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CONCERT SERIES 2024-2025

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH ALABAMA DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC LAIDLAW PERFORMING ARTS CENTER RECITAL HALL

USA JAZZ ENSEMBLE Spring Concert

William H. Petersen, director

Opening Set

Alan Downey arranged by Chris Sharp

Jon Grayson Kerr

George Gershwin

J.J. Johnson

Duke Ellington arranged by Sammy Nestico

Lorenz Hart and Richard Rodgers arranged by Rick Hirsch

USA Combos

Gershwin Gang

Summertime (1935)

Say When (1967)

The Jagtet

Closing Set

Yardbird Suite (1946)

Living Life Fast (2024) (world premiere) Charlie Parker

arranged by Jon Grayson Kerr

arranged by Mark Taylor

Joshua Whiting

Give it One (1976)

You and I and the Stars Above (2025) (world premiere)

Satin Doll (1953)

My Funny Valentine (1937)

Freddie Freeloader (1955)

Samba del Gringo (1999)

Miles Davis arranged by Les Hooper

Gordon Goodwin

The Sixty-first Concert of Academic Year 2024-2025

Tuesday, April 15, 2025 7:30 p.m.

JAZZ ENSEMBLE PERSONNEL Spring 2025 William H. Petersen, director

Saxophone

Tristen Bodiford, alto # Jacob Pryor, alto Samuel Hamner, alto Rivers Lewis, tenor * Aidan Bullard, tenor Zion Shoots, bari

Trumpet

Jaleel Hughes * Andrew McKinley # Charlie Wine James Neal Jaxson Witte Everett Salter

Trombone

Jon Grayson Kerr # Morgan Davis Bradley Zinck Jeff Ward Josue Mendoza Torres Marshall Waites, bass * **Piano/Keyboard** Joshua Whiting # *

Bass Jeffrey Ward # Josue Mendoza-Torres *

Drum Set Myles Course # Collin Westland *

Vibes/Auxiliary Percussion Collin Westland *

denotes *Jagtet* member* denotes *Gershwin Gang* member

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