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Creative Music Works, The Playground Ensemble and Dazzle Jazz present
The Playground Chamber Jazz Project

The Playground Ensemble brings a mix of energetic improvisation, original jazz by local artists, and a modern classical aesthetic

Denver – A mix of high energy improvisation, ground breaking original jazz, and a modern classical aesthetic, the Playground Chamber Jazz Project will appear at Dazzle Restaurant and Lounge on Wednesday, October 10th, 7 p.m.

“This genre bending project is the newest of new music and a coming together of different Denver communities,” said Conrad Kehn, founding director of The Playground Ensemble.

The event will feature new compositions by Colorado composers Conrad Kehn, Aakash Mittal and Marc Sabatella. The evening will also feature Lynn Baker’s arrangement of Aaron Copland’s Billy the Kid.

This year marks the third appearance of the project where Creative Music Works joins The Playground Ensemble as a sponsor for the first time.

“I am incredibly excited about our new partnership with The Playground Ensemble,” said Farrell Lowe, president of Creative Music Works. “This innovative partnership is sure to be a ‘tour de force’ which will enliven the local musical landscape.”

The Playground Chamber Jazz Project is the brainchild of 9th & Lincoln Orchestra's Tyler Gilmore and Playground Director Conrad Kehn. The project originally debuted in February 2010.

The Playground Ensemble, established in 2001, is comprised of faculty and alumni of DU's Lamont School of Music.

Tickets to this year’s event are \$10 for general admission and \$7 for members.

The Playground's mission is to provide stimulating performances, expand common perceptions of both contemporary music and the chamber ensemble, and nurture a community around this music that we love.

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