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MEDIA ADVISORY

US AIR FORCE BAND MEDIA DAY SHOWCASES INTERACTIVE EXPERIENCE

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WHAT: The U.S. Air Force Band along with Washington Performing Arts, will host a media day on Joint Base Anacostia-Bolling (JBAB), May 12, 1-3 p.m., to introduce their upcoming, interactive performance experience, composer John Luther Adams' *Sila: The Breath of the World*.

WHEN: All media personnel who plan to attend the event must provide their full name, date of birth and media outlet name to the JBAB Public Affairs Office no later than May 8. Media will link up with their Public Affairs escort at 12:30 p.m., May 12.

WHERE: News media will link up with JBAB Public Affairs at the Joint Base Visitors Center.

WHY: The media day will showcase the unique experience, as well as offer a behind the scenes look at the performance, which disperses musicians from the U.S. Air Force Band throughout outdoor settings, allowing listeners to roam freely and explore the work from multiple perspectives. Washington Performing Arts, which co-commissioned *Sila*, presents its D.C. premiere at three locations: Meridian Hill Park on May 13 at 6 p.m., Constitution Gardens on May 15 at 6 p.m., and the Jefferson Memorial on May 16 at 3 p.m.

HOW: Media who would like to attend should contact Michelle Gordon at 202-230-4671 or michelle.gordon@navy.mil.