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The Summer Festival Jazz Repertory Orchestra at UNCSA

Application deadline: May 1, 2012

To apply, submit your audition materials to:

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Music Audition Requirements

Eligibility: Participation is open to college and graduate level jazz students, recent graduates, or exceptional high school students. Saxophonists: doubling on flute and clarinet preferred*.

You will need to submit:

- Resume with school and professional big band and jazz experience
- Letter of recommendation from current or former jazz band director, jazz teacher, or professional band-leader
- Audio or Video recording of jazz or big band performance:
 - At least two selections in different jazz styles/tempo; can be a big band recording that features a solo performance, or a jazz combo
 - Video can be sent via DVD, or uploaded onto YouTube with link
 - Audio can be sent via CD, emailed as mp3, or uploaded onto YouTube with link
 - Live auditions can be scheduled on campus at UNCSA or via Skype

For applicants interested in the following positions, recording must include two choruses of improvisation on at least two jazz standards of differing styles:

- Tenor Saxophone 1
- Trumpet 2
- Alto Saxophone 1
- Trombone 1 and 2
- Piano
- Guitar

*Saxophonists: it is recommended that you include a recording of a standard etude or other representative selection on clarinet and flute