#### **Oregon Jazz Ensemble**

Steve Owen, director

Saxophones	
Alto I	Jessika Leek
Alto II	Andy Page
Tenor I	Devin Wright
Tenor II	Josh Hettwer
Bari	Grant Caswell

#### Trumpoto

Trumpets	
Trpt I (lead)	Trevor Jones
Trpt II	Steve Sharp (jazz
Trpt III	Tony Glausi (jazz)
Trpt IV	Sam Saunders
Trpt V	Sam Hunt

#### **Trombones**

Trbn I	Nathan Walyer
Trbn II	Seth Arnold
Trbn III	Ryan Erp
Bass Bone	Stephen Young

#### Rhythm Section

Trinytilli Oec	<u>, 11011</u>
Guitar	Olem Alves/
	Eddie Bond
Piano	Torrey Newhart/
	Patrick Jones
Bass	Sean Peterson
Drumset	Adam Carlson/
	Derick Thomas

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### Bend Music Festival 2013

# Big Bands: Past to Present

featuring

the Oregon Jazz Ensemble Steve Owen, director

Tower Theater, Bend, Oregon Wednesday, April 24, 2013, 7 p.m.



PROGRAM

Sneak Out (2010)	David von Kampen
Maple Leaf Rag (1899)	Scott Joplin
Wrappin' It Up (1934)	Fletcher Henderson
Don't' Be That Way (1934)	Edgar Sampson and Benny Goodman
Sing, Sing, Sing (1937)	comp. Louis Prima arr. Jimmy Mundy
Moonlight Serenade (1939)	Glenn Miller
In The Mood (1939)	comp. Wingy Manone arr. Joe Garland and Andy Razaf
Take The A Train (1939)	Billy Strayhorn
Manteca (1947)	comp. Dizzy Gillespie, Chano Pozo, and Gil Fuller arr. Steve Owen
Artistry In Rhythm (1947)	Stan Kenton
Shiny Stockings (1955)	Frank Foster
The Maids of Cadiz (1957)	Gil Evans
One Mint Julep (1961)	Randolph Toombs
The Big Dipper (1966)	Thad Jones
Sneak Out (2010)	David von Kampen

**The Oregon Jazz Ensemble** is the premier large jazz ensemble at the University of Oregon. Recognized throughout the nation for its excellence in interpretation and performance of the wide variety of styles of music associated with the jazz genre, the OJE regularly performs new literature for jazz ensemble including works by internationally renowned composers/arrangers as well as students of the UO jazz program. In addition to its concerts on campus, the OJE is a frequent performer at jazz festivals and educational conferences, including the International Association of Jazz Educators Conference, Oregon Music Educators Conference, the Northwest MENC Conference, Western International Band Conference, Kent-Meridian Jazz Festival, Reno Jazz Festival, Lionel Hampton Jazz Festival, and other regional events. Performing with the OJE in recent years have been a host of jazz artists including: Seamus Blake, Ingrid Jensen, Don Braden, James Moody, Randy Brecker, Peter Erskine, Ron Miles, Dick Oatts, Jon Faddis, Rufus Reid, Billy Pierce, Conrad Herwig, Jim Snidero, David Scott, Maria Schneider, Paul Mazzio, and David Pietro.

**Steve Owen** (composer, conductor, saxophonist) is a Philip H. Knight Professor of Music and Director of Jazz Studies at the University of Oregon. Steve has presented clinics at MENC conventions across the nation and directed All-State jazz ensembles in Colorado, Connecticut, Arizona, Texas, Nevada, California, Nebraska, and Minnesota as well as Oregon. In 1991, Owen was one of two winners of the Ersted Award, the University of Oregon's top faculty award for distinguished teaching and in 2007 was likewise honored with the university's Excellence in Teaching Award. Steve is founder and co-director of the Oregon Jazz Festival, an annual workshop for college, junior high, and high school jazz ensembles, the University of Oregon Summer Jazz Improvisation Camp, and is on the faculty of the University of Kansas' jazz camp. As a saxophonist, Steve appears regularly as a soloist at high school and college festivals and is featured on two recent big band CDs - Dan Cavanagh's "Pulse" and the Dan Gailey Jazz Orchestra "What Did You Dream" CD. He was one of 10 composers commissioned by Lawrence University and the HR Big Band for their Radiohead Jazz project. Owen's own CD, "Stand Up Eight" was just released by Origin/OA2 Records in February 2013 featuring nine of his works for large jazz ensemble. Steve's music is published by UNC Jazz Press, Heritage JazzWorks, and Sierra Music.