



Department of Music

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Kennesaw State University  
Jazz Combo  
And  
Jazz Guitar Ensemble

Trey Wright, director

Wednesday, April 16, 2008

8:00 pm

Dr. Bobbie Bailey and Family Performance Center  
Performance Hall

*Sixty-first Concert of the 2007-2008 season*

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**Kennesaw State Jazz Guitar Ensemble**

Easy to Love	Cole Porter (1891-1964) Arr. by Trey Wright
Take 5	Dave Brubeck (b. 1920) arr. by Chris Buzzelli
The Loose Apaloosa	Chris Buzzelli (b. 1959)

Guitars: Stephen Chamblee, Conrad Abbott,  
Jackie Sims, Jim Sadler, Matt Kunkle  
Bass: Marc Sims  
Drums: Mesia Austin

**Kennesaw State Jazz Combo A**

Tangerine	V. Schertzinger/J. Mercer (1893-1947 and 1909-1976)
Love Me or Leave Me	W. Donaldson/G. Kahn (1926-1967 and 1886-1941)

El Gaucho

Wayne Shorter  
(b. 1933)

Fungi Mama

Blue Mitchell  
(1930-1979)

Saxophones: Max Watson, Nick Carilli  
Vocals: Laura Shirley  
Guitar: Jim Sadler  
Bass: Marc Sims  
Drums: Mesia Austin

**Kennesaw State Jazz Combo B**

Unit 7

Sam Jones  
(1924-1981)

In A Sentimental Mood

Duke Ellington  
(1899-1974)

Road Song

Wes Montgomery  
(1925-1968)

Super Mario Medley

Koji Kondo  
(b. 1960)

Saxophone: Brandon Bell  
Guitar: Stephen Chamblee  
Piano: Brett Carson  
Bass: Marc Sims  
Drums: Mesia Austin

## **Trey Wright**

*Artist-in-Residence in Jazz Guitar*

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Trey Wright began playing guitar at age 15. Initially inspired by the blues, Trey was exposed to jazz early in his development by a private instructor. While studying Sociology at the University of Georgia, Wright furthered his study of jazz improvisation with pianist and composer Steve Dancz. In 1994, he co-founded the Athens/Atlanta based jazz band Squat. The group is a six-time winner of the Best Jazz Award at the Flagpole Athens Music Awards and has been a featured artist at the Atlanta Jazz Festival, the Twilight Athens Jazz Festival, and Harvest Midtown. Squat has performed with Medeski, Martin, and Wood; the B-52's; Maceo Parker; Maynard Ferguson; the Squirrel Nut Zippers; the Derek Trucks Band; the Sting Cheese Incident; Sector 9; and the Charlie Hunter Trio. Along with managing Squat and producing six independent CD releases, Trey plays guitar and piano with the group touring throughout the Southeast.

Trey also plays freelance in the Athens and Atlanta area and has performed with upright and electric bassist John Patitucci, Jimmy Haslip, Grammy winning saxophonist Joe Lovano, Tim Armacost, Tim Hagens and Mel Bay Records artist Corey Christiansen. With the Steve Dancz Quartet and the UGA Jazz Band, Trey has performed at the Montreux Jazz Festival, Jazz A Vienne, and the World Sacred Music Festival in Bangalore, India. As a solo guitarist and with his trio, Trey has been a featured performer at the Athens Music and Arts Festival, the Lake Oconee Jazz Festival, and the Atlanta Jazz Festival.

In December of 2002, Trey completed a Master of Music degree in Jazz Studies at Georgia State University, and he currently is on faculty at Kennesaw State University, La Grange College and the Atlanta Institute of Music. In February 2006, Trey released his first solo CD, *Where I'm Calling From*.

## **Kennesaw State University Upcoming Music Events**

**Friday, April 18**

Kennesaw State University

*Guitar Ensemble*

8:00 pm • Bailey Performance Center Concert Hall

**Tuesday, April 22, 2008**

Kennesaw State University

*Choral Ensembles*

8:00 pm • Bailey Performance Center Concert Hall

**Wednesday, April 23, 2008**

Kennesaw State University

*Concert Band and Wind Ensemble*

8:00 pm • Bailey Performance Center Concert Hall

**Thursday, April 24, 2008**

Kennesaw State University

*Jazz Ensemble*

8:00 pm • Bailey Performance Center Concert Hall

**Sunday, April 27, 2008**

Kennesaw State University

*Gospel Choir*

3:00 pm • Bailey Performance Center Concert Hall

**Monday, April 28, 2008**

Kennesaw State University

*Percussion Ensemble*

8:00 pm • Bailey Performance Center Concert Hall

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