

Brandeis Jazz Ensemble



Director: Robert Nieske

Saturday, Dec 6, 2025 | 7:00 PM Slosberg Recital Hall

BRANDEIS UNIVERSITY JAZZ ENSEMBLE Saturday, December 6, 2025 | 7:00 p.m. DIRECTED BY BOB NIESKE

THE BAND

WOODWINDS

Brian Lucy Clarinet
Lily Fasciano Alto
Ajibola Falade Alto
Seth Haycock-Poller Alto

Sam Lubline Tenor/Soprano

Adam Tercatin Tenor
Ozric Stewart. Tenor
Jesse Dulkin Tenor
Daphne Yan Bari

BRASS

Alex Arnott Trumpet
Ruide Gao Trumpet
Jack Morrison Trombone
Katie Lefebvre Trombone

RHYTHM SECTION

Eva Balogh Piano Ben Wechselblatt Guitar

David Cahn Bass Guitar Ben Weiner Upright Bass

Sadie Crahan Drums Sam Pomerantz Drums

PROGRAM

Flight of the Foo Birds — Neal Hefti (1959)

Carioca — Vincent Youmans (1933)

Yardbird Suite — Charlie Parker / arr. Gil Evans (1947)

Watermelon Man — Herbie Hancock / arr. Nieske (1962/73)

North Rampart — Alan Ferber (2017)

Demons Lullaby — Sun Ra (1959)

Footprints — Wayne Shorter / arr. Terrence Blanchard / Nieske (1966)

Enlightenment — Sun Ra / arr. Schaphorst (1959)

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The sound of joy is enlightenment

Space, fire, truth is enlightenment

Space fire, sometimes it's music, strange mathematics, Rhythmic equations

The sound of thought is enlightenment

The magic light of tomorrow

Backwards, are those of sadness, forward and onward, are those of gladness

Enlightenment is my tomorrow

It has no planes of sorrow

Hereby, our invitation

We do invite you

Be of our Space world

DON'T MISS A BEAT.

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