Coached by Avery Sharpe
Alice Sady '13, piano; Allen Davis '14, trombone; Kevin Lawkins '13, bass; Claire Seizovic '13, violin; and Eugene Murphy '13, drums

McCoy Tyner
Blues on the Corner

Freddie Hubbard
Up Jumped Spring

Herbie Hancock
Cantaloupe Island

SRH Sextet
Coached by John Wheeler
Jackson Scher '14, alto saxophone; Ethan Gracer '14, tenor saxophone; Kevin Lawkins '13, bass; Eugene Murphy '13, drums; Jackson Saul '13, guitar; and Special Guest, William “Boom Boom” Vitek, piano

Kenny Dorham
Blue Bossa

Nat Adderly
Work Song

Wayne Shorter
Footprints

This ensemble allows a nurturing environment for students to experience improvisation in a small jazz group setting and to develop the skills needed to express their thoughts through the complex medium of small group performance.

The art of improvisation takes years of study, trial and error, and performance experience. This along with dedication, hard work, and the knowledge of jazz harmony will provide the skills needed to successfully negotiate chord changes.

I hope you will kindly welcome our sextet of jazz new-comers with warmth and enthusiasm, as the beginning stages of improvising through live performance are often the most challenging for an instrumentalist.

John Wheeler - jazz ensemble coach
Five O’Clock Shadow
joined by guests from Mu 213, Jazz Theory and Improvisation II
Coached by Andy Jaffe
Brad Polsky ’12, alto sax*; Andy Quinn ’13 and Chris Picardo ’13, tenor sax;
Geoff Rodriguez ’11, trumpet; Rob Pasternak ’11, piano; Jon Morgenstern ’11, bass; Danny
Schwartz ’13, guitar; Charlie Sellers ’13, drums; and Aspen Jordan ’11, vocals

Joined by Stephen Simalchik ’13, guitar* and Felix Sun ’13, piano* on the last four pieces.

* Mu 213

George Gershwin (1898-1937)  They Can’t Take That Away From Me

Oliver Nelson (1932-1975)  Yearnin'

Turk & Ahlert  Walkin’ My Baby Back Home

Victor Young (1900-1956)  Stella by Starlight

Antonio Carlos Jobim (1927-1994)  Triste

Felix Sun ’13  A Different Time of Summer

Brad Polsky ’12  Waltz of the Seasons

Wednesday, May 11, 2011
7:00pm
Brooks-Rogers Recital Hall
Williamstown, Massachusetts

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