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University of California, Irvine
Dr. Stephen Barker, Dean | Claire Trevor School of the Arts

PROGRAM

An evening of music by the students and faculty of the UCI jazz program, using videos and virtual live performance.



There will be two sets with an intermission.

The Wednesday Combo

Matthew Nelson (sax), Adam Kormondy* (keyboards and saxes),
Skyler Bartlett (bass), Nick Ezpeleta* (drums & percussion),
Earl Osmena (drums)
Dr. Bobby Rodriguez — instructor, trumpet

Upside Downside by Mike Stern

Painter Song by Norah Jones

No Motion Picture by Eberhard Weber

Listen to the Heroes Cry by Christian McBride

Supersax: From the UCI Jazz Orchestra

Marcello Pajoh-Casco (lead alto sax), Derek Sun (2nd alto sax),
Matthew Nelson (1st tenor sax), Nathaniel Edu (2nd tenor sax),
Mario Ramirez (baritone sax),
Po'okela Moana (piano), Skyler Bartlett (bass),
Nicholas Coto (drums)
Dr. Bobby Rodriguez — instructor, trumpet

Yardbird Suite by Charlie Parker; arranged by Med Flory

Virtual Performance: The Advanced Jazz Combo

Hime Ikehara, Joseph Nguyen (keyboards),
Nicholas Coto (drums),
Kei Akagi — instructor

Nem Um Talvez by Hermeto Pascoal

Wade Park Morning by Kei Akagi

New Children's Song III by Kei Akagi

*Shikakugai Katsudou: Activities For Which You Are Not Qualified
Under The Provisions Of Your Non-Immigrant Visa* by Kei Akagi

Intermission

Virtual Performance: The Friday Combo

Daniel Montoya, Nathaniel Edu (saxes),
Jerry Pinter — instructor, sax

Amian by Montoya, Edu, Pinter

Naima by John Coltrane

Resolution by John Coltrane

The Tuesday Combo

Lilly Partridge (trombone)

Adam Kormondy* (keyboard & sax)

Kwanwoo Mun (keyboards)

Skyler Bartlett (bass)

AJ Ocampo*, Nick Ezpeleta* (drums & percussion)

Darek Oles — instructor, bass

Lonely Woman by Ornette Coleman

The Sun At The Zenith by Marc Copland

Soul-Leo by Mulgrew Miller

**Graduating Senior*

PRODUCTION TEAM

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Shih-Wei Carrasco-Wu

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Michael Dessen

Producer & Coordinator

Kei Akagi

The Jazz Faculty

Kei Akagi, *piano*

Michael Dessen, *trombone*

Jason Harnell, *drums*

Darek Oles, *bass*

Gerald Pinter, *sax*

Dr. Bobby Rodriguez, *trumpet; UCI Jazz Orchestra conductor*

SPECIAL THANKS

This is the fourth UCI jazz concert since the start of the pandemic lockdown. As always, we express our appreciation to the students and faculty for their immense efforts and patience in keeping the music alive. Thank you Dr. Michael Dessen for your work and expertise in making virtual performances possible during this time. A heartfelt congratulations to the graduating seniors of the UCI Jazz Program! Thank you so much for everything you did for us during the past four years. You will always be remembered.



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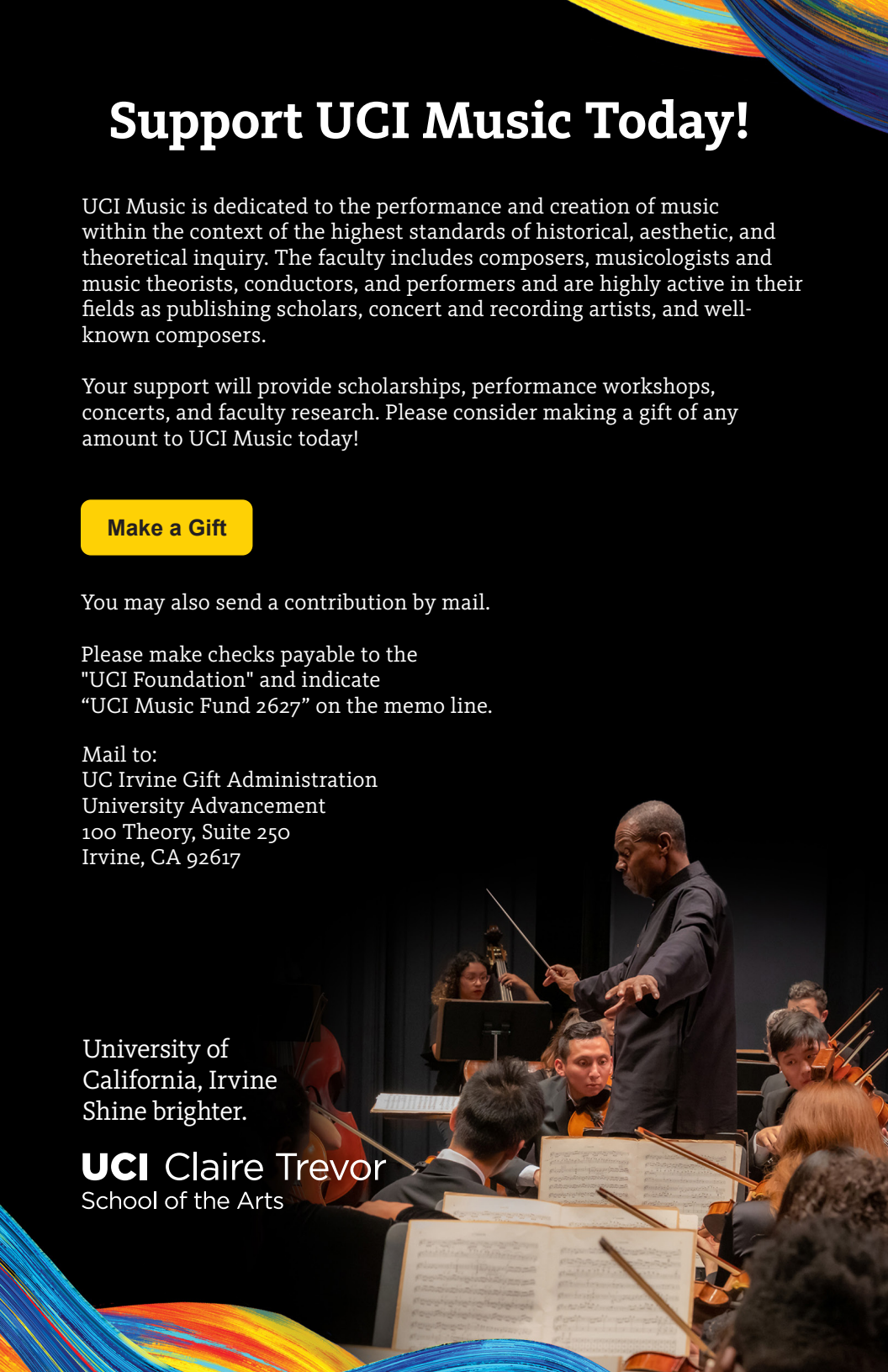
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