Beall Concert Hall
Friday evening
8:00 p.m. November 30, 2007

108th Season, 40th program
JAZZ LAB BAND III

I Hear a Rhapsody
Fragos/Baker/Gasparre
arr. Bob Mintzer
Ben Rice, guitar
Kenny Feinstein, guitar

A Child is Born
Thad Jones
Sasagu Kayama, piano
Orion Berryman, trumpet

Take the A Train
Billy Strayhorn
David Heyer, trumpet

JAZZ LAB BAND II

No Doubt
Lars Jannson

Utvikslinssang
Carla Bley
arr. Bob Washut

Emily
Johnny Mandel/Johnny Mercer
arr. Bob Washut

OREGON JAZZ ENSEMBLE

The Booze Brothers
Frank Foster
Derek Bondy, trombone
Josh Deutsch, trumpet

Half The Fun
Billy Strayhorn/Duke Ellington
Andy Rosenberg, saxophone

Widow’s Walk
Rick Margitza
arr. Dan Gailey
Rob Davis, saxophone

ROB DAVIS

Rob Davis is a graduate of the University of Washington with degrees in music performance and education. Over the years he has crafted many influences into a uniquely identifiable sound and style. While living in Seattle he performed and recorded with the likes of Jay Thomas, the Jim Knapp Orchestra, the Seattle Repertory Jazz Orchestra and Matthew Jorgensen +451. Currently Davis resides in Portland where his tenor saxophone can be heard to full advantage with guitarist John Stowell, ensembles of David Friesen, the Bobby Torres Ensemble, PDXV and on recordings by Randy Porter and Alan Jones. Davis has also been heard at Northwest festivals and concerts playing with orchestras led by Ray Charles, Bob Florence and Gerald Wilson.

JAZZ LAB BAND III PERSONNEL

Saxophone
Paul Bodin
Shalena Edmunson
Porsch Anthony
Patrick McCulley
Paul McBride
Marty Kovach

Trombone
David Bartman
Grace Pettygrove

Rhythm Section
Ben Rice, guitar
Kenny Feinstein, guitar
Sasagu Kayama, piano

Trumpet
David Heyer
Orion Berryman
Bryan Bierce
Jerome Hirsch

Drumset
Corey Lofthus, drumset
Travis Opcensky, drumset