

THE UNIVERSITY OF
MEMPHIS

Rudi E. Scheidt School of Music

presents

Amina Figarova and the Matsiko Choir

Special guests

U of Memphis Jazz Singers

Southern Comfort Jazz Orchestra

October 20th, 2026

College of Communication and Fine Arts

Jazz and Commercial Music Faculty

- Dr. Jack Cooper (Jazz and Commercial music)
- Mr. Sam Shoup (Jazz and Commercial music)
- Dr. Michael Shults (Saxophone)
- Dr. Martin McCain (Trombone)
- Dr. Patrick Sutton (Guitar)
- Mr. Alvie Givhan (Piano)
- Mr. Michael Assad (Drums)

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(program to be chosen from)

Focused	Amina Figarova
Do so so	Figarova
Sapphire Veil	Figarova
Through These Eyes	Figarova
Sifunu Mungu	traditional
Manu Tribe Song	traditional
A Cappella	Matsiko Choir
Suite for Africa	Figarova/Hegarty
I. Spirit Africa, Spirit Liberia	
II. Fifteen as One	
III. Forgotten Children	

Amina Figarova, piano
Bart Platteau, flutes

Hannah Anderson, Mercy Behyee, Winifred Brown
Janet Browne, Eunice Flomo, Cherish Glaybo
Caroline Goyee, Vanessa Johnson, Fredia Johnson
Favor Karbeh, Gabriel Kolliie, Miracle Makor
Treasure Mayson, Ellen Morris, Musu Sirleaf
Habakkuk Smith, Archlinn Tommy, Mariah Zeogar

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Ava Shantly, Rachel Young, Jeniya Parker
Marcus Austin, Donovan Smith, Liam Tubbs

Trumpet	Oliver Buckley
Tenor Sax	Chris Ghaffar
Guitar	Aidan Mills
Bass	Egypt Burton
Drums	Kurtis Gray