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El Camino College Jazz One Big Band Presents “Hang Gliding”

Discover a Creative Musical Landscape of Jazz Tunes

The El Camino College Jazz One Big Band will host a performance at 8 p.m. Friday, May 8 in the Campus Theatre.

The production, directed by Music Department faculty member Alan Chan, will feature music by Clare Fischer, Pat Matheny, Maria Schneider, John Williams and more.

Chan is a critically acclaimed jazz artist who has lived and performed in the United States, East Asia, and Europe. Praised for his distinct and “genre-shaking” sound, Chan released his debut album “Shrimp Tale” this past summer. Chan founded his own jazz orchestra in 2012 comprised of top Los Angeles studio and jazz musicians which present a unique set of sounds.

Jazz One is El Camino College's flagship Jazz ensemble. It is a competitive large ensemble designed to prepare advanced music students for careers in professional musical settings. Repertoire focuses on a variety of Big Band style periods, with a central focus on contemporary Jazz Big Band arrangements. The group performs concerts on and off campus and competes in festivals.

Tickets to the performance are \$10 and may be purchased online at centerforthearts.org, by phone at 310-329-5345 or toll-free at 800-832-ARTS. The Ticket Office is open Monday through Friday 10 a.m. – 6 p.m. Campus parking is \$3. The El Camino College Campus Theatre is located at 16007 Crenshaw Boulevard, Torrance.

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