



Jazz St. Louis Artist Residency Program

Artist Residencies bring the best musicians and educators to St. Louis to work with students in more intensive, small-group settings.

Jazz St. Louis's Residency artists are national performers and educators dedicated to securing the future of jazz through outreach and in-school performances. Jazz St. Louis engages these artists for an entire week, during which they visit area schools and conduct master classes and clinics for middle and high school musicians, allowing for more hands-on coaching. At the elementary level, Residency artists perform in-school, introducing many young people to jazz for the first time while teaching them about the great art form. These artists cap off their week in St. Louis with either performances on the Jazz at the Bistro stage or free community concerts held at various venues throughout the area.

2016-17 available artists and dates:



Sharel Cassity, Ingrid Jensen, & Ben Wolfe October 24–29, 2016



Jazz at Lincoln Center Group featuring Terrell Stafford, Rodney Whitaker, Steve Fidyk, & Andre Hayward January 9–13, 2017



Keyon Harrold, Lawrence Fields, Adam Larson, & Kimberly Thompson April 3–7, 2017

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Artist Request Form

JAZZ ST. LOUIS ARTIST RESIDENCY PROGRAM

Name _____ Title _____

School _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone # _____ Email _____

INFORMATION

Requested artist(s), date(s), and time(s) (please list in order of preference):

1. Artist _____ Date _____ Time _____

2. Artist _____ Date _____ Time _____

3. Artist _____ Date _____ Time _____

Type of activity: Clinic Master Class Performance

Type of group the artist will be working with: Combo Big Band Other

Room where the event is to take place: _____

Grade level(s) to attend: _____

Approximate number of students to attend: _____

Parking for artists _____

Briefly describe what you would like the artist to work on with your student ensemble. Please include the names of any big band charts and combo tunes you will be working on so that the artist may be prepared. (Include composer and arranger information if possible.)

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:

Date Received _____ Date Entered _____

Date Confirmed _____ initials _____



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Jazz St. Louis Artist Residency Program Artist Request Form *(continued)*

Jazz St. Louis is able to offer free in-school clinics, workshops, master classes, and in-school performances through its Artist Residency program. No school is guaranteed to receive an artist.

Residency artists for the 2016-17 season include:

- **Sharel Cassity** (saxophone), **Ingrid Jensen** (trumpet), & **Ben Wolfe** (bass)
October 24–29, 2016
- **Jazz at Lincoln Center Group featuring: Terell Stafford** (trumpet), **Rodney Whitaker** (bass), **Steve Fidyk** (drums), & **Andre Hayward** (trombone) January 9–13, 2017
- **Keyon Harrold** (trumpet), **Lawrence Fields** (piano), **Adam Larson** (saxophone), & **Kimberly Thompson** (drums) April 3–7, 2017

SCHEDULING AN ARTIST

1. Please consider the following when scheduling an artist for an in-school activity:
 - **DATE AND TIME OF VISIT** Residency artists are only available during the dates specified above. Residency activities are generally not scheduled before 9 a.m. There are always exceptions, so please contact us if you have a specific request.
 - **SESSION LENGTH** Clinics, workshops and master classes are scheduled for one - two hour blocks of time, while in-school performances last between 45 minutes and one hour. Session times are flexible and will be tailored to fit your students' schedules and needs.
 - **YOUR SCHOOL'S RESOURCES** For in-school performances, please make sure that the performance space has available a tuned, acoustic piano and a basic PA system that delivers clear, undistorted sound. The piano must be playable and have been tuned one day prior to the performance. In some cases, Jazz St. Louis may be able to supplement equipment and instruments if your school lacks sufficient resources.
2. Once you have completed the attached form, please fax or mail to:
 - FAX** 314.571.6004, attn: JSL Artist Residency Program
 - MAIL** JSL Artist Residency Program
c/o Jazz St. Louis
3536 Washington Ave.
St. Louis, MO, 63103
 - EMAIL** andy@jazzstl.org
3. Once received, we will contact you by phone or email to confirm your request. Artists are considered on a first-come-first served basis. Artists are not guaranteed until confirmed by a Jazz St. Louis representative.
4. All schools that receive a performance by a Jazz St. Louis artist are **REQUIRED** to have their students and teachers fill out a brief survey regarding the event. These surveys aid in our efforts to find continued support to keep our programs free to all.

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