

University Jazz Ensemble

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Pacific Lutheran University
College of Professional Studies / Department of Music presents

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Welcome to Lagerquist Concert Hall.
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

- Point, Counterpoint** Ellen Rowe (b. 1958)
Jason Parshall, *alto sax* • Quinn Rasmussen, *vibes* • Marie Morgan, *tenor sax* • Devin Bianch-Rivera, *trumpet*
Felix Halvorson, *guitar* • Denny Corson, *alto sax* • Elise Driscoll, *piano* • Cole Strichertz, *drums*
- I Mean You** Thelonious Monk (1917-1982) & Coleman Hawkins (1904-1969)
arr. Mike Tomaro
Sabien Kinchlow-McConnaughey, *trombone* • Fiona Ashton-Knochel, *piano* • Cole Strichertz, *drums*
- It's a Wonderful World** Jan Savitt (1907-1948) & Johnny Watson (1912-1977)
arr. Sammy Nestico
Autumn Lyle, *trumpet*
- Pumpnickel Cream**..... Jacob Boseley (b. 2001)
Fiona Ashton-Knochel, *piano* • Cassidy Stanhope, *trombone* • Cole Strichertz, *drums*
- Good Ol' Groove** Cassio Vianna (b. 1976)
Owen Dumas, *percussion* • Cole Strichertz, *drums* • Felix Halvorson, *guitar*
Aidan Hille, *baritone sax* • Christopher Hildenbrand, *trumpet* • Mitchell Huber, *tenor sax*
Quinn Rasmussen, *vibes* • Sarah Zundel, *trombone* • Elise Driscoll, *piano*
- Cochichando** Alfredo da Rocha Viana Filho "Pixinguinha" (1897-1973)
arr. Cassio Vianna
Felix Halvorson, *guitar* • Marie Morgan, *tenor sax* • Cassidy Stanhope, *trombone* • Aidan Hille, *baritone sax*
- Torque**..... Alan Baylock (b. 1967)
Sabien Kinchlow-McConnaughey, *trombone* • Devin Bianchi-Rivera, *trumpet*

About the Director

Cassio Vianna is Assistant Professor of Music and Director of Jazz Studies at PLU, where he directs the University Jazz Ensemble and teaches jazz classes and lessons. A native of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, Dr. Vianna is a pianist, music educator, scholar, and an award-winning composer. His compositions and arrangements for jazz ensemble have received international recognition, including awards from the National Band Association, Jazz Education Network, Ithaca College Jazz Composition Competition, and the International Society of Jazz Arrangers and Composers (ISJAC). His works for jazz big band have been performed by artists such as Chris Potter, Ernie Watts, Martha Reeves, the United States Army Field Band (Jazz Ambassadors), and the Colorado Jazz Repertory Orchestra, among others. Dr. Vianna has been featured as a lecturer, adjudicator, and performer at festivals and conferences in the U.S., Latin America, and China. Dr. Vianna holds a Bachelor of Music degree from the University of Rio de Janeiro, a Master of Music degree from Western Oregon University, and a Doctor of Arts degree in jazz studies from the University of Northern Colorado.

UNIVERSITY JAZZ ENSEMBLE

Saxophones

Jason Parshall, *soprano/alto sax 1*
Denny Corson, *alto sax 2*
Marie Morgan, *tenor sax 1*
Mitchell Huber, *tenor sax 2*
Aidan Hille, *baritone sax*

Trombones

Cassidy Stanhope, *lead*
Sabien Kinchlow-McConnaughey
Rosalyn Tobeck
Sarah Zundel, *bass trombone*

Trumpets

Autumn Lyle, *lead*
Jonathan Holder, *lead*
Devin Bianchi-Rivera
Brandon Liukkonen
Christopher Hildenbrand

Rhythm Section

Felix Halvorson, *guitar*
Elise Driscoll, *piano*
Fiona Ashton-Knochel, *piano*
Molly Bliss, *bass*
Madeline Cline, *bass*
Cole Strichertz, *drums*
Quinn Rasmussen, *vibraphone*
Owen Dumas, *percussion*

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Want to skip the line at the door?

Tickets are available for purchase online up until the start time of each ticketed performance.
Visit www.plu.edu/musictickets prior to any event to purchase your tickets ahead of time.
Simply select the event you'd like to attend and click the "Tickets" button.

Spring Events

at Pacific Lutheran University

ALL MUSIC EVENTS ARE IN MARY BAKER RUSSELL MUSIC CENTER, LAGERQUIST CONCERT HALL AT 8PM UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.

FEBRUARY

12 Sunday, 3pm

Richard D. Moe Organ Recital Series: Dexter Kennedy, Organist
Tickets: \$17 general admission; \$10 senior citizen (60+), military, alumni, PLU faculty/staff; \$5 PLU students & 18 and under

MARCH

14 Tuesday, 7:30pm

University Symphony Orchestra: Student Showcase

18 Saturday, 2pm

Guitar Orchestra & Guitar Ensemble, free admission

18 Saturday, 5pm

Artist Series: Guitar Faculty Recital

18 Saturday, 7:30pm

Choral Union. Tickets: \$17 general admission; \$10 senior citizen (60+), military, alumni, PLU faculty/staff; \$5 PLU students & 18 and under

19 Sunday, 3pm

University Wind Ensemble

21 Tuesday, 7:30pm

Aubrey Logan with the Pacific Lutheran University Jazz Ensemble
Eastvold Auditorium, Karen Hille Phillips Center

APRIL

11 Tuesday, 7:30pm

PLUSO and the University of Puget Sound Symphony Orchestra

19 Wednesday, 7:30pm

Keyboard Students Recital, free admission

22 Saturday, 7:30pm

Steel Band, free admission

23 Sunday, 3pm

Richard D. Moe Organ Recital Series: Paul Tegels, University Organist. Tickets: \$17 general admission; \$10 senior citizen (60+), military, alumni, PLU faculty/staff; \$5 PLU students & 18 and under

25 Tuesday, 7:30pm

Choir of the West Tour Homecoming Concert

27 Thursday, 7:30pm

University Chorale

28 Friday, 7:30pm

Percussion Ensemble, free admission

30 Sunday, 3pm

Sølvvinden Flute Ensemble, free admission

MAY

2 Tuesday, 5:30pm

Saxophone Quartets & Jazz Combos. The Cave, Anderson University Center, free admission

5 Friday, 3:30pm

Deanna Breiwick Voice Masterclass. Jennie Lee Hansen Recital Hall, free admission

5 Friday and 6 Saturday, 7:30pm

Opera Scenes

7 Sunday, 3pm

Woodwind Students Recital, free admission

7 Sunday, 4:30pm

Brass Students Recital, free admission

7 Sunday, 7:30pm

PLUtonic/Gold Rush, free admission

12 Friday, 12pm

Joo Won Kang Voice Masterclass, free admission

12 Friday, 7:30pm

PLU Ringers, free admission

10 Wednesday, 7:30pm

University Singers & Knights Chorus, free admission

13 Saturday, 3pm

Piano Ensemble, free admission

MAY, Cont.

13 Saturday, 7:30pm

Guitar Orchestra & Guitar Ensemble, free admission

14 Sunday, 3pm

University Wind Ensemble Tour Preview Concert

16 Tuesday, 7:30pm

University Concert Band, free admission

17 Wednesday, 6pm

Chamber Music Kaleidoscope, free admission

17 Wednesday, 7:30pm

String Kaleidoscope, free admission

18 Thursday, 7:30pm

University Jazz Ensemble Tour Preview Concert

21 Sunday, 3pm

University Symphony Orchestra Reunion Concert

21 Sunday, 7:30pm

Composers Forum, free admission

To Order Tickets:

On Line: www.plu.edu/music/tickets

At the Concert: Lobby Desk in Mary Baker Russell Music Center

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MUSIC EVENT TICKET PRICES: \$10 GENERAL; \$5 SENIOR CITIZENS (60+), MILITARY, PLU ALUMNI, & PLU FACULTY/STAFF; FREE TO PLU STUDENTS & 18 AND UNDER UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED. CONCERTS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE AND SOME CONCERTS MAY BE ADDED AFTER PUBLICATION.
www.plu.edu/music/calendar (updated May 8, 2023)