The Department of Music invites all qualified students to take part in its music lessons and ensembles. Majors and non-majors alike have a unique opportunity to study and perform with an artist faculty that includes members of our two resident groups, The Geneseo Piano Trio and The Geneseo Wind Quintet, as well as working professionals in brass, percussion, vocal, and piano performance. If you have a strong background in music, you will want to take advantage of opportunities in the lessons and ensembles listed.

Auditions and course registration for ensembles and lessons will take place at the beginning of the fall semester, as shown below. After a successful audition, you will be given permission to register during the first week of school. Please leave room in your Summer Orientation/Registration Schedule for participation.

Students enrolling in Musc 189, Music A, must come for a piano skills assessment. The days, times and location are listed under "Piano Auditions."

**Chamber Singers** - a mixed chorus of about forty members that has made fourteen European concert tours. Rehearses TWR 4:00-5:20 pm, 1 credit. **Auditions for placement:** Wed. Jan. 22, 4:00 – 5:30 pm in Brodie 208.

**Festival Singers** - a town-gown mixed chorus that performs large works for chorus and orchestra in conjunction with the Symphony Orchestra, as well as their own concerts specializing in popular repertoire with piano accompaniment. Rehearses T 7:00- 9:00 pm, 1 credit. **Auditions for placement:** Wed. Jan. 22, 4:00 – 5:30 pm in Brodie 208.

**Spectrum** - a treble chorus of about thirty-five members that specializes in music for treble voices. Rehearses TR 2:30-3:45 pm, 1 credit. **Auditions for placement:** Wed. Jan. 22, 4:00 – 5:30 pm in Brodie 208.

**Jazz Ensemble** – Open to any student by audition, a traditional big band and smaller jazz combos that perform traditional and contemporary jazz styles. Experience with improvisation an asset by not required. Rehearses T 7:00-9:30 pm, 1 credit. **Auditions for placement:** Thurs. Jan. 23, 7:00-8:00 pm in Brodie 214.

**String Band** - a mixed ensemble of classical and folk instruments dedicated to the performance of traditional folk and early popular music. Rehearses T 7:30-9:30 pm, 1 credit. **Auditions for placement:** email Prof. Kimball, kimball@geneseo.edu to confirm your time on the following date: Wed. Jan. 22, 1:30 – 2:30 pm in Brodie 126.

**Percussion Ensemble** - dedicated to the performance of percussion music of all types. Rehearses M 5:45-8:00 pm, 1 credit. **Auditions for placement and lessons:** Mon. Jan. 27, 5:30 pm in Wadsworth Auditorium.

**Symphony Orchestra** – Open to any student by audition, a selective ensemble for orchestral winds, brass, percussion and strings of about sixty members that performs a range of works from the orchestra repertoire. Rehearses MW 4:00-5:20 pm, 1 credit.

**Wind Ensemble** – Open to any student by audition, a selective ensemble of about fifty woodwind, brass and percussion members that performs a range of works from the wind ensemble and band repertoire. Rehearses TR 4:00-5:20 pm, 1 credit.

**Auditions for lesson and/or placement** in Symphony Orchestra and Wind Ensemble are scheduled by appointment. Please contact Dr. McGray at mcgray@geneseo.edu to confirm your appointment in the following day and times.

**Violin, Viola, Cello, Double Bass, Flute, Trumpet, Clarinet, Saxophone, Oboe, Bassoon, Trombone, Baritone, Tuba, Horn:** Wed. Jan. 22, 2:00 – 3:00 pm in Brodie 214

**Percussion:** Mon. Jan. 27, 5:30 pm in Wadsworth Auditorium

**Piano Auditions and Placements:** Wed. Jan. 22, 12:00-3:00 pm; Thurs. Jan. 23, 12:00-3:00 pm in Brodie 201

**Voice Auditions:** Wed. Jan. 22, 1:00 – 3:00 pm, and Thurs. Jan. 23, 12:00 – 2:00 pm in Brodie 114

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