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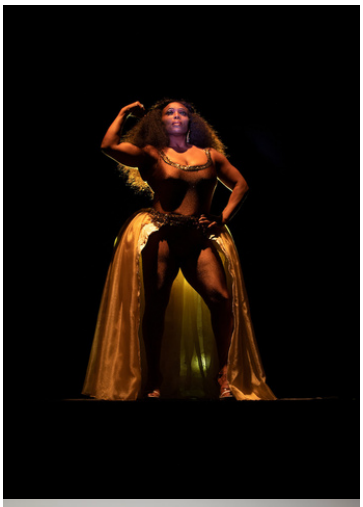
Spring 2023 | Educational Matinee Series

Rising of the Necessary Diva* | Friday, January 27th at 11:00am



Rising of the Necessary Diva is an autobiographical account of a girl raised in the hood and born to a sharecropper's daughter. Her gift to sing paves a path for her to travel the world singing classical music, but whose heart recognizes the need to return to the hood to serve in purpose. This one-woman multimedia show starring WCU's Assistant Professor of Music (Voice), Dr. Tiffany Renée Jackson, and featuring a live band, is sure to inspire audiences to find their own higher calling.

**This show is intended for high school students.*

Dr. Tiffany Renée Jackson. Photo courtesy of WCU Photo Services.

Imani Winds: Musical Journey Around the World

Friday, February 24th at 10:00am

Experience the twice Grammy-nominated wind quintet Imani Winds on stage at the BAC Performance Hall. Join us as Imani Winds takes the audience on a Musical Journey Around the World. This program features classical and world music pieces, with explanations emphasizing that music for wind quintets comes from all parts of the world. The 45-minute music concert promotes active listening and introduces wind instruments in an age-appropriate way. Come with your questions and learn from the esteemed Imani Winds. This performance is co-sponsored by the WCU School of Music.

Photo courtesy of Imani Winds.

The Second City: Improv All-Stars*

Thursday, March 23rd at 10:00am

Comedy with no net. The Second City's Improv Allstars is a morning of hilarious improvisation from the masters of the form. A handful of actors use audience suggestions to create comedy on the spot – never seen before and never seen again. It's a one-of-a-kind morning with the most legendary improv artists in North America.

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