



Laurel Ridd, flute, is an experienced teacher whose students have ranged from young beginners to University of Manitoba flute majors. She has given numerous clinics for middle and high school flute students, both in Winnipeg and at the International Music Camp. As a performer Laurel freelances with the Winnipeg Symphony, MusikBarock (with whom she has performed several concerti), GroundSwell, a Musical Offering and others. The 2008 recipient of the MBA Award of Distinction, she coordinates the annual Syrinx Flute Festival, a performance and learning opportunity for flutists of all ages and levels.