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Performance Today features live concert recordings and in-studio musical performances that you simply can't hear anywhere else. Each day, Fred Child brings the tradition and beauty of classical music to life in new and exciting ways.

Performance Today offers the musical depth and perspective you count on to clear your head or just a chance to relax.

There's no denying the daily grind can be tiring and pretty stressful too. You can look forward to the live music on Performance Today to give you a beautiful oasis and a boost of energy to get through your day.

You can count on learning something new every time you listen, but the real joy of Performance Today is experiencing live concert and studio performances from wherever you are.

Performance Today strives to bring new voices into the musical conversation by featuring young, diverse performers and composers. From the Young Artist in Residence program, to the show's travels to festivals around the world, Fred Child spotlights the next generation of classical music.

The Young Artists in Residence on Performance Today is an audience favorite. Where else but on public radio can you hear the next generation of musicians, and learn about their inspiration, talent, and passion for the music?

The sheer enthusiasm of host Fred Child for the music on Performance Today is infectious! Fred's talent for capturing the spirit of performances and keen sense to ask the questions you want to know are hallmarks of the program.

Host Fred Child shares his knowledge, perspective and deep understanding of classic music. He's been described as an ambassador of classical music, connecting the listener and the artists in a unique and thoughtful way. It takes time, planning and passion to bring you this program, and you hear that in each episode.

Every week, Performance Today brings you the Piano Puzzler, a unique combination of a memorable tune with a classical composer. Can you guess the clever disguise? Matching wits with Bruce Adolphe is part of what makes Performance Today must-hear radio.