

UNIVERSITY of MISSOURI

SCHOOL OF MUSIC

LARGE INSTRUMENTAL ENSEMBLES

November 19, 2021

Dear Band Director:

The University of Missouri School of Music is pleased to announce the Tenth Annual *MU All-Juniors Honor Band*! This event will take place on the Columbia campus, February 20–21, 2022, and will provide 11th-grade band students the opportunity to experience the collegiate concert band environment through interaction with MU School of Music faculty and students. Juniors chosen for this Honor Band will receive instruction from both MU band and applied faculty members. The event will culminate in a joint concert with the MU Wind Ensemble at the historic Missouri Theatre in downtown Columbia. The \$50 participation fee covers the cost for a commemorative t-shirt and meals while on campus. All selected students are expected to provide their own transportation to and from Columbia for the event. Also, unlike previous years, selected students will need to make their own arrangements for housing the night of February 20. A list of hotels in the area is provided at the end of this letter.

Juniors who earned a position in an MMEA All-District Honor Band will receive automatic acceptance into the *MU All-Juniors Honor Band*. Furthermore, those who participated as sophomores in the 2021 All-State Band or are current juniors who will perform in the 2022 All-State Band (or were Honorable Mention) will receive automatic acceptance and *will have their participation fee waived*. For 2022, due to the pandemic, we have also extended automatic acceptance and a fee waiver to anyone who was a freshman or junior in the 2021 All-State Band. Please note, however, that there is a limit to the number of instrumentalists in each section that can be accepted. **Please distribute the enclosed letters to the students from your band that we have identified as meeting the above criteria. If these students would like to participate in the *MU All-Juniors Honor Band*, you may nominate them via the link below, or they may nominate themselves.** You are also encouraged to nominate additional qualified 11th-grade band members for this event.

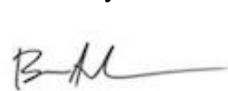
2022 All-Juniors Honor Band Nomination Form:

https://missouri.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_e5wivVgZ1DgMJ8i

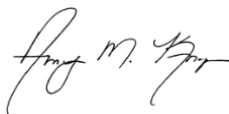
Nominations should be made by Friday, December 3, 2021. MU band faculty will then make final selections and you will be notified of your students' acceptance status by December 17th.

We believe the *MU All-Juniors Honor Band* is an excellent way for students to meet friends, make great music, experience college life, and receive instruction from MU faculty members. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact either Dr. Christian Noon, Event Coordinator, at cnoon@missouri.edu, or Brooke Danielsen, Coordinator of Large Instrumental Ensembles, at mubands@missouri.edu or 573.882.3439. Additional information about the event can be found at music.missouri.edu/all-juniors-honor-band.

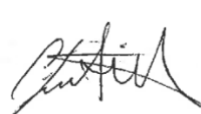
Sincerely,



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MU All-Juniors Honor Band 2022 Tentative Schedule of Events

Sunday, February 20

12:30PM – 1:00PM: Registration
1:00PM – 1:15PM: General Meeting
1:30PM – 3:30PM: Auditions/Sectionals
3:45PM – 5:00PM: Rehearsal 1
5:00PM – 6:00PM: Dinner
6:00PM – 7:00PM: Rehearsal 2
7:00PM – 7:30PM: MU Faculty/Student Performance
7:30PM – 8:30PM: Rehearsal 3
8:30PM: Dismissed for the evening

* Participating students need to make their own arrangements for overnight housing the evening of February 20. MU will not provide housing for participating students.

Monday, February 21

8:00AM – 8:30AM: Breakfast at Missouri Theatre
8:30AM – 10:00AM: Rehearsal 4
10:00AM – 10:30AM: MU Faculty/Student Performance
10:30AM – 11:30AM: Rehearsal 5
11:45AM – 1:30PM: Lunch/New School of Music Building Tour
1:30PM – 1:45PM: Meet MU Wind Ensemble Students
2:00PM – 3:00PM: Final Dress Rehearsal
3:00PM – 3:15PM: MU Faculty/Student Performance
3:15PM – 4:00PM: Campus Tour
4:30PM – 5:30PM: Masterclasses with MU Faculty Members
5:30PM – 6:15PM: Dinner
6:15PM – 6:30PM: Dress for Concert
6:45PM: Call Time
7:00PM: Concert with MU Wind Ensemble at the Historic Missouri Theatre (203 S. Ninth St., Columbia, MO)



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Hotels Within Walking Distance to Siquelfield Music Center

The Tiger Hotel
23 S. 8th Street
Columbia, MO 65201
(573) 875-8888

Hampton Inn & Suites Columbia
1225 Fellows Place Boulevard
Columbia, MO 65201
(573) 214-2222

The Broadway Columbia
1111 E. Broadway
Columbia, MO 65201
(573) 875-7000

Hotels Within Driving Distance to Siquelfield Music Center

Stoney Creek Hotel
2601 S. Providence Road
Columbia, MO 65203
(573) 442-6400

Staybridge Suites Columbia
805 N. Keene Street
Columbia, MO 65201
(573) 442-8600

Wingate by Wyndham Columbia
3101 Wingate Court
Columbia, MO 65201
(573) 817-0500

La Quinta Inn & Suites
2500 Interstate 70 Drive SW
Columbia, MO 65203
(573) 355-5794

Holiday Inn Executive Center
2200 Interstate 70 Drive SW
Columbia, MO 65203
(573) 445-8531

Holiday Inn Express & Suites
1402 Cinnamon Hill Lane
Columbia, MO 65201
(573) 442-8034

**This list is just a sampling of available hotels in the area. There are a number of other hotels in the area that participating students may choose from.*

