

**ANNA MARIE WYTKO**, described by distinguished Paris composer-pianist Roger Boutry as "*brilliant - great sensitivity - exceptional color and vivid contrasts,*" is Associate Professor of Music at Kansas State University. A Yamaha Performing Artist-Clinician, Dr. Wytko has performed throughout the United States, Europe, Canada and Mexico. International concerto performances include those as soloist at Carnegie Hall for the *2015 New York International Music Festival*, soloist with the Banda de Conciertos de San José in Costa Rica as part of *Sax Fest Costa Rica International 2015*, soloist with the Polish Air Force Wind Symphony in Poland, and concerto soloist performances throughout England and Scotland. Anna Marie has presented guest concerts and master classes at the Akademia Muzyczna and the Centrum Kultury Przeźmierowo in Poznan, Poland, and a guest artist tour in France including such venues as the Conservatoire National Supérieur de Musique de Paris, the Conservatoire Aulnay sous Bois de Paris, and the Centre Cultural La Bouvèche Paris (Orsay). Upcoming performances include those in Italy (Milan) and Uruguay, and at UCLA and San Diego State University.

Dr. Wytko's newest CD, "*Anna Marie Wytko, Saxophonist,*" was named by Music Aficionado as "*One Of 10 Classical Recordings From 2016 You Must Hear,*" while The Absolute Sound Magazine lauds her "*prodigious technique, extraordinary control of tone and dynamics.*" Her earlier CD, "*When night came...*" has been called "*amazing*" by Artistic Director Karen Thomas of Seattle Pro Musica. As guest recording artist, she recorded Paul Hindemith's *Konzertstück* with saxophonist Eugene Rousseau on the Jeanné Digital Recordings label.

Dr. Wytko has performed as soloist with the Phoenix Symphony Orchestra, the Topeka Symphony Orchestra, the Symphony of the West Valley, the Tempe Symphony Orchestra, and with bands and orchestras in New York, California, Oregon, Wisconsin, Colorado, and Kansas. She appeared as guest soloist for the *2016 37th Annual Dr. Lawrence R. Sutherland Wind Festival* (Fresno State University, CA), guest soloist for the *2016 College Band Directors National Association Conference* (University of Colorado at Boulder), and guest soloist and clinician for the *Best of the West Festival*, among others. Anna Marie has performed as orchestral saxophonist with the Minnesota Orchestra, the Phoenix Symphony Orchestra, the Orquesta Sinfónica UANL in Monterrey (MX) and with the Musicfest Festival Orchestra (AZ). [www.AnnaMarieWytko.com](http://www.AnnaMarieWytko.com)