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Mostly Music at NEIU and the Department of Music and Dance Program

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About the Artists...

Pianist/vocalist Judy Roberts recorded her first album with Ray Brown at the age of eighteen, and has gone on to become a multiple Grammy nominee with over a dozen releases. She has performed at clubs, concerts and jazz festivals worldwide and her music and recordings are known internationally. The winner of numerous jazz polls and awards, she has been number one in both radio airplay and on the Billboard charts, and has been a guest on NPR's "Piano Jazz" hosted by Marian McPartland. Called "Chicago's Favorite Jazz Woman" by the Chicago Tribune, Judy continues to make Chicago her home base.

A multiple Grammy nominee, her dozen releases include "The Other World," which was number one on the jazz charts; the album "TRIO" with Ray Brown and Jeff Hamilton: the song "Twilight World" co-written with Marian McPartland; and her famous international hit songs, Dave Fishberg's "My Attorney Bernie," and Horace Silver's "Senor Blues."

Saxophonist and flutist Greg Fishman is an accomplished performer, recording artist, author, teacher and clinician, and earned his Masters Degree in Jazz from Northwestern University. He is among the foremost experts on the music of Stan Getz, is the author of three Getz transcription books published by Hal Leonard, and wrote the liner notes for the Verve re-issue of the Getz recording, "The Steamer."

He has toured and performed world-wide with his own group and with such artists as Louis Bellson, Slide Hampton, the Woody Herman Band, Conte Candoli, Lou Levy, Clark Terry, Jackie and Roy, Don Menza, Ira Sullivan, and Eddie Higgins. Greg is the co-founder, along with Brazilian guitarist/vocalist, Paulinho Garcia, of the duo. "Two For Brazil." They perform internationally, and have recorded three CDs.

Greg has been featured at the North Sea Jazz Festival, and in numerous concerts and music festivals in Southeast Asia. He lives in the Chicago area and appears regularly at the city's top jazz clubs.