

GUEST ARTIST SERIES



Season Kickoff Music Festival

August 23 • 5-8:30 p.m.

Free outdoor concert featuring Funky Butt Brass Band, Woodshine Bluegrass Band, and Pamwe Marimba Band. There will be food, beverages and a

fun atmosphere for everyone!



Pop!Pop!Pop! Orchestra with Anita Jackson

September 6 • 7:30 p.m.

Pop!Pop!Pop! Orchestra celebrates the most dominant musical media of the past 50 years, popular music, through the power of live string performances. Come for a

show celebrating three brilliant singer/songwriters featuring St. Louis icon, vocalist Anita Jackson!



Arianna String Quartet

September 20 • 7:30 p.m.

"Mastery of the scores and absolute unity of interpretive purpose"—Spokesman-Review. "Quartet playing doesn't get much better than this"—Chicago Tribune. Members of the Arianna String Quartet serve on the

faculty at the University of Missouri-St. Louis. They also present an interdisciplinary performance and lecture series on St. Louis Public Radio.



Lovestruck Balladeers

October 18 • 7:30 p.m.

The Lovestruck Balladeers enchant audiences with their masterful performances and inspired repertoire of ragtime, jazz, and beautiful songs from around the world. Together or on

their own paths, this stellar band of traveling musicians has traversed the country and the globe, carrying traditional styles into modern times.



Bistro and Brewer: If Music Be the Food of Love

November 8 • 6 p.m. **Bistro, 7 p.m. Concert**

Grammy award winning soprano Christine Brewer and the ECC Culinary Department present an unforgettable evening of food

and beautiful music. Christine Brewer was named one of the top 20 sopranos of all time (BBC Music). The seating is limited, please reserve your tickets early.



David Halen, Bjorn Ranheim, and Jennifer Judd in Concert

January 24 • 7:30 p.m.

It is our great pleasure to once again welcome St. Louis Symphony Orchestra concertmaster David Halen

and acclaimed SLSO cellist Bjorn Ranheim with pianist Jennifer Judd for an evening of spectacular music. Halen, Ranheim and Judd will perform trios by Rachmaninoff and Brahms.



Vivaldi's Four Seasons

April 4 • 7:30 p.m.

Led by Baroque violin soloist, Daniel Lee, Early Music Missouri brings Antonio Vivaldi's Four Seasons to the ECC stage.

Probably the best-known program music in the classical repertoire,

these concerti depict roiling streams, wintery blasts, dancing peasants, baying dogs and more. Performed by a chamber ensemble playing period instruments, this concert offers listeners an exciting introduction to the sounds of Vivaldi's musical world. The ECC Choir will join singers and instrumentalists from Early Music Missouri for a performance of excerpts from Antonio Vivaldi's Gloria.



Twinspeak: Alan and Mark Ferber Group

April 25 • 7:30 p.m.

Multiple GRAMMY-nominated/winning trombonist-composer-arranger Alan Ferber has been called "one of the jazz

world's premier composers and arrangers for larger groups" by All About Jazz NY. His twin brother, drummer Mark Ferber, can be heard on over 200 recordings. This start-studded group will bring an amazing finale concert to the Jazz Festival.

GET TICKETS

For tickets to Guest Artist performances call 636-584-6693 or visit: www.eastcentral.edu/tickets. Unless otherwise noted, performances are held in the John Edson Anglin Performing Arts Center located in Hansen Hall on the Union campus. **Matinee events, student ensemble performances, recitals, and festivals are open to the public at no charge.**

MATINEE SERIES

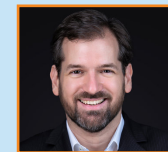


Miguel Espinoza Fusion

September 27 • 4 p.m. • HH 105

Miguel Espinoza is hailed as one of the best flamenco guitarists in the world. Described by Guitar Player Magazine as, "Mesmerizing. Miguel Espinoza Fusion is world

class global chamber music making that explodes the parameters of style, yet ever remains close to the heart."- David Balakrishnan.



Javor Bracic Piano Recital

November 1 • 5 p.m. • HH 105

The Croatian pianist Dr. Javor Bracic was praised by New York Concert Review for "deep, genuine musicianship and an outstanding technique" at his

Carnegie Hall debut recital. He has given recitals in five continents. Dr. Bracic is on the faculty of the University of Connecticut and Queens College.



Parisian Tenebrae Lessons

February 7 • 4 p.m. HH 105

Early Music Missouri presents a concert of intimate and moving French vocal music for the

Lenten season. Tenebrae Lessons, sung in the final week of Lent, were heard in churches and chapels across Europe. This concert feature some of the finest Baroque Tenebrae Lessons by Marc-Antoine Charpentier and Louis-Nicolas Clérambault sung by a trio of sopranos accompanied by period instruments.



Faculty Recital

March 7 • 4 p.m. • Theatre

Members of the ECC Music Department faculty present a dynamic concert that includes works by a diverse array of composers and styles. Please

join us to hear the very talented ECC Music Department faculty in this popular recital.



Kaffee and Kuchen Concert

April 11 • 4 p.m. • Theatre Lobby

Join pianist Melanie Lina and her husband Hank of Just Hank's Coffee for a springtime 'kaffee und kuchen' concert — the perfect Friday afternoon treat starting with coffee and cake served in style by Hank, followed by a delightful set of solo piano works, as well as piano 4-hand selections, in which Melanie will be joined by her friend, pianist Jennifer Judd.

ENSEMBLE SERIES

ECC Band Concert
October 8 • 7 p.m.

College Choirs Concert
October 17

ECC Bands Concert
December 3 • 7 p.m.

Christmas Celebration - College Choirs
December 6 Location TBD

ECC Bands Concert
March 4 • 7 p.m.

College Choirs Concert
March 11

POPS Concert
May 9
Washington Fairgrounds

College Choir Concert
May 13 • Time TBD

FESTIVALS

Piano Sonatina and Violin Festival
February 1 - 2

MSHSAA Solo/Ensemble
March 7 - 8

Midwest Sheet Music Choral Festival
March 11

Palen Band Days
March 13 - 14

MSHSAA Large Ensemble Festival
March 27 - 28

Jazz Festival
April 24 - 25

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DEGREES OFFERED

Associate of Arts in Music
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East Central College is an accredited member of the National Association of Schools of Music.

PERFORMANCE OPPORTUNITIES

College Choir • Vocé Blue • College Band
Jazz Combo • Jazz Band
Percussion Ensemble • String Ensemble
Guitar Ensemble • Piano Ensemble

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