Future ODU Jazz Performances

Jazz Choir
Jazz Combo
Jazz Orchestra
Tuesday, November 29, 2016, 7:30 PM
Chandler Recital Hall

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Jazz Orchestra
Tuesday, February 21, 2017, 7:30 PM
Chandler Recital Hall

ODU Jazz Residency
Dick Oatts, Saxophone
Jazz Choir, Jazz Combo
Jazz Orchestra
April 20-24, 2017

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Old Dominion University Jazz Combo
John Toomey, Director

Old Dominion University Jazz Orchestra
Douglas T. Owens, Director

Diehn Center for the Performing Arts
Chandler Recital Hall

Tuesday, September 27, 2016 7:30 PM
Jazz Combo Program

Invitation

Body and Soul

Special thanks to Rich Mossman for his clinic work with Jazz Combo on September 20.

Jazz Orchestra Program

Begin the Beguine

Early Autumn

Song for My Father

Li’l Darlin’

Nice n’ Juicy

Jazz Combo Personnel

Bronislaw Kaper
arent. Josh McDonald

Johnny Green

Artie Shaw
Tran. Jeff Hest

Burns/Herman/Mercer

Horace Silver
are. Brisker

Neal Hefti

Jeff Steinberg

Saxophones

Trumpets

Trombones

Jonathan Phillips

Adam Hill

Professor John Toomey, Piano

Bryan Myhr
Collier Godfrey
Tyler Harney
Emmanuel Smith
Danny Santos

Austin Kopp
Josh McDonald
Joshua Williams

Justin Burgin
Andre Cumberland
Dominique Parker
Alex Federico

Drums/Percussion

Jonathan Wudijono
Christian Mitchell

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Charity Lyons, Vocals
Tyler Harney, Saxophone
Josh McDonald, Trumpet
Robert Medina, Trumpet
Adam Hill, Guitar
Benjamin Ferrell, Bass
Jonathan Wudijono, Drums

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Douglas T. Owens  
Director, ODU Jazz Orchestra

Dr. Douglas T. Owens is an Associate Professor of Music, the Chairperson of the Old Dominion University Department of Music and the F. Ludwig Diehn Endowed Chair of Instrumental Music Education. Dr. Owens previously taught at the University Massachusetts Dartmouth, and the University of Southern Maine. In addition, he has been a music educator at the elementary, middle and high school levels in California and Wisconsin.

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