

## Upcoming Jazz Events

**EIU Alumni Jazz Band** celebrating *Sam Fagaly* | Saturday, April 18 | Theatre

**Jazz Ensemble\*** with guest trumpeter *Brian Shaw* | Tuesday, April 21 | Theatre

\*Indicates ticketed event | Concerts begin at 7:30 p.m. The Doudna's complete calendar of events is available at [www.eiu.edu/doudna](http://www.eiu.edu/doudna).

### Your support is appreciated.

Thank you for supporting the program by attending tonight's concert. We would also like to express our sincere gratitude to the people who support the jazz program through donations. We recognize our donors who have made contributions since July 1, 2025. =

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Donations support EIU's jazz program and help us acquire new music, visit schools, host outreach events, and complete recording projects. Donors will be recognized on the Jazz Ensemble's upcoming album, to be available on streaming platforms and CD. To give, please send a check payable to Eastern Illinois University Foundation (with "Jazz Studies" in the memo line) to: EIU Department of Music; 600 Lincoln Avenue; Charleston, IL 61920; or visit [go.eiu.edu/supportjazz](http://go.eiu.edu/supportjazz), via the adjacent QR code.

### Purpose of the Jazz Studies Program at Eastern Illinois University

- To promote jazz as a significant, indigenous American art form
- To provide an environment for learning and developing the skills necessary to perform, compose, and teach in the professional world
- To provide support for jazz studies programs in the public schools throughout the region



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the

Jazz Lab Band  
Birdland Combo  
Blue Note Quintet

in concert

Tuesday, April 14, 2026

7:30 p.m.

Doudna Fine Arts Center

The Theatre

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## PROGRAM

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Katy Do	Benny Carter <i>arranged by Quincy Jones</i>
Urban Strut	Patty Darling
Peel Me a Grape	David Frishberg <i>arranged by Paul Johnston</i>
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Afternoon in Paris	John Lewis <i>arranged by MJ Jarrell</i>
Stranger on the Shore	Asher Bilk
Black Coffee	Sonny Burke and Paul Francis Webster
The C.O.R.E.	Freddie Hubbard <i>arranged by Megan Greenberg</i>
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On the Trail	Ferde Grofe
Montara	Bobby Hutcherson
Rosalina in the Observatory	Koji Kondo/Patrick Bartley
Rediscovery	Sean Mason

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## PERSONNEL

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### Jazz Lab Band

*Saxophones*  
Wes Stabler, *alto* Chatham  
Daniel Fagaly, *alto* Charleston  
Carter Davis, *tenor* Neoga  
Jonah Snyder, *tenor* Chatham  
Peter Walker, *baritone* Belleville

### *Trumpets*

Arianna Collins Granite City  
Grant Johnson Charleston  
Lilly Keys Paris  
Alex Chiritescu Charleston

### *Trombones*

Aidan Gomez Olney  
Jaycob Serbin Paris  
Alia Young Rantoul  
Colin Lakatos, *bass* Granite City

### *Rhythm Section*

Merris McDuffie, *piano* Dow  
Evan Irvin, *bass* Olney  
Gabriel Collette, *drums* Bradley

### Birdland Combo

Megan Greenberg, *alto saxophone and clarinet* Frankfurt  
MJ Jarrell, *baritone saxophone* Hillsboro  
Hudson David, *trombone* Paris  
Alana Dove, *voice* Shelbyville  
Evan Irvin, *bass* Olney  
Paul Johnston, *piano/coach* EIU Faculty  
Jamie V. Ryan, *drums* EIU Faculty

### Blue Note Quintet

Noah Captain, *alto and tenor saxophones* Mascoutah  
Ryan Cooper, *trumpet* Mascoutah  
Paul Nau, *vibraphone and marimba* Tuscola  
Race Brighton, *bass* Belleville  
Jamie V. Ryan, *drums/coach* EIU Faculty