

# PERFORMANCE MUSIC

AT THE UNIVERSITY OF SCRANTON



FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2023  
7:30 P.M.

WHAT MAKES IT GREAT?  
THE AMERICAN SONGBOOK

Dr. Rob Kapilow (H. '09)  
with soprano Magdalyn E. Boga  
[robkapilow.com](http://robkapilow.com)



SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2023  
7:30 P.M.

WE!

Dr. Wycliffe Gordon H. '06, trombone  
and Eric Reed, piano  
with an appearance by The University  
of Scranton Concert Choir

[wycliffegordon.com](http://wycliffegordon.com)  
[en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Eric\\_Reed\\_\(musician\)](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Eric_Reed_(musician))



SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2023  
7:30 P.M.

IN RECITAL

Llewellyn Sanchez-Werner, piano  
[llewellynsanchezwerner.com](http://llewellynsanchezwerner.com)



SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2023  
7:30 P.M.

IN CONCERT

The University of Scranton Jazz Band  
with guest soloist Chris Lewis, tenor sax

[chrislewismusic.com](http://chrislewismusic.com)



HOULIHAN-MCLEAN CENTER, THE UNIVERSITY OF SCRANTON

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2023  
7:30 P.M.

IN CONCERT

The University of Scranton  
Symphonic Band

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2023  
4:00 P.M.

THE GENERATIONS SING!

Catholic Choral Society opens their  
75th anniversary season  
joined by The University of Scranton  
Concert Choir and  
Valley View High School Choir  
with Middle School and Elementary  
Choirs TBA

[catholicchoralsociety.org](http://catholicchoralsociety.org)



SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2023  
7:30 P.M.

IN CONCERT

The University of Scranton  
String Orchestra

with guest violinist Kako Miura Boga  
[relicensemble.org/musicians](http://relicensemble.org/musicians)

SATURDAY DECEMBER 2, 2023  
8:00 P.M.

(PRELUDE FROM 7:05,  
DOORS OPEN AT 7)

56TH ANNUAL NOEL NIGHT

The University of Scranton Singers  
and Chamber Ensembles

SUNDAY DECEMBER 10, 2023  
7:30 P.M.

EMPTY STOCKING FUND  
BENEFIT CONCERT

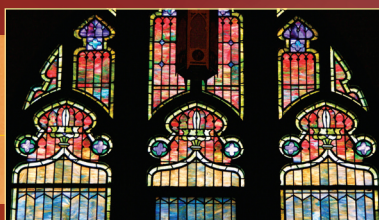
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perform solo, duo, trio, and small group  
renditions of a variety of  
Christmas favorites

Admission charge is one new unwrapped toy,  
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The University of Scranton Bands, Chorus and String Ensembles offer high quality instrumental and choral performing ensembles opportunities in a variety of formats ranging from very large ensembles to small ensemble and solo performing opportunities. Participation is open to any and all interested University students (as well as faculty and staff) with neither individual audition requirement nor enrollment or membership fee, in the finest liberal arts tradition.

The University of Scranton Performance Music Concert Series presents performances by outstanding and renowned musicians representing a variety of musical genres and closely coordinates programming with University ensembles to offer special masterclasses, workshops and lectures by our visiting artists.

Our tradition of guest artists and clinicians has brought to our student musicians, our New York, Philadelphia, Boston, Minnesota, Cleveland and Dallas Symphony Orchestras, The Jazz at Lincoln Center Orchestra, The Canadian Brass, The Empire Brass Quintet; and many others. Our long and productive relationship with our late composer-in-residence, Vaclav Nelhybel, continues to be honored through close cooperation between the University and the Nelhybel Estate in the establishment of "The Nelhybel Collection."

The programs include an annual World Premiere Composition Series performance, the only series of its kind in the nation, which has received honor and acclaim from artists throughout the world. Since 1984 the series has provided our students with opportunities to work and interact with internationally renowned composers and conductors, and Wolfe; Pamela Wolfe; The New York Trumpet Ensemble; "Travelin' Light"; David Ostwald's Gully Low Jazz Band; The National Jazz Museum in Harlem All-Stars; and members of the Hundreds of students participate in the ensembles every year and are achieving their performance goals in the musical organization of their choice.

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# MUSICAL HONOREES

In May 2006, legendary jazz musician Wycliffe Gordon was awarded an honorary doctorate from The University of Scranton in recognition and appreciation of his many contributions to American music and music education. Gordon also served as the principal "speaker" for the 2006 Commencement ceremony, an address he gave with his real voice – his trombone!

Other Performance Music guest artists who have been honored in this manner by The University of Scranton include Vaclav Nelhybel in 1985, T. Terry James in 1988, Wynnton Marsalis in 1996, and Rob Kapilow in 2009 (who also served as 2009 Commencement speaker).



- 1 Wycliffe Gordon
- 2 Vaclav Nelhybel
- 3 Wynnton Marsalis
- 4 T. Terry James
- 5 Rob Kapilow

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PERFORMANCE MUSIC  
HOULIHAN-MCLEAN CENTER  
SCRANTON, PA 18510



FROM LEFT: BOGA, DECKER, KUEHN

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