community of Minot," says trombonist Alex Wolff, "no other brass quintet in the country is doing anything like this." The group will perform original compositions as well as fresh arrangements and transcriptions for brass, and through unique staging, programming, and visuals, the abstract is indeed real! It'll be like no other chamber music concert you've seen, and it's coming to Minot on October 5th.

About The Copper Street Brass Quintet

These five brilliant young musicians may have eight degrees, dozens of academic recitals, and a few hundred jazz, wedding, and church gigs between them, but they've also got style, substance, and just a touch of irreverence, allowing them to transcend the brass quintet box and evolve into something fresh. Born in Albuquerque, NM, the quintet set up shop last summer in the Twin Cities of Minnesota, where they've been wowing audiences since. The quintet is a non-profit organization aimed at sharing their own brand of chamber music with under-served communities and students across the country. To learn more, please visit their website at www.copperstreetbrass.com.

WHEN: 7:30pm, Monday, October 5th, 2009

WHERE: Ann Nicole Larson Hall (Minot State University)

COST: \$10 general admission, \$30 for a family 4-pack. The CSBQ will have CDs for sale at \$8.00 each.

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