

Biography

Antony Pay, MA (Cantab), FGSM, Hon RAM

Tony Pay studied the clarinet at the Royal Academy of Music and read Mathematics at Cambridge University. Tony has held the position of principal clarinetist with the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra, the London Sinfonietta (of which he was a founder member) and the Academy of St Martin-in-the-Fields, and has been a member of several chamber ensembles including the Nash Ensemble, the Tuckwell Wind Quintet, and Hausmusik. Tony's recordings include the Spohr, Mozart, Weber and Crusell concertos. Tony has conducted the Academy of St Martin-in-the-Fields in Germany, Austria and Holland and the London Sinfonietta throughout Europe, and has also conducted orchestras in Scandinavia, Italy and the United States. Tony is a member of the Orchestra of the Age of Enlightenment and of the Academy of Ancient Music.