

GRAMMY CAMP®

# JAZZ SESSION

2018 GRAMMY® JAZZ TOUR



## 2018 GRAMMY Band

Max Hubbard	Champaign	Ill.	Champaign Central High School	Alto Sax
Mogi Taylor	Bellaire	Texas	High School for the Visual & Performing Arts	Alto Sax
Kieran Hitsman	Tamarac	Fla.	Dillard Center for the Arts	Tenor Sax
David Winograd	Morganville	N.J.	High Technology High School	Tenor Sax
Veronica Leahy	Charlotte	N.C.	Charlotte Latin School	Baritone Sax
Summer Camargo	Hollywood	Fla.	Dillard Center for the Arts	Trumpet
Joey Curreri	Marina Del Rey	Calif.	Alexander Hamilton High School	Trumpet
Zaq Davis	New York	N.Y.	Saint Ann's School	Trumpet
Geoffrey Gallante	Alexandria	Va.	West Potomac High School	Trumpet
Artem Rossin	Walnut Creek	Calif.	Northgate High School	Trumpet
Reid Christmann	Summit	N.J.	Newark Academy	Trombone
Leo Markel	Jupiter	Fla.	Alexander W. Dreyfoos School of the Arts	Trombone
Zachary Niess	Arlington	Va.	Yorktown High School	Trombone
Trystan Fritts	Corryton	Tenn.	Homeschooled	Bass Trombone
Esteban Castro	Hackensack	N.J.	Bergen County Academies	Piano
Augustus Allen	Houston	Texas	High School for the Visual & Performing Arts	Bass
Jordan Reifkind	Los Angeles	Calif.	Los Angeles County High School for the Arts	Guitar
Varun Das	Edison	N.J.	John P. Stevens High School	Drums

### GRAMMY Camp - Jazz Session Personnel

David R. Sears	Executive Education Director
Justin DiCioccio	Band Director
Julie Mutnansky	Project Manager
Gabe Medd	Tour Manager

## About the GRAMMY Band

As the country's oldest continually operating national all-star jazz program, GRAMMY Camp-Jazz Session both preserves and celebrates this original American artform by bringing together students that represent the highest caliber of musicianship in the country's secondary education system.

Hundreds of the top high school musicians from around the United States compete for a spot in the GRAMMY Band each year. The selected members form an elite big band, performing at official GRAMMY® Week events and at premiere jazz venues during GRAMMY Week. The 18-member 2018 GRAMMY Band is made up of players from 18 cities in nine states.

The 60th Annual GRAMMY® Awards are taking place in New York City on January 28, 2018, and that brings the GRAMMY Jazz Tour with it. Not since 2003 has the GRAMMY Band performed in New York City.

Former members of the GRAMMY Jazz program have gone on to careers at the highest levels of the music industry as headliners, sidemen, arrangers, songwriters, producers, and more. Alumni have received many GRAMMY Award nominations. In fact, three alumni of the program (Alex Han, Jazzmeia Horn, and Pascal Le Boeuf) have earned themselves GRAMMY Nominations in 2018 alone.

### GRAMMY Museum

Celebrate Music. Support Music Education.

## 2018 GRAMMY Jazz Tour

Wednesday, January 24, 2018 Industry Insider Event Featuring Jon Batiste and Michael McDonald	Hudson Yards 10 Hudson Yards, New York Invitation Only
Thursday, January 25, 2018 GRAMMY in the Schools Live! Featuring Jon Batiste	John L. Tishman Auditorium University Center - The New School 66 W. 12th St., New York Public Performance
Friday, January 26, 2018 Entertainment Law Initiative®	New World Stages 340 W. 50th St., New York Invitation Only
Friday, January 26, 2018 College Day Luncheon	Prudential Center 165 Mulberry St., Newark, NJ Invitation Only
Friday, January 26, 2018 Featured Performance at The Iridium with Special Guest	The Iridium 1650 Broadway, New York Public Performance
Friday, January 26, 2018 MusiCares® Person of the Year® Post Party	NY Hilton Midtown 1335 6th Ave., New York Invitation Only
Saturday, January 27, 2018 GRAMMY Band Studio Recording	Power Station at BerkleeNYC 441 W. 53rd St., New York Parents and Media Only
Saturday, January 27, 2018 GRAMMY Nominee Reception	The Ziegfeld Ballroom 141 W. 54th St., New York Invitation Only
Sunday, January 28, 2018 60th GRAMMY Awards	Madison Square Garden 4 Pennsylvania Plaza, New York Invitation Only
Sunday, January 28, 2018 GRAMMY Celebration (Post-Party)	New York Marriott Marquis 1535 Broadway, New York Invitation Only



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**Program Application Deadlines:**

GRAMMY Camp - March 31

Music Educator Award™ - March 31

GRAMMY Camp—Jazz Session - October 22

Jane Ortner Education Award™ - December 1

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