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When the blue hour... (2016) Kai mėlynoji valanda...

For violin, cello and piano

Commissioned by the Lithuanian Composers Union and the ensemble "Armonų Trio".

The blue hour is an enigmatic time of early dusk or twilight when the unusual light makes the whole world appear as blue. This poetic hour becomes conducive to any form of metamorphosis, immersing our ordinary reality into a strange universe, where familiar forms escape their contours to submerge and convey their presence into a deep blue. As the eyes of the perceiver strive to retain gradually disappearing blue imagery, it vanishes more and more into silhouettes and shadows reminiscent of the beauty just encountered.

Duration 10'10"

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