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OC Music Masters Series concert to feature American Brass Quintet

ODESSA (March 12, 2010) – Odessa College will host a Music Masters Series concert at 8 p.m. Tuesday, March 30 with the American Brass Quintet in Deaderick Auditorium located on the Odessa College campus.

Celebrating its 50th year during the 2009-2010 season, the American Brass Quintet has been internationally recognized as one of the premiere chamber music ensembles of our time. The ABQ's rich history includes performances in Europe, Central and South America, the Middle East, Asia, Australia and all fifty of the United States; a discography of over fifty recordings; the premieres of over one-hundred contemporary brass works, and in the last decade, mini-residencies that have brought the ABQ's chamber music expertise to countless young musicians and institutions worldwide.

Through its acclaimed performances, diverse programming, commissioning, extensive discography and educational mission, the ABQ has created a legacy unparalleled in the brass field. The event is open to the public. Admission is \$10 for adults and free to students and OC employees with ID.

For more information about the ABQ go to www.americanbrassquintet.org. For more information about the concert contact Eric Baker, Odessa College band director, at 335-6623.