

UNL Jazz Auditions

Fall 2016



UNL Jazz Studies

PLEASE DOWNLOAD, COMPLETE AND BRING TO YOUR AUDITION TIME

General information

NAME: _____

INSTRUMENT: _____

CELL: _____ EMAIL: _____

YEAR: _____ MAJOR: _____

BACKGROUND

Have you played in a college jazz group before? If so, list when and where.

If you are a saxophonist, please list your "performable" doubles.

Check ALL ensemble(s) you are interested in trying out for.

____ SMALL JAZZ COMBOS ____ LARGE JAZZ ENSEMBLES (BIG BANDS)

Please mark any conflicts you have with ensembles.

____ UNL JAZZ ORCHESTRA (M/W 3:30-5:00) ____ UNL BIG BAND (T/TH 1:30-3:00)

(For Office Use Only)

Information

Guitar

Jazz guitar auditions will take place on Tuesday, August 21, 2016 from 7:00-8:30 PM in room 119 of the Westbrook Music Building. Auditions will consist of prepared etudes (see below), sight-reading and improvisation (mandatory for those who wish to be placed in a combo or have a solo chair in a large ensemble). Improvisation will be blues in either Bb or F. Please sign up for an audition time on the jazz board outside WMB 205.

Please complete the attached information sheet and bring it to your scheduled audition time. This sheet will help the directors place you in groups.

There are two sets of etudes included. Large ensemble auditions will be posted at the conclusion of auditions, Wednesday, August 24, 2016. Combo placements will be made by combo directors. They will contact individual members to schedule rehearsal time.

Guitar Etudes No. 1 (ALL)

MODERATE SWING (♩=176)

Amin⁹ B \flat 7 E7(b9) Amin⁷ Dmin⁹ G7($\frac{b9}{\sharp 5}$)

Cmaj⁹ Amin⁹ Dmin⁹ G7($\frac{b9}{\sharp 5}$) Gmin¹¹ C13(b9)

Fmaj⁹ E7($\frac{b9}{\sharp 5}$) Eb13($\frac{\sharp 11}{\flat 9}$) D13

Guitar Etude No. 2 (ALL)

Bossa Nova (♩=160)

Staff 1: $Bbmaj^9$, $G7(\flat^9)$, $Cmin^9$, $F\sharp b$, $F\sharp o7$, $Gmin^7$, $Fmin^9$

Staff 2: $E\flat^7$, $A7(\flat^9)$, $Dmin^7$, $E\flat min^9$, \parallel

Staff 3: $Cmin^9$, $F\sharp b$, $Bbmaj^9$, $A\flat^7$, $D7(\flat^9)$, $A\flat^7(\flat^9)$, $Gmin^7$