

The Department of Music  
University of Wisconsin  
Eau Claire

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# JAZZ ENSEMBLE I

Directed by Robert Baca

North Central Music Educators National Conference

and

Minnesota Music Educators Mid-Winter  
In-Service Clinic



Wednesday, February 10, 1993  
9:30 p.m.

Minneapolis Convention Center  
Minneapolis, Minnesota

## Program selections from the following:

Back In Town	Kristin Buchholz, Alto Saxophone Jamey Simmons, Trumpet	Joe d'Elia
The Quintessence	Kristin Buchholz, Alto Saxophone	Quincy Jones
Chop Suey	Drew Disher, Tenor Saxophone Andy Algire, Drums Scott Pingel, Bass	Matt Harris
Cherokee	Jamey Simmons, Trumpet Jeremy Miloszewicz, Trumpet Chris Campbell, Baritone Saxophone	Roger Fletcher
Consumation	Dan Julson, Trumpet Michael Weiser, Piano	Thad Jones
Latin Expresso	Drew Disher, Tenor Saxophone Jamey Simmons, Trumpet Bill Wood, Drums	Matt Harris
<b>INTERMISSION</b>		
Jeeps Blues	Chad Walker, Tenor Saxophone	Duke Ellington
High Altitude	Kristin Buchholz, Alto Saxophone Jason Gillette, Alto Saxophone	Matt Catingub
Songbird		Rob McConnell
Zodiac	Jason Gillette, Alto Saxophone	Dean Sorenson
Trolley Song	Pat Phalen, Trumpet Don Pashby, Tenor Saxophone	Matt Harris



## UW-Eau Claire Jazz Program

The University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire Jazz Ensemble program has a long tradition of outstanding jazz education that has been heralded by international, national, and regional recognition. In 1989 Jazz Ensemble I performed in Europe at the *Graz International Music Festival* and the internationally acclaimed *Montreux Jazz Festival*. Last May the group made a historic tour of *China* becoming the first jazz ensemble to tour the country since opening to the western world ten years ago, and possibly since 1949. Back at home the ensemble has performed at the *MENC North Central Division Convention* twice in three years and for three *Wisconsin Music Educators Conference* in the last five years. The ensemble will be releasing its first CD in May.

Their director, Mr. Robert Baca, has toured professionally with The Buddy Rich Band, The Frank Sinatra Orchestra, Tony Bennett, Mel Torme, and The Andy Williams Christmas Tour. He can be heard on weekends as the trumpeter on American Public Radio's "American Radio Company Of The Air" with Garrison Keillor. Mr. Baca performs for the show when it is broadcast from Minneapolis, MN.

The UW-Eau Claire Jazz Area currently maintains five large jazz ensembles (three of which tour nationally and regionally), a vocal jazz ensemble, and eleven combos. It is host to one of the nations largest jazz festivals, now in its 26th year. Dates for this years festival are March 26 and 27. Get reservations early! Many former members of Jazz Ensemble I have become jazz recording artists or pursued professional performing careers throughout the country.

## About the Department

The Department of Music at the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire is located in the Fine Arts Center on the north bank of the 333-acre campus. It is the largest music school in the state of Wisconsin. The Fine Arts Center includes the 600-seat Gantner Concert Hall, Phillips Recital Hall, recording and electronic music laboratories, studios, offices, classrooms, and music and record libraries.

Over 300 students are music majors and minors at UW-Eau Claire, which has a total student population of nearly 11,000 and a faculty of over 700.

The Department of Music offers Bachelor of Music Education degrees leading to teacher certification, Bachelor of Music degrees in performance, a Bachelor of Music degree in music therapy, and a Bachelor of Arts degree in liberal arts--music. Music minors are offered in elementary general music and liberal arts.

The University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire is an accredited institutional member of the National Association of Schools of Music.

## JAZZ ENSEMBLE I PERSONNEL

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### Alto Saxophone

Kristin Buchholz

Jason Gillette

### Tenor Saxophone

Drew Disher

Chad Walker

### Baritone Saxophone

Chris Campbell

### Trumpet

Jeremy Miloszewicz

Pat Phalen

Dan Julson

Jamey Simmons

Todd Walker

### Trombone

Kevin Loughney

Adam Bever

Chris Fulton

Eric Olson

### Piano

Michael Weiser

### Bass

Chris Bates

Scott Pingel

### Drums

Bill Wood

Andy Algire