

## About Present Sounds

Present Sounds was founded in 1999 by Mark Radonich, Patrick Batson and Tom Baker with the goal of providing an outlet for the diverse and dynamic music being created in the Pacific Northwest's new-music community. This community of composers, musicians, and enthusiasts is unique in its diversity and vibrancy; many original and exploratory works that reflect a wide variety of musical influences and interests are premiered and performed here each year. Present Sounds' mission is to bring these works to a wider audience and to help promote and foster the new-music and adventurous music scene through the recorded medium.

## Our Founders



Our goals for each project are:

- \*To present and promote the works of living composers and improvisers in the most authentic manner possible.
- \* To faithfully present the intention of the artist in each selection.
- \* To increase awareness, appreciation, and accessibility of this music to as many listeners as possible.

We believe that listeners who are interested in a musical experience that is reflective of our modern times, relevant to our daily lives, thought-provoking and "out-of-the-box" will be well served. Don't take our word for it, listen for yourself.