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KANSAS STATE BIG BANDS

December 8, 2022

Forum Hall

7:30pm

**Lab A Jazz Ensemble
Concert Jazz Ensemble
Latin Jazz Ensemble**

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PROGRAM

LabA Jazz Ensemble
Dr. Wayne Goins, Director

Alto Sax

Kai Morikowa
Jackson Lynn

Tenor Sax

*Jude Branning
Mason Ringer

Baritone Sax

Craig Brinkman

Trumpets

*Paige Roberts
Karson Griffin
Jae Seefeldt
AJ Himstedt

Trombones

*Jared Carlton
Ethan Carlton
Olivia Franco
Kiera Jeffries

Rhythm

Jasmine Bates—Piano
Caleb Brown—Drums
Darryl Matsune—Guitar
*Michael T. Brown—Bass

Toss And Turn.....Lennie Neihaus

Bop World Les Hooper

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Alto Saxophone

Mason Ringer
Jude Branning

Tenor Saxophone Baritone Saxophone

Blake Crawford
*Brenden Vining

Devan Griffin

Trumpets

*Ann Barker
Karson Griffin
Gibson Williams
Jae Seefeldt

Trombones

*Jared Carlton
Ethan Carlton
Olivia Franco
Kiera Jeffries

Rhythm

*Alan Bell—Piano
Andy Bell—Guitar
Michael T. Brown—Bass
Jeremiah Belin—Drums
Caleb Brown—Drums

Stumbling arr. Dave Wolpe

What Might Have Been Doug Beach

Boplicity Gil Evans
featuring Dr. Jackie Kerstetter, French Horn

WatChuGot? Brett Spainhour

Latin Jazz Ensemble
Dr. Kurt Gartner, Director

Samantha Weber, vocalist
Chase Burman, alto saxophone
Drake Thompson, euphonium
Owen Markwart, malletKAT bass
Ethan Jeffries, bongó
Brandon Wells, timbales

Jenna Dominguez, flute
Ann Barker, trumpet
Ben Thorne, piano
Jessi Solorzano, percussion
Nathan Smith, congas
Regan Lattey, violin

Lágrimas Negras (Bolero-Son) Miguel Matamoros

Off-White (Funky Obatalá) Chris Washburne

Pare Cochero (Danzón) Miguel Angel Banguela/Marcelino Guerra

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The Object of this Fraternity shall be for the development of the best and truest fraternal spirit; the mutual welfare and brotherhood of musical students; the advancement of music in America and a loyalty to the Alma Mater.

MEET THE DIRECTORS

Dr. Wayne Goins is University Distinguished Professor of Music and Director of Jazz Studies, where he conducts big bands, combos, private guitar lessons, and jazz improvisation courses. He joined K-State in 1998 after completed his PhD. in music education at The Florida State University. He earned both his Bachelor of Science and Masters degrees in music education from the University of Tennessee at Chattanooga.

After previous elementary school teaching experience in Boston and Chicago, he relocated to Atlanta, GA, where he conducted jazz ensembles and taught guitar at Morehouse College, Emory University, and Kennesaw State University. He has performed music in Broadway plays for August Wilson's "7 Guitars" and Pearl Cleage's "Blues for an Alabama Sky," Dr. Goins toured extensively throughout Europe for Ichiban Records, where he recorded more than twenty albums. Here in Manhattan, Goins founded his own music company, Little Apple Records, where he has recorded six solo albums: "Home Cookin'," "Bluesin', With B3," "Smokin' at the Oak Bar," "Standard Fare," and "West Coast Swing," and his latest release, "Chronicles of Carmela."

As a writer, Dr. Goins has penned five books: "The Emotional Response to Music: Pat Metheny's Secret Story;" "The Jazz Band Director's Handbook;" "Charlie Christian: Jazz Guitar's King of Swing," "The Wise Improvisor" and "Blues All Day Long: The Jimmy Rogers Story." Dr. Goins is an active participant in the field of music research, with numerous articles and presentations delivered at conferences across the United States. He writes for numerous music magazines and is currently writing two new books for the University of Illinois Press.

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Kurt Gartner serves as Associate Director of the School of Music, Theatre, and Dance and Professor of Percussion at Kansas State University. There, he teaches applied percussion and percussion methods. Also, he directs the Percussion Ensemble, Keyboard Percussion Quartets, and the Latin Jazz Ensemble. As a 2010-2011 Tilford Fellow, he coordinated an interdisciplinary study of Cuban arts. In the past, he was a Big 12 Faculty Fellow, collaborating with the percussion studio and jazz program at the University of Missouri. There, he provided instruction and performances in Afro-Cuban music and applications of technology in music. He has served as Special Assistant to the Provost and as Coordinator of the university's Peer Review of Teaching Program.

Gartner has performed professionally in orchestral, jazz, chamber, world, and commercial venues, and has performed on a showcase concert and presented additional clinics and performances at the Percussive Arts Society International Convention. He is an educational consultant for Remo, Sabian, Vic Firth, and Etymotic Research.

Prior to his appointment at KSU, Gartner served as Associate Professor of Bands at Purdue University. In 2001, he completed his Doctor of Arts degree at the University of Northern Colorado. At UNC, he directed ensembles, taught jazz history, and was the Assistant Director of the UNC/Greeley Jazz Festival. Also, he received the Graduate Dean's Citation for Outstanding Dissertation for his research of the late percussion legend, Tito Puente. Gartner is a founding member and contributing composer of the Indiana-based Los Blancos Latin Jazz Band. He is the technology editor for the journal Percussive Notes.