2018 Iowa Summer Music Camps
General Information – Commuter Campers

PERCUSSION and JAZZ CAMPS - June 10-15
Welcome to the Iowa Summer Music Camps (ISMC)! The Iowa Summer Music Camps officially open at **1:00PM on Sunday, June 10.** Upon arriving in Iowa City, come to the Voxman Music Building (VOX) at 93 E. Burlington Street in Iowa City to register and audition.

**Sunday, June 10**
1:00PM Registration – Pearl West Family Lobby – 2nd Floor (VOX).
1:00-4:00PM Placement Auditions for Percussion and Jazz.
   (See audition locations upon arrival)
   *Please note that once you have auditioned, there are no commitments until the Camp Orientation at 4:00PM.*
4:00PM Camp Orientation in VOX 2400. (All campers)
5:00-6:00PM Camp Dinner – Dunn Family Terrace – 4th Floor (VOX X4350RT)
6:00PM Commuter campers may be picked up at VOX.

**Monday, June 11-Friday, June 15**
8:30AM-5:00PM Classes meet.
*A detailed daily schedule will be provided at registration.*

**Friday, June 15**
5:00PM – Percussion Camp Demonstration, Voxman Concert Hall (VOX 2101)
Camp concludes following the demonstration.

5:00PM – Jazz Camp Concert, Voxman Recital Hall (VOX 2301)
Camp concludes following the concert.

PIANO and CLARINET CAMPS - June 17-22
Welcome to the Iowa Summer Music Camps! The Iowa Summer Music Camps officially open at **2:00PM on Sunday, June 18.** Upon arriving in Iowa City, report to the Voxman Music Building at 93 E. Burlington Street to register. A welcome dinner will be provided to all campers on Sunday on the 4th Floor – Dunn Family Terrace (VOX X4350RT).

**Sunday, June 17**
2:00PM Registration – Pearl West Family Lobby – 2nd Floor VOX.
   *Piano campers should arrive no earlier than 3:00PM.*
   *Please note that following registration, there are no commitments until the Camp Orientation at 4:00PM.*
2:00-4:00PM Clarinet campers perform for Professor Montilla.
   This is not an audition but rather an opportunity for Professor Montilla to get to know you as a player.
4:00PM  Camp Orientation in VOX 2400. (All campers)
5:00-6:00PM  Camp Dinner-Dunn Family Terrace – 4th Floor (VOX X4350RT).
Commuter campers may be picked up at VOX at 6:00PM.

**PIANO CAMP DAILY SCHEDULE**
All classes are located in the Voxman Music Building

**Monday-Friday, June 18-22**
8:30AM-5:00PM  Classes meet.

*A detailed daily schedule will be provided at registration.*

*Commuters may be picked up after classes end at 5:00PM.*

**Friday, June 22**  Clarinet Camp Recital, 5:00PM, Concert Hall
Piano Camp Recital, 7:00PM, Recital Hall (VOX 2301)

**CAMP LOCATIONS AND TIMES**
All camps will meet in locations in the Voxman Music Building (93 E. Burlington Street). All classes begin at 8:30AM and end at 5:00PM, with the exception of Friday, June 15 and Friday, June 22. Please see individual camp schedules for information.

There are no evening classes.

**ATTENDANCE**
Campers are expected to attend all classes, concerts, and special events. Exceptions include illness or emergency. In the event a camper must miss class, the camp office (319-335-1635) must be notified immediately. The camp office will be staffed from 8:00AM-4:30PM, M-F.

**PLACEMENT AUDITIONS and ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

**PERCUSSION IMMERSION**: Students should prepare Parts 1, 2 and 4 of the audition material (Provided). Sightreading may be given at the time of the audition.

**JAZZ**: Students should prepare a piece, in any musical style (jazz, classical, popular, etc.) with which they are completely comfortable. If you are comfortable improvising, you will be asked to improvise a solo alone (No accompaniment will be provided). Some auditors may ask for scales. Drum set players should be prepared to demonstrate different styles such as swing, rock, and Latin. Sightreading may be given at the time of the audition. The placement auditions are a NO PRESSURE experience! We are only interested in hearing what you do best as a musician.

**CLARINET**: Students will be asked to perform 3 major scales of their choice. They should also play a fragment of a clarinet solo or etude of their choice.

**PIANO**: There are no placement auditions for piano students, but students should bring 2-3 pieces (with scores) at the difficulty of at least the equivalent of Level “D” (according to IMTA syllabus). Of these pieces, at least one should be performance ready (memorized).
CLOTHING, EQUIPMENT, MATERIALS

PERCUSSION: Casual attire is acceptable for daily and evening activities, except for the final concert. Concert attire is “nice” casual (button shirts, no shorts or jeans please). Bring (1) a practice pad (Preferably a double-sided pad such as an Innovative Percussion RP-1, HQ Real Feel Pad, or other brand), and (2) mallets and sticks. All percussion instruments will be provided.

JAZZ: Casual attire is acceptable for daily and evening activities, except for the final concert. Concert attire is “nice” casual (button shirts, no shorts or jeans please). **Students must bring a folding music stand to use during camp.** Electric bass and guitar players must provide their own instruments, amps, and patch cords. String bass players must bring their own instruments. Please label all personal instruments and music stands with your name, email address, phone, and address. A limited number of drum sets will be furnished but some players may be asked to bring their sets to use during the week.

PIANO and CLARINET: Casual attire is acceptable for daily and evening activities, except for the final concert. Concert attire is “nice” casual (button shirts, no shorts or jeans please). Clarinet students are responsible for bringing a properly functioning clarinet and enough working reeds for the duration of the camp. They should also bring all the necessary equipment and accessories for the performance of their clarinets. (cork grease, swabs, ligatures, screwdrivers, etc). Clarinet students are also invited to bring bass clarinets and/or Eb clarinets for the clarinet choir or just to receive additional personal instruction on those instruments.

FINAL CAMP CONCERTS/DEMONSTRATIONS

PERCUSSION IMMERSION: Friday, June 15, 5:00PM - VOX Concert Hall (VOX 2101).

JAZZ: Friday, June 15, 5:00PM - VOX Recital Hall (VOX 2301).

CLARINET: Friday, June 22, 5:00PM – VOX Concert Hall.

PIANO: Friday, June 22, 7:00PM - VOX Recital Hall.

DEPARTURE

Each camp closes with the final performance each week.

LOCKERS

Lockers for instruments will be available at no charge in the Voxman Music Building, located on level 0 in the Student Commons Area.

LUNCH OPTIONS

Commuter campers have several options for lunch. They may bring a bag lunch to eat on campus or they may purchase a meal ticket ($10.50) to eat lunch with the resident campers in the Market Place (buffet-style) in Burge Hall (301 N. Clinton Street). Please be advised that the Market Place dining hall is “cashless,” so credit or
debit cards must be used to purchase lunch at Burge or cash can be used to purchase meal tickets during camp registration. If a commuter wishes to eat off campus, a parent or guardian must indicate so on the online registration form. If a commuter camper does not have permission to eat off the camp premises, they must eat at the Burge Marketplace with the resident campers, in the food court at the University Capitol Center (located across the street from Voxman), or they may bring a bag lunch to eat in Voxman.

HEALTH INFORMATION
The University of Iowa does not offer short-term health or accident insurance for the Iowa Summer Music Camps. Therefore, any costs associated with the treatment of injuries or hospitalization will be the responsibility of the parent or guardian of the participant. Any insurance carried by the parent or guardian may be used to defray medical and hospital costs. The Health Information and Release Forms must be completed and returned to the camp office prior to the opening of camp.

SUPERVISION
A group of six counselors, who are music majors at the UI, will provide much of the supervision during the Summer Music Camps. Of course, the UI School of Music faculty and staff that are directly involved with camp will also supervise the students during classes and special activities.

ZERO TOLERANCE POLICIES
The Iowa Summer Music Camps strictly adheres to the University of Iowa zero tolerance policies regarding substance abuse (possession or use of alcohol, drugs), sexual harassment (verbal or physical), bullying, hazing, vandalism, or violence of any type. In the event of a violation, students will be reported to UI Police and expelled from the camp and sent home immediately at their own expense. See rules and procedures, which will be included in the registration packet.

EVENING ACTIVITIES
Activities are scheduled during the evenings, and are designed for resident and commuter campers. A schedule of these activities will be available at registration, and commuter campers are encouraged to participate!

RESIDENCE HALL REGULATIONS
Commuters are not allowed on resident hall floors. Any boy caught in a girl's room (or vice versa) will be expelled from camp immediately. Please consult the East Side Summer Residence Hall Guide Book for additional information about policies and procedures. A PDF of the Guide Book was emailed with the camp information.

CELL PHONES
Personal cell phones and electronic devices must be turned off during classes, rehearsals, and events.

USE OF AUTOMOBILES, MOTORCYCLES, MOPEDS
During camp, commuters may use a vehicle as transportation to and from camp each day. They may not give rides to other campers. There are public parking ramps and metered parking spaces which may be used during camp. In the parking ramps, the first hour is free, then the rate is $1.00 per hour.

**MONEY**
Avoid bringing large sums of money to camp.

**ACCOMMODATIONS**
Please notify the ISMC office (319-335-1635) as soon as possible if you will require any special accommodations during summer music camp. A reminder, the camp office will be staffed from 8:00AM-4:30PM, M-F.

**SEVERE WEATHER**
Camp buildings have designated shelters that can be used in the event of severe weather. There is some commuting between buildings during camp, so students should plan appropriate clothing in the event of rain. Students will not be permitted outside in the event of severe weather.