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Trombonist Andy Martin and Hollywood composer Patrick Williams at Jazz Festival

LOS ANGELES JAZZ TROMBONIST ANDY MARTIN and his quartet will spend this coming weekend on campus ... helping train aspiring young musicians during the day and blowing audiences out of their seats at concerts each night. This is the 30th year for the campus Jazz Festival which has a rich history of bringing in the greats in the field to perform alongside the University's own talented jazz ensembles.

Another guest artist this year is Hollywood composer Patrick Williams, who has written more than 200 scores for theatrical features and television films. Winner of four Emmys, two GRAMMY awards, and nominations for both an Academy Award and the Pulitzer Prize in music, Williams has a special role at this year's TCU Jazz Festival. During the Saturday night event, he will conduct a work he has composed in honor of the 30th anniversary of **Curt Wilson**, director of TCU's jazz studies program. The piece is titled *The Sun Will Shine Today*.

The TCU Jazz Festival is part of International DFW Month 2007, one of 20 collaborative events organized by DFW International Community Alliance.

The lineup for the weekend:

Friday, March 23

Film Music Seminar with Patrick Williams, 10 a.m., Moudy 161S. Free

The Andy Martin Quartet
7:30 p.m., Ed Landreth Auditorium
\$10 at the door

Saturday, March 24

28 area high school and middle school jazz ensembles, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.
Ed Landreth Auditorium, PepsiCo Recital Hall

Awards concert with TCU Jazz Ensembles, guest artist Andy Martin and world premiere of Patrick Williams' *The Sun Will Shine Today*, 7:30 p.m., Ed Landreth Auditorium
\$10 at the door

For more information, call ext. 7640. ♦

Wind Symphony selected to perform at national band conference in Michigan

NEARLY ONE YEAR AGO, THE TCU WIND Symphony and its director, **Bobby Francis**, received word that the group had been competitively selected to perform at this year's College Band Directors National Association Conference. Now they're getting ready to

EVENTS

Today

Women's Tennis vs. Kansas State, 6 p.m., Bayard Friedman Tennis Center.***

Guest Artist Series with Fischer Duo, 7:30 p.m., PepsiCo Recital Hall.**

March 20-21

TIAA/CREF meetings on campus with Nanette Johnson, registration required through TIAA/CREF.

March 20

Dept. of Art & Art History presents "Walker Evans and the Discourse of Documentary Photography," with Jessica May (Amon Carter Museum), 11 a.m., Moudy 132N. Call ext. 6820 for more information.

March 21

KinoMonda International Film Series presents *Fire* (1996/India), 6:30 p.m., Sid Richardson Bldg., LH 4. Call ext. 7292 for more information.

March 22-24

Theatre TCU presents *The Shape of Things* by Neil LaBute, Thurs. & Fri. at 5:30 p.m., Sat. at 2:30 and 7:30 p.m., Hays Theatre. Admission \$10/adults, \$5/students. For reservations, call ext. 5770.

March 22

American Speech-Language-Hearing Association reaccreditation visit, 4:30-5 p.m., Miller Speech & Hearing Clinic, Room 115. Call ext. 7621 for more information.

Women's History Month event, film screening of *Real Women Have Curves*, with discussion to follow, 6:30 p.m., Sid Richardson Bldg., LH 4.

RTVF Film Series presents *Pillow Talk* (1959), 7 p.m., 164 Moudy South. Call ext. 7630 for more information.

March 23-24

30th Annual TCU Jazz Festival event with

head for Ann Arbor, MI to represent TCU at a March 29 concert in the 3,500-seat Hill Auditorium on the campus of University of Michigan.

Being chosen for a CBDNA National Conference is a first in the 104-year history of the TCU Band, says Bobby, who notes that the Wind Symphony will be playing in front of most of the college band directors in the entire country.

The TCU and Fort Worth community can hear a free preview of this concert next Monday, March 26 at 7:30 p.m. in Ed Landreth Auditorium. The program includes:

Trumpet Gloria, *Kammermusic for Organ and Chamber Orchestra* (Joe Butler is soloist), *Percy Grainger's Ye Banks and Braes of Bonnie Doon & Lost Lady Found* featuring the TCU Chamber Choir, *Lollapalooza*, *Arctic Dreams* and Charles Ives' *Country Band March*.

guest trombone artist Andy Martin and world premiere by Hollywood film composer Patrick Williams, 7:30 p.m., Ed Landreth Auditorium. Admission \$10 at the door.**

March 23

"State of the Black Church Summit," 11:30 a.m. - 2 p.m., Kelly Center; Awards Banquet, 6:30 - 9 p.m., Kelly Center. Call ext. 7580 for reservations or information.

Women's Tennis vs. VCU, 5 p.m., Bayard Friedman Tennis Center.***

March 24-25

RAD class offered by TCU Police Department, 1-7 p.m. both days, free to any female, University Rec Center, room 2. To sign up, call ext. 7276.

March 26-30

Master of Fine Arts exhibition of printmaking by Lori Dolan, University Art Gallery, Moudy Bldg.-north entrance, free admission.*

March 26

Tandy Executive Speaker Series with David Wilson, president and CEO Graduate Management Admission Council, 7:30-9 a.m., Kelly Center.

Brite and TCU will present a seminar and panel discussion on "Why the Holocaust is a Christian Issue," 7 p.m., Robert Carr Chapel. Call ext. 7597 for reservations or information.

TCU Wind Symphony CBDNA preview concert, conducted by **Bobby Francis**, 7:30 p.m., Ed Landreth Auditorium.**

TCU School of Music Faculty Recital Series with **David Yeomans** (piano), 7:30 p.m., PepsiCo Recital Hall.**

*Call art & art history at ext. 7643.

**Call the School of Music at ext. 7602.

***Call the athletic ticket office at ext. 7967.

Other universities selected to perform at this year's CBDNA conference include Central Michigan University, Cincinnati Conservatory, Florida International University, Florida State University, The Hartt School, Indiana University and the University of Michigan. ♦

BusinessWeek ranks Neeley in Top 40 Undergraduate Business Schools for 2007

BUSINESSWEEK MAGAZINE RELEASED THE second annual ranking of U.S. undergraduate business programs, and the Neeley School ranked in the Top 40 again, at No. 39. Neeley ranked No. 15 in Return on Investment for Private Colleges, No. 29 for Internships, and No. 31 for Hardest Working, based on the number of hours students spend on class

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work each week.

The rankings were based on responses from graduating seniors and 466 corporate recruiters. The student survey counted for 30 percent of the final ranking, the recruiter survey contributing 20 percent, starting salaries and the MBA feeder school measure counted for 10 percent, and the academic quality measure contributed the remaining 30 percent.

"We are understandably proud of our undergraduate program ranking in the top 40 by *BusinessWeek* again this year," said **Daniel G. Short** (dean, Neeley School). "But in all honesty, I am more excited to see the students' comments. Their personal perspectives, and the jobs they land when they graduate from Neeley, tell the real story about the quality of the business education they receive." ♦

Purple Bike Program debuts with a "Tour de Frogs" and Green Chair guest speaker

A "TOUR DE FROGS," AN ENVIRONMENTAL pep rally and Dr. Debra Rowe's talk about sustainability and environmental issues are highlights of the Purple Bike Kickoff on March 29.

The event will officially introduce TCU's Purple Bike program, founded by **Keith Whitworth** (sociology) to help the University become more environmentally friendly by reducing the number of vehicles on campus and encouraging students to ride bicycles free of charge.

The kickoff will begin with the "Tour de Frogs" event from 4:30 - 6 p.m. Students will be able to test the bikes on campus, stopping at four stations along the way to answer environmental questions on topics like recycling or pollution.

There will be a Green Chair lecture by Dr.

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Debra Rowe's: "Creating the Triple Bottom Line: Healthier Planet, People, Economics" in Sid Richardson LH 1 from 6:30 - 8 p.m. Dr. Rowe is currently the co-chair and president of the U.S. Partnership for the Sustainable Development, Senior Fellow at the Association of University Leaders for a Sustainable Future. ♦

Center for Civic Literacy to host panel on religious freedom

TCU'S CENTER FOR CIVIC LITERACY WILL co-sponsor a panel discussion titled, "What will become of religious freedom in the 21st century?" at 7 p.m. Thursday at Broadway Baptist Church.

Holly Hollman, general counsel for the Baptist Joint Committee for Religious Liberty, will be the featured speaker. A panel including **Ron Flowers** (religion, retired) and **Mark Toulouse** (Brite) will follow.

The Center partners each month with a local organization to discuss a new civic topic.

For more information, visit www.civlit.tcu.edu or call **Don Jackson** (political science) at ext. 7404. ♦

Deadline to nominate students, organizations for leadership awards coming up next week

AS EACH ACADEMIC YEAR COMES TO A CLOSE, the University recognizes the contributions that our students and student organizations make toward the betterment of TCU and the community at large. Faculty and staff are encouraged to nominate exceptional students, student programs and student organizations via the electronic form at www.sds.tcu.edu. Deadline is Wednesday, March 28.

Selection criteria for the various awards are available on the Web site.

Recognition of nominees and presentation of awards will be at the Celebration of University Leadership at 3 p.m. Tuesday, May 1 in the Student Center ballroom.

For more information, contact **Rebecca Murray** at ext. 7855 or e-mail leadership@tcu.edu. ♦

USAF Band of the West will play here April 5: It's free but tickets needed

THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE BAND OF THE West Concert Band will present a free, public concert at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, April 5 in Ed Landreth Auditorium. The 45-member ensemble is stationed at Lackland AFB in San Antonio.

Their musical repertoire consists of music from the Renaissance up to the present day, and ranges from serious symphonic band literature to Broadway musicals, from Sousa marches to contemporary hits.

Although the concert is free, attendees will need a ticket to ensure seating. To request them (limited to four per household), send a self-addressed, stamped envelope and the number of tickets requested by interoffice mail to:

TCU Band, Attn: **James T. McNair**/USAF Band Tickets, TCU Box 297500

After April 2, you will need to pick up your tickets from the School of Music in Landreth Hall. For more information, call James at ext. 7640 or e-mail j.mcncair2@tcu.edu. ♦

Student Center Reservations handled at Information Desk

BROWN-LUPTON STUDENT CENTER STAFF HAS announced that, effective April 2, reservations for student organizations and departmental concerns for next year will be accepted at the Information Desk. They will be due by April 30 to maintain priority status.

Each department and student organization has been mailed a packet that includes the Student Center Building Policies and all reservation forms. Additional reservation request forms and packets may be picked up at the Information Desk.

For more information, contact **Shawn Wagner** at ext. 5353. ♦

DEATHS

Condolences go to **Billie Hara** (writing center, English) whose mother, Molly Queen of Fort Worth, passed away on March 6.

Sympathy is extended to **Reina Rodriguez** (Brite) on the death of her father, Moises Delgado, March 9 in Fort Worth. Services were held March 13 at San Mateo Mission Catholic Church.

A memorial service will be held at 4 p.m. today in Robert Carr Chapel for **Ambrose Edens** (professor emeritus, religion) who passed away Feb. 19 in Corsicana.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

The Human Resources office lists the following vacancies as of March 14. For more information on any of these positions go to www.hr.tcu.edu.

Accompanist - Ballet and Modern Dance

Administrative Program Specialist -

Advancement (available mid-April)

Applications Developer II - Technology Resources

Assistant Coach/Weight Training - Athletics

Assistant Director of Fraternity/Sorority Life - Campus Life

Associate Director of Residential Life - Residential Services

Business Systems Analyst - Human Resources

Client/Server Administrator - Technology Resources

Computer Support Specialist - Neeley School

Data Control Specialist - TRIO/McNair Program

EMCS Operator - Physical Plant

Hall Director - Residential Services

Hall Director III - Residential Services

Librarian III, Head of Reference - Library

Psychologist - Mental Health Services

Recruitment Coordinator - University Career Services

Reference Librarian (Govt. Operations) - Library

Reference Librarian (Science) - Library

Service Assistants - Facility Services

University Architect - Physical Plant

Upward Bound Summer Positions - Upward Bound

To view the latest details on campus construction and parking, go to the TCU homepage and click on Campus Construction, listed under Featured Links on the lefthand side.