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**Illinois State University
Wonsook Kim College of Fine Arts
School of Music**

Music for the Holidays

featuring

Illinois State University Jazz Combo I

Kevin Hart, *Director*

Student Brass Quintet

“Cookin’ with Brass”

**Illinois State University Symphony Orchestra
and Philharmonia Strings**

Glenn Block, *Conductor*

**Center for the Performing Arts
December 2, 2023
Saturday Evening
7:00 p.m.**

This is the eighty-ninth program of the 2023-2024 season.

Program

Please silence all electronic devices for the duration of the concert. Thank you.

Jazz Combo I Kevin Hart, *director*

White Christmas (1940) Irving Berlin
(1888-1989)
arranged by Kevin Hart

Santa Claus Is Comin' To Town (1934) John Frederick Coots
(1897-1985)
Haven Gillespie
(1888-1975)
arranged by Kevin Hart

Student Brass Quintet “Cookin’ with Brass”

Traditional Carols arranged by Luther Henderson

Symphony Orchestra & Philharmonia Strings

A Christmas Festival (1950) Leroy Anderson
(1908-1975)

L'Arlésienne, Suite No. 2: IV Farandole (1871) Gorges Bizet
(1838-1875)

Useon Choi, conductor

Music from “Polar Express” (2004) Alan Silvestri and Glen Ballard

Sleigh Ride (1948) Leroy Anderson

Useon Choi, conductor

Hannukah Festival Overture Lucas Richman
(born 1964)

Russian Christmas Music (1969) Alfred Reed
(1921-2005)

Symphony Orchestra & Philharmonia Strings

Glenn Block, *conductor*

Violin I

Gibson Swalley, *concertmaster*
Colleen Loemker
Chona Noble
Sergio Ravelo
Hannah Appleyard
Blake Bowers
Amanda Tauch
Esther Cheng
Kirsten Kadow
Lexi Rocha

Viola

Carlos Leon, *principal*
Daniel Haan
Zeph Mussman
Shelby Fick
Katelynn Lesinski
Trinity Howell
Aaron Wolz
Tejas Dhanani
Ben Achammer
Nayeli Wood
Danni Munzert

Double Bass

Alexandra Jennings, *principal*
Laura Velez
Jay Cebrero
William Hussey
Devin Parks
Lucas Hobbs

Flute/Piccolo

Chelsea Davis
Rachel Nulf
Gina Russell
Kirsten Townander

Oboe

Elli Ji, *principal*
Melanie Castillo
Sara Walsh, *English horn*

Clarinet

Alec Jenkins
Holly Peters
Christian Rucinski

Bassoon

Kendra Chaney, *principal*
Wes Smith
Emma Turner, *co-principal*

Violin II

Brody Macias, *principal*
Daniel Blanco
Alejandra Jaramillo
William Callahan
Mason Linke
Vittorio Causarano
Riley Brooks
Kate Drechny
Emily Leeper
Kathleen Thomas

Cello

Ender Loya, *principal*
Joe Brackmann
Kahauri Brown-Givens
Brandon Campos
Oluwagbenga Ajila
Delia Bonnet
Brian Hershey
Jenny Komperda
Lily Moen
Drake Strutzel
James Dickson
Micah Johnson
Danielle Diaz
Uzay Togay
Isabella Martinez

Horn

Lydia Cermak, *co-principal*
Daniel Ota, *co-principal*
Sam Fortuna
Lucy Harazin
Alicia Cruz
Matthew Tutterow

Trumpet

Alexis Pina, *principal*
Katherine Freimuth
Tyler Belan

Trombone

Joseph Buczko, *principal*
Phil Denzmore
Cole Richey, *bass trombone*

Tuba

Micah Crouse

Timpani/Percussion

Sara Eckert, *principal*
Emma Kutz
Aidan Perrault
Sam Kelly

Orchestra Staff

Choi, Useon, *assistant conductor, manager/librarian*
Ravelo Chaparro, Sergio Alberto, *manager/librarian*

Jazz Combo I

Kevin Hart, *director*
Luke Podvrsan, *alto saxophone*
Charlie Machamer, *trumpet*
Thaddeus Tukes, *piano*
Dane Rabe, *guitar*
Jack O'Mahoney, *bass*
Jameel Stephens, *drums*

Student Brass Quintet

“Cookin’ with Brass”

Ryan Valdivia, *trumpet*
Lauren Cancio, *trumpet*
Ryan Burns, *horn*
Peyton Gray, *trombone*
JT Butcher, *tuba*



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