



Central Washington University
Department of Music
presents:

An Afternoon Of Jazz

Featuring:
Jazz Band II & III
Vocal Jazz II

Jerilyn S. McIntyre Music Building Concert Hall
Saturday, December 2, 2023
4:00 PM

Program

Jazz Band III

Music Director, Nick Colletto

Program to be Selected From:

Shiny Stockings	Frank Foster
Moten Swing	Bennie Moten arr. Ernie Wilkins
Blues In Hoss Flat	Frank Foster
The Kid From Red Bank	Neal Hefti
Low Down	Thad Jones
Quietude	Thad Jones
Stompin' at the Savoy	arr. Bill Holman
Lightnin'	Bill Holman
Mo Lasses	Joe Newman, arr. Jack Gale, transcribed by Keith Karns
A Time For Love	arr. Hank Levy

Vocal Jazz II

Director, Prof. Vijay Singh

I Left My Heart in San Fransisco	arr. Dave Cazier
I Can See Clearly Now	arr. Jason Womack
Miss Brown To You	arr. Dave Barduhn
Cookin' at the Continental	arr. Darmon Meader

Jazz Band III Personnel

Woodwinds

Eli Fangman
Marvin Sierra
Jacob Bass
Emily Wall
Daniel Holter

Trombones

Henry Wood
Nathan Llyod
Mikael Baisch

Trumpets

Caleb Henchman
Mack McCree
Kayla Arciniega
Sean Sproul
Henry Bergey

Rhythm Section

Ares Turner
Edgar Higgins
Lilia Sanders
Blaise Clapper

Vocal Jazz II Personnel

Corinne Avis
Camille Brennan
Caitlyn Leners
Carmella McCracken
Corina Cervantes
Kaily Henry
Shariden Holland
Genesis Duran
Juliana Lind

Declan Brennan
Trevor Patnode
Oscar Osario
Gabriel Frunk
Dylan Bohannon
Braydon Gordon
Sawyer Romano
Rafael Morales-Velez
Reagan Speakman

Jazz Band II
Music Director, Keith Karns, DMA

Program to be Selected From:

Down By The Riverside	Traditional arr. Oliver Nelson
In A Mellow Tone	Duke Ellington arr. Oliver Nelson
TV Time	Frank Foster transcribed by Keith Karns
Who Me?	Frank Foster
The Little Pixie	Thad Jones
Three and One	Thad Jones
Max	Jeff Hamilton arr. John Clayton
Back Home Again in Indiana	James F Hanley arr. John Clayton
Aries Mood	Mary Lou Williams
Stella By Starlight	Victor Young arr. Bill Holman

Jazz Band II Personnel

Woodwinds

Jack Geimer
Juniper Diegel
Cristian Caballero
Gabe McCoy
Cameron Charles

Trombones

Brady Brons
Urielle Lockwood
Skie Dalsbo
Ian Middelburg

Trumpets

Jason Menor
Ruben Gonzales
Morgan Reed
Austin Miller

Rhythm Section

Rafael Morales-Velez
Nick Colletto
Emy Fraire
Gabriel Espitia

Director Biographies

Keith Karns DMA



Keith Karns is a trumpet player, composer, and arranger based in the Pacific Northwest. He has worked with some of the leading voices in jazz including Stefon Harris, Lauren Sevian, Rich Perry, Kenni Holmen, Greta Matassa, Dimitri Metheny, Benny Golson and the Kansas City Jazz Orchestra. His research focuses on the intersection of hard bop and free jazz.

Keith has been the recipient of awards from ASCAP, Downbeat Magazine, the Jazz Education Network (JEN), and the National Trumpet Competition. He has performed and presented original research at the JEN Conference, the NAFME Northwest Conference, the Alaska Music Education Association Conference, the Oregon Music Education Association Conference, and the Texas Music Educator's Association Conference. Keith has released two albums of his original compositions and arrangements for big band, and his big band has toured nationally.

Keith is the director of jazz at Central Washington University. He directs CWU Jazz Band I, II, and III, and teaches courses in improvisation, as well as small group jazz. He is the director of the CWU John Moawad Memorial Jazz Festival, and the CWU Summer Jazz Camp. He can be heard regularly as a jazz soloist at venues throughout the Pacific Northwest.

Keith Karns holds degrees from the University of Wisconsin Eau Claire, Indiana University, and the University of North Texas. His teachers include John Harbaugh, Bob Baca, David Baker, Bill Adam, Joey Tartell, Vern and Jan Kagarice, Jay Saunders, Rich DeRosa, and John Murphy.

Keith performs on a custom trumpet built by Fred Powell. He is a Torpedo Bag performing artist, and uses Torpedo Bags to transport and protect all of his trumpets.

Nick Colletto



Nick Colletto is a keyboardist and music educator based in Central Washington. Nick has worked with the Isolation Big Band and Tacoma's Leigon of Jazz. He has worked with groups in Leavenworth, Edmonds, and Seattle. Nick is a Master's Degree student and graduate assistant at Central Washington University. He directs CWU Jazz Band III, and teaches courses in jazz keyboard

harmony. Nick holds a bachelor's degree from Central Washington University.

Professor Vijay Singh



Vijay Singh, Professor of Music at Central Washington University, has garnered international attention for his eclectic compositions, arrangements, workshops, and performances. Vijay's music is performed by groups in both Choral and Jazz idioms with over 190 published pieces. He frequently composes on

commission for some of America's finest choirs and jazz vocal ensembles. An active Bass-Baritone soloist, he has performed with the Robert Shaw Chorale, Male Ensemble Northwest, Choral Cross Ties, David Byrne (Talking Heads), Clark Terry, numerous orchestras, and the award winning a cappella jazz quartet Just 4 Kicks. Vijay's CWU student ensembles have performed at national conferences for ACDA, MENC, IAJE, and JEN. A former ACDA National R&S Chair for Jazz, Vijay is a 16-time ASCAP Composer Awards recipient, strong advocate for music education, and has guest conducted All-State Honors Choirs in over 26 states. Vijay's "MASS with Orchestra" received its world premiere at Avery Fischer Hall/Lincoln Center in New York City May 30th, 2011. Vijay received CWU's highest faculty award, the "Distinguished University Professor for artistic achievement", in 2012. He enjoys spending time with his family, cooking, and fishing.

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Dec. 3, 4:00pm	Orchestra Concert+\$
Dec. 8, 7:00pm	Jazz Holiday Concert+\$
Jan. 17, 7:00pm	Kairos & Dr. Yerin Kim+
Jan. 24, 7:00pm	Dr. Daniel Lipori, Faculty Bassoon Recital*
Jan. 30, 6:00pm	String Studio Recital 1*
Jan. 30, 8:00pm	String Studio Recital 2*
Feb. 4, 4:00pm	Miranda Wojciechowicz, Percussion Recital*
Feb. 6, 8:00pm	Voice Studio Recital*
Feb. 9, 7:00pm	Winter Faculty Showcase+
Feb. 10, 7:00pm	Over-the-TOPera+
Feb. 12, 8:00pm	Dr. McLemore, Faculty Recital*
Feb. 13, 7:00pm	Bassoon Studio Recital+
Feb. 14, 7:00pm	Chamber Orchestra Concert+
Feb. 20, 7:00pm	Composition Studio Recital+
Feb. 21, 6:00pm	Jazz Combo Concert 1*
Feb. 21, 8:00pm	Jazz Combo Concert 2*
Feb. 22, 7:00pm	Percussion Ensemble Concert+
Feb. 23, 7:00pm	Sascha Beamer, Composition Recital+
Feb. 24, 4:00pm	An Afternoon of Jazz+\$

**All dates and times subject to change. For the most recent
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* Recital Hall + Wayne S. Hertz Concert Hall \$ Ticketed
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