Occasionally it is necessary to change the date/time of a scheduled concert. If you are traveling a distance, you may call the Department of Music Office at 978-934-3850, Monday-Friday, 9 - 5 to be sure a particular concert is as scheduled. Admission is free (unless noted) and open to the community. Durgin Hall is located at 35 Wilder Street, Lowell-- Durgin Concert Hall is located on the first floor and Fisher Recital Hall on the lower level. Both venues are handicap accessible. Free parking is available after 4 pm on weekdays and all day on weekends at the Wilder Lot across from the McGauvran Student Union building (92 Wilder Street on Google Maps). Handicap Parking is available on Solomont Way off of Broadway Street—go to www.uml.edu/maps.

**January 2015**

**Thu | 22 | Choro Bastardo**, Durgin Concert Hall, 7:30pm. Choro Bastardo combines the traditional Choro style with each of the band members' different musical and cultural backgrounds to create a sonority that is different from the original, yet loyal to the playful spirit of that music.

**Tue | 27 | MEISA Speaker Series**, Durgin Hall Room 309, 7:30pm. Presenter: Mark Kates of Fenway Recordings. Mark is the founder of Fenway Recordings, an artist management company located in Boston and New York.

**February 2015**

**Thu | 12 | US Army Guitar Quartet—Six String Soldiers**, Durgin Concert Hall, 7:30pm. Six String Soldiers features the talent and excellence that is represented in the U.S. Army through a four piece guitar ensemble featuring Americana, folk, and bluegrass music.

**Fri | 13 | University Orchestra Concert**, Durgin Concert Hall, 7:30pm. Mark Latham conducts a concert of favorites from the classical literature entitled, “Tales from Abroad: Visions of Austria, Italy and Spain.”

**Tue | 17 | Wind Ensemble Concert**, Durgin Concert Hall, 7:30pm. Dan Lutz conducts.

**Tue | 24 | MEISA Speaker Series**, Durgin Hall Room 309, 7:30pm. Presenter: Joe Mullens of Performance Music Center. Joe's speaker panel will focus on the retail side of the instrument merchandising industry.

**Wed | 25 | Senior Recital, Liz Langlier, Clarinet**, Fisher Recital Hall, 7:30pm.

**Sat | 28 | You Gotta Love the Life, An Evening with Melissa Manchester**, Durgin Concert Hall, 7:00pm. Featuring performances by local elementary school choristers, the UMass Lowell String Project and University Choir, and Grammy Award-winning singer/songwriter Melissa Manchester presents a special concert which will raise scholarship funds and feature young performers enrolled in UMass Lowell’s music education programs. A portion of the proceeds will benefit the Joyce Pang String Scholarship Fund for the UMass Lowell String Project. Ticket prices: $35 for general admission; $15 for UMass Lowell students with valid ID (at Tsongas Center Box Office only). Tickets available by calling the Tsongas Center Box Office at 978-934-5738.

**March 2015**

**Sat | 7 | Mothers of Rock Concert**, Durgin Concert Hall, 7:30pm. Presented by MEISA, this concert features student and faculty performers of popular music written/performed and made famous by women.

**Wed | 25 | Senior Recital, Hallie Grose, Voice**, Fisher Recital Hall, 7:30pm.
**Fri | 27 | Guitar Recital, Rick Schilling and Friends**, Fisher Recital Hall, 7:30 pm.  

**Sun | 29 | Mixed Chamber Ensemble Concert**, Fisher Recital Hall, 7:30pm. Meg Ruby directs.  

**Tue | 31 | Mixed Chamber Concert**, Durgin Concert Hall, 7:30pm. Tim Crain directs.  

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**April 2015**  

**Thu | 2 | Angkor Dance Troupe Performance**, Durgin Concert Hall, 7:30pm. Ticket info TBA.  

**Sat | 4 | Contemporary Electronic Ensemble Concert**, Durgin Concert Hall, 7:30pm. Brandon Vaccaro directs.  

**Tue | 7 | Studio Orchestra Concert**, Durgin Concert Hall, 7:30pm. Walt Platt directs.  

**Wed. | 8 | Classical Guitar Ensemble Concert**, Fisher Recital Hall, 7:30pm. Rick Schilling directs.  

**Thu | 9 | Small Jazz Concert**, Durgin Concert Hall, 7:30pm. Walt Platt directs.  

**Fri | 10 | University Orchestra Spring Concert**, Durgin Concert Hall, 7:30pm. Mark Latham conducts.  

**Sat | 11 | Senior Recital, Morgan Llorens, Voice**, Fisher Recital Hall, 6:30pm.  

**Sun | 12 | Senior Recital, Adam Kaplowitz, Voice**, Fisher Recital Hall, 1:30pm.  

**Thu | 16 | Jazz, Rock, Big Band Concert**, Durgin Concert Hall, 7:30pm. Dan Lutz directs.  

**Fri | 17 | Opera Workshop Production**, Fisher Recital Hall, two shows: 7:30pm and 9:00pm. Janice Giampa and Elaine Smith Purell direct.  

**Sun | 19 | Trombone Studio Recital**, Fisher Recital Hall, 7:00pm. Students of Hans Bohn.  

**Tue | 21 | Percussion Ensemble Concert**, Durgin Concert Hall, 7:30pm. Jeff Fischer directs.  

**Thu | 23 | Chancellor’s Celebration of the Arts**, Durgin Concert Hall, 7:30pm. This celebration of the arts features performances and exhibits from Music, Art and Theater departments.  

**Fri | 24 | University Choirs Concert**, Durgin Concert Hall, 7:30pm. Brian O’Connell directs the University Choir and Chamber Singers. Program includes the majestic *Gloria* by Francis Poulenc, assisted by the University Orchestra.  

**Sat | 25 | Senior Recital, Ryder Corey, Saxophone**, Fisher Recital Hall, 3:30pm.  

**Sat | 25 | Earthrise Mass**, Durgin Concert Hall, 6:30pm. Composed and led by UMass Lowell senior, Derek Weagle and performed by UMass Lowell music majors, faculty, alumni and members of the greater Lowell/Boston music community, *Earthrise Mass* is a part of an event sponsored by the Dean of the College of Fine Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences in celebration of the 50th Anniversary of the Civil Rights Act.  

**Mon | 27 | Concert Band Concert**, Durgin Concert Hall, 7:30pm. Blair Bettencourt directs.  

**Mon | 27 | Jazz Lab Concert**, Durgin Room 113, 7:30pm. Joshua Millard directs.  

**Tue | 28 | Wind Ensemble Concert**, Durgin Concert Hall, 7:30pm. Dan Lutz directs.

Wed | 29 | **Mixed Chamber Ensemble Concert**, Durgin Concert Hall, 7:30pm. Chuck Gabriel directs.

Thu | 30 | **Percussion Ensemble for Non-Percussionists**, Durgin Concert Hall, 7:30pm. Jeff Fischer directs.

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**May 2015**

Fri | 1 | **Jazz Lab Concert**, Durgin Concert Hall, 7:30pm. Chuck Gabriel directs.

Fri | 1 | **Electric Guitar Ensemble Concert**, Fisher Recital Hall, 7:30pm. Joshua Millard directs.

Sun | 3 | **Contemporary Electronic Ensemble Concert**, Durgin Concert Hall, 7:30pm. Brandon Vaccaro directs.

Tue | 5 | **New England Youth Wind Ensemble (NEYWE) Senior Concert**, Durgin Concert Hall, 7:30pm. The New England Senior Youth Wind Ensemble’s concert showcases some of the best high school instrumental musicians of the Merrimack Valley performing along with college music mentors. College level works to be performed include Grundman’s *Hebrides Suite*, *A Dakota Rhapsody* by Mark Camphouse and *Sky is Waiting* by Samuel Hazo, a programmatic work of fables of flight from the Wright Brothers to Icarus. Deb Huber, Artistic Director & Conductor.

Wed | 6 | **New England Youth Wind Ensemble (NEYWE) Junior Concert**, Durgin Concert Hall, 7:30pm. Deb Huber, Artistic Director & Conductor.