

Ensemble Concert:

2023-03-05 – Johnson County Landmark





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ENSEMBLE CONCERT

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Damani Phillips, director

Sunday, March 5, 2023 at 7:30pm Voxman Music Building Concert Hall

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PROGRAM

Hot House

Tadd Dameron (1904-1943) arr. E. Richards

Soloists: Steve Grismore, *guitar*; Matthew White, *tenor* sax; Jerome Gillespie, *drums*

Joyful Noise Suite I. Gladly

Don Sebesky (b. 1937)

Soloists: Alex Kelsh, *alto sax*; Kolbe Schnoebelen, *trombone*; Mason O'Brien, *trumpet*

II. Sadly

Soloists: Marvin Truong, alto sax; Michael Conrad, piano; Ty Waters, French horn

III. Madly

Soloists: Marvin Truong, alto sax; Kolbe Schnoebelen, trombone; Jerome Gillespie, drums; Askar Khaetov, bass

Greetings and Salutations

Thad Jones (1923-1986)

Soloists: Steve Grismore, *guitar*; Michael May, *trombone*; Marvin Truong, *soprano saxophone*; Mason O'Brien, *trumpet*; Jerome Gillespie, *drums*

PERSONNEL

SAXOPHONE

Marvin Truong Alex Kelsh Matt White Charlotte Leung Lucas Wymore

TRUMPET

Emma Cryer Jada Spooner Mason O'Brien Anna Kelly

TROMBONE

Kolbe Schnoebelen Michael May Jake Greenlee Ryan Carter

FRENCH HORN

Ty Waters** Moosa Hammad**

RHYTHM SECTION

Askar Khaetov, bass Jerome Gillespie, drums

Guest Artists: Steve Grismore, quitar & Dr. Michael Conrad, piano

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FACULTY BIOGRAPHY



Dr. Damani Philips is a native of Pontiac, MI, and currently serves as Jazz Studies area head and Associate Professor of African American Studies at the University of Iowa. Phillips has earned Bachelor and Master of Music degrees from DePaul University and The University of Kentucky in classical saxophone, a second Master of Music degree in Jazz Studies from Wayne State University and the Doctor of Musical Arts degree in Jazz Studies at the University of Colorado at Boulder; becoming the first African American in the country to do so. An active performer, pedagogue and lecturer, Phillips has performed, taught and lectured throughout the world. He has previously served on the faculty of Grinnell College and Oakland University, and is actively sought as a guest artist, clinician, presenter and adjudicator throughout the nation. He has performed with artists/groups such as Lewis Nash, Christian McBride, Wycliffe Gordon, Bobby McFerrin, Marcus Belgrave, Terrell Stafford, Hank Jones, Red Holloway and Pat Bianchi among many others. Phillips has released 5 albums as a bandleader and published his first book "What Is This Thing

Called Soul: Conversations on Black Culture and Jazz Education" in 2017.

UPCOMING EVENTS

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| 6 | 5:30pm | Guest Lecture Series: Music Momentum Mondays 🙃 | Recital Hall |
| 7 | 7:30pm | Guest Chamber Concert: Gotham Winds | Recital Hall |
| 7 | 7:30pm | Faculty/Guest Artist Recital: Avita Duo - Ksenia Nosikova, <i>piano</i> & Katya Moeller, <i>violin</i> 🄝 | Concert Hall |
| 8 | 7:30pm | Guest Artist Recital: Kadisha Onalbayeva, piano | Concert Hall |
| 8 | 7:30pm | Guest Artist Recital: Jean-Yves Fourmeau, saxophone | Concert Hall |
| 9 | 1:30pm | UI Lab Ensemble | Concert Hall |
| 9 | 7:30pm | Guest Chamber Recital: LIGAMENT 🙃 | Recital Hall |
| 10 | 1:30pm | Guest Artist Masterclass: Kadisha Onalbayeva, piano | Recital Hall |

