

2020

Summer Music Camps

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High School Summer Music Institute

RALPH SORRENTINO, DIRECTOR

JULY 6-11, 2020

- INSTRUMENTAL, PIANO, AND VOCAL TRACKS
- PRIVATE LESSONS
- LARGE AND SMALL ENSEMBLES



Summer Jazz Camp

MARC JACOBY, DIRECTOR

JULY 12-17, 2020

- JAZZ COMBOS
- RHYTHM SECTION AND JAZZ PIANO CLINICS
- TECHNOLOGY, RECORDING, AND ARRANGING CLASSES





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*The
Performance Institute
where Musical Excellence
is Nurtured
July 6-11, 2020*

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ENSEMBLES

Students will perform in a large ensemble and a small ensemble. Seating auditions will be held following registration on July 6, 2020. The Institute culminates with finale concerts by the following ensembles:

Large Ensembles

Concert Band
String Orchestra
Choir

Small Ensembles

Flute
Clarinet
Saxophone
Double Reed
Brass
Percussion
Chamber Strings
Piano
Vocal



SOLO RECITAL

Students who are ready to perform a prepared solo are encouraged to audition for the solo recital. A professional accompanist will be provided for the audition and the evening recital.

PRIVATE LESSONS

Students receive two 30-minute private lessons on their primary instrument or voice. Additionally, all students will participate in a studio masterclass with their private teacher.

MUSIC THEORY AND EAR TRAINING

Students will participate in a daily music theory and ear training class. Students should select “beginning theory” or “advanced theory” on the application.

AUDITION/COLLEGE PREPARATION

Students will participate in classes focusing on audition preparation, practice habits, tips for successful auditions, résumé writing, and choosing a college.

FACULTY

Our faculty consists primarily of WCU Wells School of Music professors who double as inspiring educators and active performing artists. Please visit www.wcupa.edu/music/faculty.aspx#instrumental for faculty biographies. Faculty recitals will take place throughout the week.

CAMPUS LOCATION AND FACILITIES

West Chester University is located in southeastern Pennsylvania, 35 miles west of Philadelphia. The University is nestled in the historic borough of West Chester.

Resident students are housed in a residence hall adjacent to the dining hall, a short walk from Swope Music Building. All residence hall rooms are double occupancy with males and females located on separate floors. Institute counselors reside in each wing.

SOCIAL AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

Supervised events include volleyball, a scavenger hunt, a pizza party, and other activities.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Several \$100 scholarships (made possible through the generous support of our former director, Dr. Ken Laudermilch) may be available to students who submit (1) a letter requesting financial assistance and (2) a letter of recommendation from their high school music teacher. All materials (including the application and deposit) must be postmarked by May 11th in order to be considered for a scholarship.

Students who will graduate high school in June 2021 are eligible for Rising Senior Scholarships, as well as a pre-screening WCU Wells School of Music entrance audition. Please visit www.wcupa.edu/SummerMusicCamps for more information.

Honors Track

An honors track is available for advanced students. Honors track students will be placed in advanced chamber ensembles (e.g. woodwind trio, brass quintet, string quartet), or they will be guaranteed a performance on the evening solo recital.

Honors track applicants must submit a private/unlisted YouTube recording of two contrasting etudes or solo works on their primary instrument. The audition video, along with the student's application and deposit, must be submitted by May 22nd. Please email your YouTube video link (for a private/password-protected video) to summermusiccamps@wcupa.edu on or before May 22nd.



MARC JACOBY, DIRECTOR

Looking for an opportunity to grow
as an aspiring jazz musician?

JULY 12-17, 2020

Whether students are beginners or advanced musicians, they can develop their jazz skills this summer at the West Chester University Jazz Camp. In addition to performing in ensembles, participants will explore the art of jazz improvisation, jazz styles, harmony and arranging, music technology, and jazz history.

- State-of-the-Art Wells School of Music facilities!
- Structured evening activities and concerts
- Check our web-site for complete faculty listings and visiting artists.



Jazz Faculty

Dave Cullen, *Guitar*

Chris Hanning, *Drums*

Marc Jacoby, *Vibes and Technology*

Paul Jost, *Vocal Jazz*

Terry Klinefelter, *Piano*

Peter Paulsen, *Bass and Jazz Arranging*

Jonathan Ragones, *Saxophone*

John Swana, *Trumpet*

Available for Three College Credits*

Undergraduate: AIM 429-31 • Graduate: AIM 679-31

For fee information contact the Bursar's Office:
610.436.2552

* matriculated students only

Jazz Combos
Daily Recitals
Jam Sessions
Criteria Alumni
Reunion Concert



Honors Track

An honors track is available for advanced students. Honors track students will be placed in an additional ensemble (Honors Jazz Band), and they will rehearse for and perform at the Thursday evening Criteria Alumni Reunion Concert.

Honors track applicants must submit a private/unlisted YouTube recording of two jazz tunes (one swing and one Latin) performed with a big band, combo, or play-along accompaniment. The recording should demonstrate both the melody and improvisation (drummers should demonstrate soloing by trading 4s). The audition video, along with the student's application and deposit, must be submitted by May 22nd. Please email your YouTube video link (for a private/password-protected video) to summermusiccamps@wcupa.edu on or before May 22nd. Acceptance into the Honors Jazz Band will be announced at the start of camp.

2020 WCU SUMMER MUSIC CAMPS



APPLICATION

*Please duplicate as necessary



Attending: ☐ High School Summer Music Institute (July 6-11) ☐ Summer Jazz Camp (July 12-17) ☐ Premium Package - both camps (July 6-17)

My residential status will be: ☐ Resident ☐ Commuter I would like to room with: _____

About the Student

Name: _____

Age: _____ Grade attending in Spring 2020: _____

Gender: ☐ Female ☐ Male T-shirt size: _____
JAZZ CAMP ONLY

Address: _____

City/state/zip: _____

Phone number: _____

E-mail: _____

Primary instrument or voice: _____

Number of years studied: _____

Voice type (if known): _____

Name of high school: _____

High school address: _____

High school director: _____

High school director's e-mail: _____

High School Summer Music Institute Course Options

Choose a Music Theory and Ear-Training Class:

☐ Beginning Theory/Ear Training

☐ Advanced Theory/Ear Training

☐ I would like to apply for the Honors Track and have emailed my
YouTube video link to summermusiccamps@wcupa.edu

**Summer Jazz Camp Course Options: please indicate if
you are planning to take this workshop for college credit
(matriculated students only):**

☐ AIM 429-31 (undergraduate)

☐ AIM 679-31 (graduate)

☐ I would like to apply for the Honors Track and have emailed my
YouTube video link to summermusiccamps@wcupa.edu

HS Institute Application Deadline: June 22nd

Jazz Camp Application Deadline: June 29th

HS Institute/Jazz Camp Early Registration Deadline: May 11th

About the Parent/Guardian

Name: _____

☐ Check here if same address/phone/email as student. If
different, please specify below.

Address: _____

City/state/zip: _____

Phone number: _____

E-mail: _____

High School Summer Music Institute Options

Resident\$710

Resident Early Registration\$685
(postmarked before May 11)

Commuter\$620

Commuter Early Registration\$595
(postmarked before May 11)

Summer Jazz Camp Options

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Resident Early Registration\$685
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Commuter\$620

Commuter Early Registration\$595
(postmarked before May 11)

Premium Package: July 6-17, 2020

High School Summer Music Institute + Summer Jazz Camp

(includes a free night's stay and complimentary brunch on Sunday!)

Resident\$1420

Resident Early Registration\$1370
(postmarked before May 11)

Commuter\$1240

Commuter Early Registration\$1190
(postmarked before May 11)

Resident fee includes tuition, housing, and all meals.

Commuter fee includes tuition, lunch, and dinner.

My \$200 non-refundable deposit is enclosed. I understand
that the balance is due at registration in July.

(Make check out to "West Chester University" – no cash will be
accepted – and write the name of the camp in the memo)

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Register online with a credit card at www.wcupa.edu/SummerMusicCamps
or mail your completed application and \$200 deposit to

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