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Jazz Repertory Ensemble

Gregory Evans, conductor

Ford Hall
Monday, December 10th, 2018
8:15 pm



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Program

It's Sand, Man

Buck Clayton
arr Myles Collins

Front Burner

Sammy Nestico

Tippin' on the Q.T.

Buck Clayton

Tall Cotton

Sammy Nestico

Walk Don't Run

Quincy Jones

Amoroso

Benny Carter

Hobo Flats

Oliver Nelson

Doodle Oodle

Billy Byers

Biographies

Gregory Evans

Greg Evans is a passionate and captivating performer, pedagogue and composer. His drive, energy and facility on the drum set has given him experience across the spectrum of the music industry. Greg's influence spans multiple milieus including live and studio recordings, clubs and music venues, festivals, and the classroom.

Evans earned his Masters of Music from Ithaca College (2011), and his Bachelor's of Music from the Manhattan School of music (2009). He has studied with Gordon Stout, Justin DiCioccio, and John Riley.

Evans' buoyant and joyous groove has facilitated a fulfilling performing career. He has performed on multiple national tours, music festivals, and is a frequent featured artist. He also sustains an active freelance schedule having appeared with many artists including: The Count Basie Orchestra, Jonathan Batiste, Terence Blanchard, Chick Corea, Joey DeFrancesco, Kurt Elling, Robin Eubanks, Jimmy Heath, Branford Marsalis, John Pizzarelli, Dave Samules, and Allen Vizzutti.

Evans keeps an active teaching schedule, working at Ithaca College and Cornell University. He also maintains a robust private studio. By referencing jazz tradition, Evans guides students to assimilate sounds of the past to create the new sounds of the future.

Personnel

Jazz Repertory Ensemble

Saxophones

Steven Foti, alto 1
Jared Banker, alto 2
Alice DeRagon, tenor 1
Jack Travis, tenor 2
Steven Bluestein, bari

Trumpets

Jennifer Rupert, lead
Jason Bennett
Averi Parece
Andrew Nolish

Trombones

James Yoon, lead
Ben Sherman
Andrea Dollinger
Dante Marrocco, bass

Rhythm Section

Jonah Bobo, piano
Caleb Kennedy, drums
Harry Sauer, drums
August Bish, bass
Nicky Young, guitar