

TEXAS MUSIC EDUCATORS ASSOCIATION

presents

The 2007

TCCBDA
*Texas Community College
Band Directors Association*

**ALL-STATE
SYMPHONIC BAND
and JAZZ ENSEMBLE**

Saturday, February 17, 2007

JAZZ ENSEMBLE ... 3:00 p.m.

SYMPHONIC BAND ... 4:30 p.m.

Henry B. Gonzales Convention Center - Ballroom A

San Antonio, Texas

2006-2007 TCCBDA Officers:

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The 2007 Texas Community College All-State

JAZZ ENSEMBLE

Brad Leali, Director

Texas Tech University

Guest Artist, Claus Raible - piano

Program to be selected from:

Puddin' Time	Brad Leali/arr. Tommy James
Fallen Feathers	Quincy Jones/arr. Tommy James
Sin Tax, Struck Sure, and Smile	Michael Cantwell
Just Friends	John Klenner
Moanin'	Bobby Timmons

BRAD LEALI

Brad Leali has been referred to as one of the most important voices on the alto saxophone of his era. This Denver Colorado native has and is still enjoying an extremely successful career in music. Having received his music education degree from the University of North Texas, in which he performed and recorded with the world renowned One O'clock Lab Band, Brad went on to play lead alto saxophone with the Harry Connick Jr. Orchestra as well as being the musical director. During this period, he relocated to New York City and established himself as a major voice in the highly competitive jazz community. After leaving Harry Connick Jr. to join the Count Basie Orchestra, Brad continued to enjoy success as the featured alto saxophone soloist. This band won a Grammy for their CD titled, "Count plays Duke." On this recording, Brad also received a nomination for his solo work on the Billy Strayhorn composition, "Star-Crossed Lovers."

Professor Leali is extremely committed to jazz education. As a highly sought after clinician; he has traveled both nationally and internationally to many schools & festivals to teach students of all ages. He was the Founder/Director of the music school, The Brooklyn Jazz Coalition. Also, as a member of IAJE (International Association of Jazz Educators), he has been the Director of the Clifford Brown/Stan Getz All-Stars, as well as being a clinician and performer for many of their conferences. Professor Leali's philosophy on jazz is very simple and straight forward. "I want everyone to enjoy jazz music – not just jazz musicians. I teach my students to play music, not just the notes, and in their search for creativity, to never forget their audience."

*Special thanks to Heather Mensch, Tyler Junior College (Jazz Ensemble Organizer)
and all directors and applied faculty members who judged the audition tapes.*

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SYMPHONIC BAND

Dr. Barry Kraus, Conductor

Baylor University

Program to be selected from:

- English Folk Song Suite Ralph Vaughan Williams
The Engulfed Cathedral Claude Debussy/Merlin Patterson
Ave Maria Franz Biebl/adapted by Robert Cameron
Fantasy for Euphonium and Band Philip Sparke
Student Soloist: Brandon Quam, Blinn College
Marche Militaire Française Camille Saint-Saëns/Mark Hindsley
Circus Franticus Julie Giroux

BARRY KRAUS

Dr. Barry Kraus is an Assistant Professor and the Associate Director of Bands at Baylor University in Waco, Texas. At Baylor, his duties include conducting the 250 member Golden Wave Marching Band, conducting the Symphonic Band, teaching undergraduate courses in conducting and music education, supervising student teachers, and coordinating the Baylor University Summer Music Camp programs.

Prior to his appointment at Baylor, Dr. Kraus served on the conducting faculty at the University of Texas where he served as the Assistant Director of the Longhorn Marching Band and Director of the Longhorn Basketball Band. He taught instrumental music in the Waco Independent School District.

Dr. Kraus earned graduate degrees in music education and conducting from Arizona State University and Baylor University. He holds an undergraduate degree from Oklahoma State University. His dissertation, entitled "Musicians in Flow: Optimal Experience in the University Wind Ensemble", presents research on student experience in the wind band rehearsal setting. He has also presented research related to conducting and technology at the MENC and CBDNA national conventions.

Barry Kraus has served as a clinician, adjudicator, and guest conductor for bands in Oklahoma, Texas, and Arizona. He holds professional affiliations with the College Band Directors National Association, Music Educators National Conference, Texas Music Educators Association, and the Texas Bandmasters Association. He is also a member of Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia and Pi Kappa Lambda National Music Honor Society. Dr. Kraus also holds honorary memberships in Kappa Kappi Psi and Tau Beta Sigma.

Special thanks to Manny Martinez, Cisco Jr. College (Symphonic Band Organizer); Dennis Eichler, Lee College (Music Organizer); David Griffith, Alvin Community College (Seating Audition Organizer); Brett Jones, Blinn College (Percussion Organizer); Phillip Lowe, Hill College (Concerto Competition Organizer); and all directors and applied faculty members who judged audition tapes and chair auditions.

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PICCOLO

Rachel Sarver North Harris CC

FLUTE

Michele Sotomayor North Harris CC
Michelle Lassiter Blinn College
Melinda Adams Blinn College
Alanna Hill Richland College
Alyssa McKnight Blinn College
Krysta Russell North Harris CC
Evelyn Walker Angelina CC
Courtney Kovar Navarro College
Nick Sanchez Richland College
Sandi Parrish South Plains College

OBOE

Gary Beavers Richland College

BASSOON

Jessica James Midland College
Matthew Case San Antonio College
Bethany Adams Blinn College
Krystal Alley South Plains College

CLARINET

Meghan Berrelez Cisco Junior College
Veronica Cantu Blinn College
Chris Stringfellow Blinn College
Jennifer Kruse Victoria College
Lanee Johnston Blinn College
Patrick Caballero San Jacinto CC
Tiffany Santos Laredo CC
Christina Shipley Blinn College
Eden Simon Midland College
Joshua Turnipseed Blinn College
Roxanne Muniz Blinn College
Sondra Motten Trinity Valley CC
Justin Hughes Paris Junior College
Alysia Ramirez Blinn College
Samantha de Los Santos Navarro College
Jessica Watkins Cisco Junior College
Katsuhiko Arai Richland College
Sarah Depew South Plains College
Meagan Gallegos Navarro College
Doris Ironfield Amarillo CC

BASS CLARINET

Leigh Ann Kirkland San Jacinto-Central CC
Jacqui Dupree Blinn College
JoAnna Nelson Blinn College
Jesus Marquez Richland College

CONTRA-BASS CLARINET

Nicholas Million Blinn College

ALTO SAXOPHONE

Belinda Arredondo Lee College
Brian Visser Blinn College
Jake Ediger Brookhaven College
Rene Rangel San Antonio College
Quin Carter South Plains College
Zach Bell Del Mar College

TENOR SAXOPHONE

Rene Lara Blinn College
David Gulick Temple College

BARITONE SAXOPHONE

Lori Bradshaw Blinn College
Matt Williams Alvin CC

TRUMPET

Kirsten Boynt Blinn College
Michael Edmiston Blinn College
Eric Maes South Plains College
Mark Alan Lozano Howard College
Kristie Davis Victoria College
Adam Brust Blinn College
Jeremy Lewis Panola College
Sasha Stuntz Blinn College
Cory Reynolds North Harris CC
DeShawn Parks Cisco Junior College
Barret Manning Blinn College
Andrew Scheuneman Alvin CC

HORN

Amanda Shue Cisco Junior College
Theresa Crawford Blinn College
James Fritz Victoria College
Elaina George Blinn College
Stan Hildebrand Blinn College
Robert Hackett Richland College
Kimberly Garcia San Jacinto-Central CC
Heather Sinclair Navarro College

TROMBONE

Webb Gardner San Jacinto-Central CC
Donald Pierce Richland College
Brad Visser Blinn College
Austin Wolfe Kingwood College
Johann Gonzales North Harris CC
Alex Nickle Cisco Junior College
Randall Flores San Antonio College
Josh Becerra Alvin CC
Ricardo Rodriguez Navaro College

EUPHONIUM

Brandon Quam Blinn College
Andrew Schmalzer Blinn College
Cole Smith Blinn College
Marcos Fuentes San Jacinto-North CC

TUBA

David Spence Blinn College
Seth Christensen Blinn College
Jonathan Lafferty Blinn College
Charles Gonzales Richland College
Miguel Banuelos Laredo CC
Aaron Rucker Temple College

PERCUSSION

John Leal Del Mar College
Matt Brown Richland College
Darriell Montgomery Trinity Valley CC
Rickey Astorga Blinn College
Clay Jasper Blinn College
Carlos Castillo Laredo CC
Rickey LeBlanc North Harris CC
Martin Quiroga San Jacinto-North CC

THE 2007 TEXAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE ALL-STATE JAZZ ENSEMBLE

SAXOPHONE

Alto 1 Jonathan Arias, Laredo CC
Alto 2 Jacob Wellman, Tyler Junior College
Tenor 1 Vincent Limon, Temple College
Tenor 2 Gary Thomas, Victoria College
Baritone Jordan Goldblatt, Collin County CC

TRUMPET

Lead Daniel Harris, Lee College
2nd Buddy De Santos, Victoria College
3rd Andrew Acuna, Lee College
4th Darryl Roberson, Alvin CC
5th Aaron Johnson, Temple College

TROMBONE

Lead Phil Joseph, Tyler Junior College
2nd Ruth Cunningham, South Plains CC
3rd Alan Burson, Tyler Junior College
Bass Taylor Fox, Brazosport College

RHYTHM SECTION

Robert Ellis, Jr., Brazosport College
GUITAR Jonathan Peachey, Brazosport College
BASS GUITAR Jamelle Houston, Temple College
PIANO Chris McBride, Temple College
DRUM SET