

# MSU Music

PRESENTS:

## ***Michigan State University Professors of Jazz***

Friday, February 13, 2015, at 8:00 p.m.  
Cook Recital Hall, MSU Music Building

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# PROGRAM

**Nutville**

**Horace Silver**

**Nefeli**

**Diego Rivera**

**The Presence of Fire**

**Randy Napoleon**

**Ballad Medley**

**Various**

**First Steps into Reality**

**Xavier Davis**

**All of You**

**Xavier Davis**

**The Big D**

**Michael Dease**

## **Michigan State University Professors of Jazz**

**Etienne Charles  
Xavier Davis  
Michael Dease  
Randy Gelispie  
Randy Napoleon  
Diego Rivera  
Joseph Vasquez**

**Trumpet  
Piano  
Trombone  
Drums  
Guitar  
Saxophone  
Bass**

# **The Jazz Club**

## **2014 – 2015 Season**

The Michigan State University Jazz Studies Program aims to be the best training ground in the nation for aspiring jazz musicians. Private contributions help ensure our ability to provide an environment that nurtures the highest level of excellence and inspires the next generation of jazz musicians. Gifts support student scholarships, fellowships, outreach activities, student travel, the opportunity to bring guest artists to campus to enhance the student experience, and other crucial areas that make MSU Jazz Studies the outstanding program that it is.

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## 2015 – Spring Upcoming Jazz Events

Friday, February 20, 8:00pm, Cook Recital Hall, \$  
MSUFCU Michigan Jazz Icons Vincent Bowens, Saxophone,  
and Tim Froncek, Drums – MSU Jazz Octets I, II, III, IV

Friday, March 6, 8:00pm, Fairchild Theatre, \$  
MSUFCU Guest Artist Peter Bernstein, Guitar  
with Jazz Orchestra I, II, III

Thursday, April 16, 7:30pm, Fairchild Theatre, \$  
Jazz Spectacular  
MSU Jazz Octets I, II, III, IV

Friday, April 17, 8:00pm, MSU Demonstration Hall Ballroom, \$  
Jazz Spectacular – Swing Dance  
MSU Jazz Orchestra I, II, III

Saturday, April 18, 7:30pm, Fairchild Theatre, \$25, \$20, \$15  
Jazz Spectacular – Wrap-up Concert

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**\$ General Admission** tickets. \$10 adults, \$8 seniors (age 60 and older), free for students with ID & those under age 18. These tickets are available at the door 60 minutes before each performance, online at [music.msu.edu](http://music.msu.edu), over the phone at 517.353.5340, or in person in Room 102, Music Building, 333. West Circle Dr., M-F, 8:00 am-5:00 pm.

**Special Admission** tickets (THESE EVENTS ARE RESERVED SEATING)

**\$\$** – \$15 adults, \$12 seniors (age 60 and older), \$5 students with ID & those under age 18. (Free “rush” seating for students, if available)

**\$\$\$** – tickets (\$20 Adults, \$18 Seniors (age 60 and older), \$10 students with ID & anyone under 18.

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