

Graduates

of the

Jamey Aebersold Jazz Studies Program

Individuals who graduated with jazz degrees and ones who played a vital role in our program

Year	Instrument	Degree	Home
May 2019			
Pedro Augusto	Drum Set	MM Jazz Emphasis	Brasilia, Brazil
Harry Clark	Guitar	BM Jazz	Edgewood, KY
Kendall Carter	Piano	MM Jazz Composition	Louisville, KY
Blase Groody	Saxophone	BM Jazz	Louisville, KY
Dylon Jones	Saxophone	BA Jazz Emphasis	Whitley City, KY
Chad O'Brien	Trombone	MM Jazz Emphasis	Oswego, IL
Lucas Tomé	Drum Set	MM Jazz Emphasis	Goiânia, Brazil
December 2018			
Bradley McKinney	Saxophone	BA Jazz Emphasis	Louisville, KY
May 2018			
Troy Burchett	Guitar	BM Jazz	Ashland, KY
Taylor Nelson	Guitar	MM Jazz Emphasis	Louisville, KY
Hamilton Pinheiro	Bass	MM Jazz Emphasis	Brasilia, Brazil
December 2017			
Brehnan Miller	Drum Set	BM Jazz	Harrodsburg, KY
Pauline Ottaviano	Bass	BA Jazz	Fayetteville, NY
John Walker	Saxophone	BA Jazz	Albuquerque, NM
Stuart Wicke	Bass	BM Jazz	Louisville, KY
May 2017			
Sam Broussard	Drum Set		
Jake Daniels	Saxophone	BMEd Jazz Track	Cincinnati, OH
Caitlin Edwards	Violin	BM	Birmingham, AL
Jeff Endly	Saxophone	BA Jazz	Dallas, TX
Ethan Evens	Trombone	BMEd Jazz Track	Bridgeport, WV
Meghan Pund	Saxophone	MM Jazz Emphasis	Santa Claus, IN
Noah Reed	Saxophone	MM Jazz Emphasis	Columbus, OH
May 2016			
Iara Gomes	Composition/ Piano	MM Jazz Emphasis	Brasilia, Brazil
Andrey Goncalves	Bass	MM Jazz Emphasis	Vitória, Brazil
Jean Gorce	Trumpet	BM Jazz	Louisville, KY
Josh Parker	Guitar	MM Jazz Emphasis	Stanford, KY
Thomaz Souza	Saxophone	MM Jazz Emphasis	Botelhos, Brazil
December 2015			
Arabo Bey	Trumpet	MM Jazz Emphasis	Pittsburg, PA
Jonathan Driver	Saxophone	BM Jazz	Corydon, IN
Rafael Lopez	Guitar	BM Jazz	Holguin, Cuba
Claudia Martinez	Composition/ Guitar	MM Jazz Emphasis	Quito, Ecuador

May 2015

Ben Boelscher	Guitar	BM Jazz	Burlington, KY
Israel Cuenca	Drum Set	MM Jazz Emphasis	Loja, Ecuador
Luke Miller	Saxophone	MM Jazz Emphasis	Hinton, WV
Thiago Wojtowicz	Saxophone	MM Jazz Emphasis	Brasilia, Brazil

May 2014

Johnny Chai	Drum Set	MM Jazz Emphasis	Shanghai, China
Ben Hogan	Drum Set	MM Jazz Emphasis	De Pere, WI
Nick Kaizer	Trumpet	BM Jazz	Ames, Iowa
Shawn Knabel	Guitar	BM Jazz	Louisville, KY
Diego Lyra	Composition/ Piano	MM Jazz Emphasis	Recife, Brazil
Ashley Miller	Saxophone	BM Therapy/Jazz	Columbus, IN
Jose Oreta	Bass	MM Jazz Emphasis	
Isaac Poole	Guitar	BM Jazz	Louisville, KY

December 2013

Chris Grzech	Piano	BM Jazz	Lexington, KY
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May 2013

Brandon Coleman	Guitar	MM Jazz Emphasis	Pikeville, KY
Jonathan Gardner	Bass	BM Jazz	Louisville, KY
Joseph Hanna	Saxophone	BA Jazz	Taylor Mills, KY
Joseph Thieman	Trumpet	MM Jazz Emphasis	
Bruno Souza	Drum Set	MM Jazz Emphasis	Brasilia, Brazil
Lourenço Vasconcellos	Drum Set	MM Jazz Emphasis	Brasilia, Brazil

December 2012

Israel Cuenca	Drum Set	BM Jazz	Loja, Ecuador
Samir Kambarov	Saxophone	MM Jazz Emphasis	Rostov, Russia
Javier Perez	Composition/ Guitar	MM Jazz Emphasis	Bogotá, Colombia

May 2012

Christopher Clark	Saxophone	MM Jazz Emphasis	Charlestown, WV
Will Fisher	Drum Set	MM Jazz Emphasis	Toronto, Canada
Graeme Gardiner	Saxophone	BM Jazz	Lexington, KY
Zack Kennedy	Drum Set	BM Jazz	Cincinnati, OH
Jesse McBee	Trumpet	MM Jazz Emphasis	Elkins, WV
Luke McIntosh	Bass	MM Jazz Emphasis	McKay, Australia
Ryan Sanders	Saxophone	BM Jazz	St. Charles, IL
Pablo Souza	Bass	MM Jazz Emphasis	Belo Horizonte, Brazil

May 2011

John Arstingstall	Guitar	MM Jazz Emphasis	Villa Hills, KY
Noah Barker	Piano	BM Jazz	Jeffersonville, NY
Israel Cuenca	Drum Set	BM Jazz	Loja, Ecuador
Amy Hutts	Bass	BM Jazz	Terre Haute, IN
Aaron Latos	Drum Set	BM Jazz	Linn, WV
Alfredo Moura	Composition	MM Jazz Emphasis	Salvador, Brazil
Stacey Nash	Bass	MM Jazz Emphasis	Abilene, TX
Austin Skarshaug	Drums	BM Jazz	Ames, Iowa
Russell Zimmer	Trumpet	MM Jazz Emphasis	San Jose, CA

December 2011

Anderson Pessoa

Saxophone/
Composition MM Jazz Emphasis

Brasilia, Brazil

May 2010Saulo de Almelda
Joseph Dunn
Daniel Falter
Jonathan Hogan
Alim NastaevBass MM Jazz Emphasis
Drums MM Jazz Emphasis
Drums MM Jazz Emphasis
Saxophone BM Jazz
Guitar MM Jazz EmphasisRio de Janeiro, Brazil
El Paso, TX
Irmo, S.C.
Cincinnati, OH
Rostov, Russia**May 2009**Joe Auger
Jonas Butler
Matt Human
Craig TweddellSaxophone MM Jazz Emphasis
Trumpet MM Jazz Emphasis
Bass MM Jazz Emphasis
Trumpet MM Jazz EmphasisChalfont, PA
Nashville, TN
Cincinnati, OH
Ashland, KY**May 2008**Luke Barker
Jonathan Epley
Brett Hawkins
Ian Hayes
Curtis KennedySaxophone BA Jazz
Guitar MM Jazz Emphasis
Drum Set MM Jazz Emphasis
Guitar MM Jazz Emphasis
Guitar MM Jazz EmphasisLouisville, KY
Greeneville, TN
Tarboro, N.C.**May 2007**Natalie Boeyink
David Clark
Jake Goran
Alexis MarshBass MM Jazz Emphasis
Saxophone MM Jazz Emphasis
Saxophone BM Jazz
Saxophone MM Jazz EmphasisBloomington, IN
Pine Bluff, AR
Champaign, IL
Winnipeg, Canada**May 2006**Dan Dorff
Jonathan Epley
Sam Farley
Jason Foureman
John Harden
Justin Hornback
Matt YarboroughDrum Set MM Jazz Emphasis
Guitar BM Jazz
Piano MM Jazz Emphasis
Bass MM Jazz Emphasis
Saxophone BA Jazz
Piano BA Jazz
Trombone MM Jazz EmphasisLoveland, OH
Greeneville, TN
Canton, OH
North Carolina
Indianapolis, IN
Louisville, KY
Charlotte, N.C.**May 2005**Michael Arthurs
Brandon Bernstein
Brian Healey
Andrew Miller
Bruno Pegoraro
Daniela Schmitz
Aaron YoungSaxophone MM Jazz Emphasis
Guitar MM Jazz Emphasis
Piano MM Jazz Emphasis
Saxophone BA Jazz Emphasis
Saxophone MM Jazz Emphasis
Saxophone BA Jazz Emphasis
Guitar MM Jazz EmphasisToronto, Canada
Wilmington, DL
Cumberland, ME
Louisville, KY
Brasilia, Brazil
Cologne, Germany
Toronto, Canada**May 2004**Bob Bertke
John Bishop
David Clark
Brian Hodges
Colby Inzer
Jim Lewis
Delfeayo Marsalis
Gray MayfieldTrumpet BMed
Guitar MM Jazz Emphasis
Saxophone BMed
Saxophone BMed
Drum Set MM Jazz Emphasis
Trumpet MM Jazz Emphasis
Trombone MM Jazz Emphasis
Saxophone MM Jazz EmphasisNashville, TN
San Francisco, CA
Pine Bluff, AR
Prattville, AL
New Albany Indiana
Toronto, Canada
New Orleans, LA
Rochester, NY

Andre Wilson	Saxophone	MM	Louisville
May 2003			
Fabio Brum	trumpet	BM Performance	Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
Mason Embry	Piano	BA Music Industry	Leitchfield, KY
Michael Mueller	Piano	MM Jazz Emphasis	Ottobrunn, Germany
Bunny Saranita	Trumpet	MMEd	Manchester, NH
Paul Shepherd	Saxophone	BMEd	Lakewood, CO
Lorenzo Trujillo	Trumpet	BM	Westminster, CO
Josh Toppass	Saxophone	BMEd	Frankfort, KY
David Umstead	Trumpet	MM Jazz Emphasis	Manchester, NH
Darren Wall	Bass	MM Jazz Emphasis	Grimsby, Canada
December 2002			
Chip Anderson	Trombone	MM	Winchester, KY
Elie Katzin	Guitar	MM Jazz Emphasis	Toronto, Canada
May 2002			
Robert Nickerson	Saxophone	MM Jazz Emphasis	Montgomery, AL
Chris Mickel	Saxophone	MM	Nitro, WV
Ochion Jewell	Saxophone	BM	Gray, KY
Patrick O'Rourke	Bass	BMEd	Bowling Green, KY
December 2001			
Roger Levering	Trumpet	BA	Frankfort, KY
Renato Vasconcellos	Piano	MM Jazz Emphasis	Brasilia, Brazil
May 2001			
Samantha Chaney	Trumpet	BA	Louisville, KY
May 2000			
Mac Abercrombie	Trombone	BMEd	New Albany, IN
Chip Anderson	Trombone	BMEd	Winchester, KY
Dan Behringer	Guitar	BA Jazz Emphasis	Jeffersonville, IN
Quinn Blanford	Drum Set	BA Jazz Emphasis	Frankfort, KY
Bill McCord	Trombone	BA Music Industry Emphasis	<i>Flemingsburg, KY</i>
August 1999			
Victoria McAllister	Trombone		Louisville
May 1999			
Gary Claude	Drum Set	BA Jazz	Sherwood, AR
Adams Gaines	Trumpet	BM Performance	Sadieville, KY
Jeff Rehmet	Piano	MM Theory/Composition	Louisville, KY
Dwight Wiest	Saxophone	MM	Salt Lake City, UT
August 1998			
Brian Hornbuckle	Trumpet	MM	Huntington, WV
May 1998			
Michael Hornbuckle	Trombone	MM	Huntington, WV
David Phy	Trombone	BA Music Education	Elizabethtown, KY
May 1997			
Daemon Becker	Saxophone	BMEd	Elizabeth, IN

Lindsay Brawner	Trumpet	BMed	Frankfort, KY
Tom Money	Trumpet	MM	Wittensville, KY

May 1996

Derek Siebert	Saxophone	MM	Villa Hills, KY
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August 1995

Andre Wilson	Saxophone	BMed	Louisville
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May 1995

Jeff Rehmet	Piano	BM Theory/Composition	Louisville, KY
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May 1994

Derek Siebert	Saxophone	BMed	Villa Hills, KY
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May 1993

Michael Ferraraccio	Drum Set	MM Percussion	Auburn, NY
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May 1992

Chris Fitzgerald	Piano	MM Theory/Composition	Louisville, KY
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May 1989

Chris Fitzgerald	Piano	BM Theory/Composition	Louisville, KY
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May 1982

Terry O'Mahoney	Percussion	BMed	Louisville
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May 1975

Steve Crews	Piano	BM	Louisville
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May 1974

Mike Tracy	Saxophone	BM & BMed	Louisville
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May 1966

Jimmy Walker	Flute	BM	Central City, KY
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Justin Cook

Saxophone BA

Elizabethtown, KY

Meredith Cook

Trumpet

Frankfort, KY

B.J. Jansen

Saxophone BAJazz

Cincinnati, OH