

PROGRAM

Jazz Orchestra

Tracy Knoop, director

Magic FleaSammy Nestico					
MariaDon Sebesky					
Walnut TreesAndrew Chamberlain					
Andrew Chamberlain '22, solo piano					
Brooklyn					
Acknowledge Senior Members					
Featured Artist Dee Daniels					
Teach Me TonightJohn Clayton					
A Night in TunisiaSteve Galloway					
I Believe in You and MeLinzer/Wo					
Deed I DoFred Rose					
I Want Jesus to Walk with MeSharon Irving					
CaravanDuke Ellington, arr. Vern Sielert					
Tonight I won't be Singing no BluesJohn Clayt					
Battle Hymn of the RepublicJulia Ward Howe, arr. Bill Sample					

JAZZ ORCHESTRA

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Saxophone
Colby Jackson, student
artist, alto
Emily Augusta '24, alto
Iris Manring '25, alto
Bryce Poplawsky '22, tenor
Chloe Montoya '24, tenor
Danny Kedansky '22, tenor
Noah Pettibon, student artist,
baritone

Flute Bailey Ulrich '22

Trombone
Sam Kaufman '22
Miguel Ledezma '22
Jack Day '22
Connor Steen '22
Bently Kalik '24

Trumpet
Joe Garlid '22
Aaron Hanson '24
Wyatt Logan '25
Andy Omdahl, quest artist

Rhythm
Abby Pierson '24, drums
Aidan Moore, bass, guest artist
Andrew Chamberlain '22, piano
Mason Hargrove, electric
guitar, guest artist
Brian Kirk, drums, guest artist

DIRECTOR

A native of the Pacific Northwest, saxophonist **Tracy Knoop** is one of the best-known jazz artists and teachers in the region. After graduating from the Berklee School of Music in Boston, Mass., he joined the world-famous Tommy Dorsey Orchestra and toured with them for 10 years. Tracy has performed with such greats as Louis Bellson, Ray Charles, Natalie Cole, Bernadette Peters, Buddy Rich, Mel Torme, Betty Carter, and many others. Well-versed in classical and pop repertoire, Tracy has also performed with the Temptations, Four Tops, and the Seattle Symphony. He can be heard on commercial recordings by the Charlie May All-Star Big Band, Grit City Octet, Pony Boy All-Star Big Band, and the Tracy Knoop Quartet. He continues to perform extensively throughout the Northwest and across the country.

Tracy has also won many accolades as a teacher and clinician. His approach centers the structural and functional understanding required of jazz improvisation, and maintains firm roots in the technical rigor required for virtuoso classical playing. Each year, his students consistently win or place at Washington state solo contests, and are accepted on scholarship into top-tier music schools across the country, including Eastman, Berklee, and the New School. He currently serves as the director of the Puget Sound Jazz Orchestra.

GUEST ARTIST

Dee Daniels is a unique talent who transcends musical borders when she brings her jazz styling, infused with gospel and blues flavoring, to the stage. She performs and records globally with symphony orchestras, big bands, combos, and with numerous jazz legends — including Monty Alexander, John Clayton, Wycliffe Gordon, Cyrus Chestnut, Eric Alexander, Ken Peplowski, and Russell Malone. Dee has 14 CDs as a leader to her credit, including her 2021 multi-award winning and critically acclaimed CD, *The Promise*. Her 2013 release, *State of the Art*, on Criss Cross Jazz Records which made her the first vocalist and female leader in the label's 40+ year history.

Visit www.deedaniels.com for detailed information about Dee's extensive career.

UPCOMING SCHOOL OF MUSIC EVENTS

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20
School of Music Noon Convocation

Student Recital Performances Schneebeck Concert Hall, Noon

FRIDAY, APRIL 22

Concert Band Earth Day Concert

Gerard Morris, conductor Schneebeck Concert Hall, 7:30 p.m.

SATURDAY APRIL 23

Chamber Music I

Alistair MacRae, director Schneebeck Concert Hall, 7:30 p.m.

SUNDAY, APRIL 24

Chamber Music II

Alistair MacRae, director Schneebeck Concert Hall, 2 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27

School of Music Noon Convocation

Student Recital Performances Schneebeck Concert Hall, Noon

FRIDAY, APRIL 29

Organ at Noon

Wyatt Smith, organist Kilworth Memorial Chapel, Noon

SATURDAY, APRIL 30

Symphony Orchestra featuring Cuban pianist Aldo López-Gavilán with Jasmine Mikesell '22, flute

Anna Wittstruck, conductor Schneebeck Concert Hall, 7:30 p.m.

UPCOMING SCHOOL OF MUSIC EVENTS (Cont.)

SUNDAY, MAY 1

Spring Choral Concert: How Can I Keep from Singing

Chorale, Dorian Singers, Adelphian Concert Choir Judy Herrington, Kathryn Lehmann, Steven Zopfi; conductors Kilworth Memorial Chapel, 4 p.m.

MONDAY, MAY 2
Clarinet Ensemble
Jennifer Nelson, director
Kilworth Memorial Chapel, 6:30 p.m.

MONDAY, MAY 2
Percussion Ensemble
Schneebeck Concert Hall, 7:30 p.m.
Jeff Lund, director

WEDNESDAY, MAY 4
Pops on the Lawn
Karlen Quad, 4 p.m.

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