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ØYVIND MATHISEN TRUMPET
OSKAR LINDBERGET ALTO & SOPRANO SAXOPHONES
ERLEND OLDERSKOG ALBERTSEN DOUBLE BASS, PERCUSSION (7)
MARKUS KRISTIANSEN DRUMS, PERCUSSION (7)

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Andvake is an old Norwegian word of Norse origin with multiple meanings. It can be translated as insomnia, but it also indicates a state of wake, characterized by extreme attention and vigilance.

When I started thinking about this project, I was willing to shape some music inspired by the notion of contrast: texture and gesture, sparse and dense, order and chaos. I wanted to write compositions that served this purpose, while allowing freedom of interpretation to the musicians. I am deeply grateful to Øyvind, Oskar, Erlend, and Markus for helping me shape the sounds in my head. Their active involvement and musicianship are a fundamental part of this work.

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