

Wash, Rinse, Repeat

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electroacoustic work for CD playback

5:25

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Composer's Notes

Wash, Rinse, Repeat is an electroacoustic work that deals exclusively with recorded sounds. It is based on the theme of ritual and routine in city life, and the theme is largely developed through rhythmic repetition. The theme is also a convenient hook on which to hang a narrative; the sounds are arranged in a chronological order that can be easily interpreted as “a day in the life.” I had the opportunity to record much of the audio myself, although the field recordings come from various sound effects libraries. Cubase SX 3 and Audacity were used to create this sequencing project.