

**GUILFORD**  
COLLEGE

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DEPARTMENT *of* MUSIC

# Annual Spring Concert

*featuring*

**Seraphonic**

**The Early College at Guilford**

Amanda Brier, student coach

**LUMINA treble ensemble**

**THE GUILFORD COLLEGE CHOIR**

Wendy Looker, director

Norris Norwood, collaborative pianist

**THE GUILFORD GUITAR ENSEMBLE**

Kami Rowan, director

**GUILFORD COLLEGE JAZZ ENSEMBLES**

Drew Hays, director

**Sunday, April 6, 2025**

**7PM**

**Dana Auditorium**

**free & open to the public**

# PROGRAM

## The Guilford College Guitar Ensemble

*Earth Song*

Alan Hirsh

## Seraphonic

### The Early College at Guilford

*Skyfall*

Adele Adkins  
arr. J.A.C. Redford

*From the Start*

Lauffey & Spencer Stewart  
arr. Paul Seow

*Better Place (Family Harmony) from Trolls 3*

Johan Jarl Schuster, Justin Timberlake  
& Amy Allen  
arr. BK Riha

*Die with a Smile*

Lady Gaga & Bruno Mars  
arr. Kole Mccrum and Yerik Godoy

Amanda Brier, student coach

## LUMINA treble ensemble

*Wild Embers*

Melissa Dunphy (2017)  
lyrics by Nikita Gill

*There is a Balm in Gilead*

Trad., arr. Ysaye M. Barnwell

*Under the Willow*

Stephen Collins Foster  
arr. Susan LaBarr

# The Guilford College Choir

Norris Norwood, pianist

*Nitohtamok Askîy (Listen to the Land)*

Woodland Cree poem & music  
by Sherryl Sewepagaham (2019)

*Wide Open Spaces*

Sarah Quartel (2014)

*City Called Heaven*

Destini Nyorkor and Richard Acquaye, soloists

African-American Spiritual  
arr. Josephine Poelinitz

*Does the World Say?*

Oli Metwally & A'Niyia Dancy, soloists

Kyle Pederson(2022)

*Love Is Love Is Love Is Love*

Abbie Betinis (2017)

*You Will Be Found*

from DEAR EVAN HANSEN

Jah Vivens, Ashritha Chinapaga, Joe Lambert, Amanda Brier, soloists

Benj Pasek & Justin Paul  
arr. Audrey Snyder

## Student Composition World Premiere

*Andantino and Allegro for Saxophone and Piano*

Drew Hays, alto saxophone

Neal Sengupta  
Suzanne Polak, piano

## The Guilford Jazz Ensembles

### No Consensus Octet

*Impressions*

John Coltrane

### Frankie and the Freeloaders Sextet

*Little Sunflower*

Freddie Hubbard

### Beansprouts Septet

*Swingin' at the Haven*

Ellis Marsalis

## GUITAR ENSEMBLE

Jasmine Cartwright  
Shemar Roberts

Bec Cormack  
Luke Trainor

Nox Crobsy  
Yanka Castro Xinaxtle

Lexi McGraw

## LUMINA treble ensemble

Ember Boswell  
A'Niyia Dancy  
Ali Nance '22

Amanda Brier  
Audrey Horner  
Janet Ngo

Ashritha Chinapaga  
Kaitlyn LaFleur  
Destini Nyorkor

Sole Williams-Brewer  
Lexi McGraw  
Zoe Whisnant

## THE GUILFORD COLLEGE JAZZ ENSEMBLES

### No Consensus Octet

CharLee-Kyle Stines - violin  
Shemar Roberts - guitar  
Ethan Blaskowski - bass

Nick Jamieson - bass clarinet  
Neal Sengupta - piano

Bec Cormack - guitar  
Cindy Wang - piano  
Drew Hays - drums

### Frankie and the Freeloaders Sextet

Aixa Araujo-Cortinas - clarinet  
Drew Hays - alto saxophone

Brady Odell - guitar  
Frankie McClernon - bass

Eli Troop - piano  
Kevin Landa - drums

### Beansprouts Septet

Drew Hays - alto saxophone  
Ziggy Jones - baritone saxophone

Malcolm Hill - piano  
Kelsie Hughes - vibraphone  
Ryan Allen-Schindler - drums

Lexi McGraw - guitar  
Brandon Walker - bass

## THE GUILFORD COLLEGE CHOIR

### Soprano

Rasun Abderasoul  
Aixa Araujo  
Amanda Brier\*  
Ashu Chinapaga  
Janet Ngo  
Destini Nyorkor\*  
Kaitlyn LaFleur  
Oli Metwally  
Bess Parnell

### Alto

Eileen Anaya  
A'Niyia Dancy  
Lexi McGraw\*  
Ananya Ramesh  
Vanessa Ramos-  
Medrano

### Tenor

Alex Fox  
Joseph Lambert  
Samanyu Manjanath  
Shemar Roberts  
Raine Shingleton\*

### Bass

Ahmaad Abdul-Haqq\*  
Richard Acquaye  
Igor Tennant  
Jahmarley Vivens

### 2024-2025 Choir Council

Amanda Brier, Destini Nyorkor, Lexi McGraw, Raine Shingleton and Ahmaad Abdul-Haqq

\*Choir Council members are recipients of the Edward Lowe Scholarship