

## **2021 Essentially Ellington Virtual Band Director Academy Master Schedule**

\*\*\*All classes are scheduled to be 75 minutes long\*\*\*

### **Week 1 – (Feb. 27<sup>th</sup>)**

- **10 am PST (1pm EST)** Panel Discussion: Programming Strategies  
(Todd Stoll-moderator, Rodney Whitaker, Julius Tolentino, Lisa Linde)
- **11:30 am PST (2:30pm EST)** Solo Transcriptions (Loren Schoenberg)

### **Week 2 – (March 6<sup>th</sup>)**

- **10 am PST (1pm EST)** Panel Discussion: Recruiting & Retaining Women in your Jazz Band  
(Alexa Tarentino, Lauren Sevian, Sherrie Maricle, Camille Thurman)
- **11:30 am PST (2:30pm EST)** Jazz Language (Julius Tolentino)

### **Week 3 – March 13<sup>th</sup>**

- **10 am PST (1pm EST)** Defining Quality Literature (Todd Stoll & Terell Stafford)
- **11:30 am PST (2:30pm EST)** Organizing Rehearsal Time (Terell Stafford and Jim Gasior)

### **Week 4 – (March 20<sup>th</sup>)**

- **10 am PST (1pm EST)** Rhythm Section Comping (Rodney Whitaker, Sherrie Maricle, James Chirillo)
- **11:30 am PST (2:30pm EST)** Jazz Education as Social Change (Todd Stoll)
- **1 pm PST (4:00pm EST)** Q & A by Wynton Marsalis

### **Week 5 – Grand Finale – (March 27<sup>th</sup>)**

- **10 am PST (1pm EST)** Section-based Master Classes for students of all participating Band Directors  
(Instructors: Rhythm - Sherrie Maricle, Dave Loeb, Rodney Whitaker; Trumpet - Terell Stafford; Saxophone - Julius Tolentino; Trombone - Vincent Gardner)
- **11:30 am PST (2:30pm EST)** Roundtable Band Director Discussion – Discussion with JOI Faculty and participating Band Directors (Todd Stoll, Rodney Whitaker, Sherrie Maricle, Julius Tolentino, Terell Stafford)
- **1 pm PST (4:00pm EST)** Video performance of UNLV Jazz 1 and the Las Vegas Youth Jazz Orchestra

*\*All instructors for courses are confirmed. Another highly qualified instructor may be assigned to a course due to unforeseen circumstances..*