

MUSIC FOR BRASS

The Red Novae

Solo for Euphonium and Piano

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Programme Note

The title **The Red Novae** is derived from two sources; the description of a stellar explosion thought to be caused by the merger of two stars, and as a form of anagram of the dedicatee's name (Dave Thornton).

The work offers the soloist an opportunity to exploit a variety of sound worlds including the use of optional electronics.*

About the Composer

Born in Scotland, Peter Graham read music at Edinburgh and London Universities (Goldsmiths' College) and following spells in publishing in New York and London he is currently Professor of Composition at the University of Salford in Greater Manchester, England.



His music for brass and wind is performed across the globe, from China, Taiwan, Japan, Korea and Singapore in the Far East, across North and South America and in every major European country. Awards include the American Bandmasters Association/Ostwald Award for Original Composition for Symphonic Winds and the Iles Medal of the Worshipful Company of Musicians

* Performers may opt to use a digital delay pedal (e.g. Boss D-33) where indicated in the cadenza sections.

The Red Novae (duration c.6 minutes)
Also available with Brass Band accompaniment
(Wind Band accompaniment in preparation)

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Solo for Euphonium

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Euphonium B♭

Piano

(Delay off)

Andante misterioso ♩ = 63

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* digital delay - Boss DD-3 or similar

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10

cresc.

13 **B**

mf

16

mf

19 *un poco agitato*

un poco agitato

91

91

94

94

97

L

mp *cresc.*

97

100

f

100

103

ff

M Cadenza ad lib.
Delay on
mp *f*

106

N A tempo

108

f

111

114

ff

ff

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