

Saxophone Quartets & Jazz Combos

Tuesday, December 2, 2025 at 6pm
The Cave, Anderson University Center

Pacific Lutheran University
The College of Professional Studies and School of Music, Theatre & Dance present

Saxophone Quartets

Erik Steighner, *director*

Jazz Combos

Ryan Wagner, *director*

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Welcome to The Cave.

Please disable the audible signal on all watches and cellular phones for the duration of the concert.

Use of cameras, recording equipment, and all digital devices is not permitted in the concert hall.

PROGRAM

Saxophone Quartets

A Study in Contrasts..... Sammy Nestico (1924-2021)

I. The Demure

II. The Delightful

Quartette (Allegro de Concert)..... Caryl Florio (1843-1920)

I. Andante

II. Allegro

Quartet for Saxophones..... Elliot del Borgo (1938-2013)

I. Quickly

Quatour pour saxophones Faustin Jeanjean (1900-1979) and Maurice Jeanjean (1897-1968)

I. Gaieté Villageoise

II. Doux Paysage

III. Papillons

IV. Concert sur la Place

Conor Beach, *soprano saxophone* • Lucas Chabaud, *alto saxophone*
Lawrence Balajadia, *tenor saxophone* • Steven Blankenship, *baritone saxophone*

Jazz Combos

Sonnymoon for Two.....	Sonny Rollins (b. 1930)
Strasbourg/St. Denis	Roy Hargrove (1969-2018)
Linus and Lucy.....	Vince Guaraldi (1928-1976)
Beauty and the Beast	Wayne Shorter (1933-2023)
Now's the Time.....	Charlie Parker (1920-1955)
Eterna City	Go Ichinose arr. Kyle Gough
Mercy, Mercy, Mercy	Julian "Cannonball" Adderley (1928-1975)

Courtney Lazzarini, *saxophone* • Aaron Johnson, *guitar* • Makayla Lu, *drum set*
Kyle Gough, *vibes* • Damaris Ibrahim, *bass*

SEPTEMBER

- 21 Sunday, 3pm**
Faculty Recital: Erik Steighner, Saxophone & Oksana Ejokina,
Piano, free admission
- 28 Sunday, 3pm**
Richard D. Moe Organ Recital Series: Angela Kraft Cross, Organist

OCTOBER

- 5 Sunday, 3pm**
University Wind Ensemble
- 14 Tuesday 11:15am**
Igor Santos Composition Masterclass. Mary Baker Russell Music
Center Room 334, free admission
- 14 Tuesday and 15 Wednesday, 7:30pm**
Fall Festival of Choirs
- 16 Thursday 12:15pm**
John Popham and Pala Garcia Composition Workshop. Mary Baker
Russell Music Center Room 334, free admission
- 21 Tuesday, 7:30pm**
University Symphony Orchestra
- 24 Friday, 12pm**
Orchestra Festival concert, free admission
- 25 Saturday**
NATS Artist Awards competition
- 26 Sunday, 3pm**
South Sound Saxophone Ensemble, free admission
- 28 Tuesday, 7:30pm**
Faculty Recital: Danielle Lemieux, Horn & Amy Boers, Piano, free
admission
- 30 Thursday 10:30am**
Matt Aucoin Composition Masterclass. Mary Baker Russell Music
Center Room 116, free admission
- 31 Friday, 7:30pm**
PLU Symphonic Band, free admission

NOVEMBER

- 2 Sunday, 3pm**
Angela Meade Vocal Competition, free admission
- 2 Sunday, 7:30pm**
Guest Artist Recital: Randall Scarlata, Baritone & Gilbert Kalish,
Piano, free admission
- 8 Saturday, 12:30pm**
Wendy Wilhelmi Flute Masterclass. Mary Baker Russell Music
Center Room 334, free admission
- 9 Sunday, 3pm**
Richard D. Moe Organ Recital Series: Julia Brown, Organist
- 12 Wednesday, 7:30pm**
Early Music Concert, free admission
- 15 Saturday, 3pm**
Woodwind Students Recital, free admission
- 15 Saturday, 4:30pm**
Brass Students Recital, free admission
- 16 Sunday, 3pm**
University Wind Ensemble
- 16 Sunday, 7:30pm**
Steel Band, free admission
- 17 Monday, 7:30pm**
PLUtonic/Gold Rush. The Cave, Anderson
University Center, free admission
- 18 Tuesday, 7:30pm**
University Concert Band
- 19 Wednesday, 7:30pm**
Piano Ensemble, free admission
- 20 Thursday, 7:30pm**
Percussion Ensemble, free admission
- 21-22 Friday-Saturday, 7:30pm**
Opera Scenes. Eastvold Auditorium, Karen Hille Phillips Center

NOVEMBER, Cont.

- 22 Saturday, 12pm**
Sølvvinden Flute Ensemble, free admission
- 23 Sunday, 12pm**
Guitar Orchestra & Guitar Ensemble, free admission
- 23 Sunday, 3pm**
Choral Union
- 23 Sunday, 6pm**
Chamber Music Kaleidoscope, free admission
- 23 Sunday, 7:30pm**
String Kaleidoscope, free admission
- 24 Monday, 7:30pm**
University Jazz Ensemble. Eastvold Auditorium, Karen Hille
Phillips Center

DECEMBER

All Shall Be Well, A PLU Christmas Concert

Tickets go on sale Tuesday, November 4

Friday, December 5, at 7:30pm - Lagerquist Concert Hall
Saturday, December 6, at 2pm - Lagerquist Concert Hall
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Sunday, December 7, at 2pm - Lagerquist Concert Hall
Monday, December 8, at 7:30pm - Benaroya Hall, Seattle

- 2 Tuesday, 6pm**
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University Center, free admission
- 3 Wednesday, 7:30pm**
Sounds of Christmas, featuring University Singers and Knights
Chorus

JANUARY

- 10 Saturday, 4:30 and 6:30pm**
Northwest High School Honor Band, free admission
- 18 Sunday, 6pm**
PLU Honor Orchestra for Strings, free admission
- 25 Sunday**
South Sound Flute Day, Mary Baker Russell Music Center

To view more detailed event information, please visit:

www.plu.edu/music/calendar (Updated October 30, 2025)