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Music at Uppsala University



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Saturday 12 September

Culture Night: Open rehearsal with the Royal Academic Orchestra

Welcome to meet members of the Royal Academic Orchestra and the conductor Stefan Karpe, and join a test rehearsal! The social club in the orchestra will provide free drinks and snacks. Bring your own instrument!

Musicum, Kyrkogårdsgatan 4, Uppsala, no pre-booking.

Mingle & information, Drop-in: 1:00–1:30 PM

Open Rehearsal: 1:30–2:30 PM

Meet and mingle, time for questions: 2:30–3:00 PM

Saturday 12 September

Culture Night: Jazz and Chamber Music at Musicum

Welcome to Musicum during Culture Night and enjoy two different concerts featuring musicians from the University's two orchestras.

4:00–4:45 PM – An ensemble from the Royal Academic Orchestra performs Octet in E-flat Major, Op. 20 by Mendelssohn.

6:00–7:00 PM – Members of UUJO, together with the band's Artistic Director, Erik Tengholm, present an exciting jazz concert featuring spectacular tunes and arrangements from the legendary recordings of trombonists J. J. Johnson and Kai Winding.

Musicum, Kyrkogårdsgatan 4

Free admission – no tickets needed. Please note that seating is limited. Doors open 30 minutes before the start of each concert.

Wednesday 7 October

Uppsala University's Awards Ceremony

Join us in celebrating the University's 549th anniversary!

The ceremony will feature an award presentation accompanied by festive music performed by the Royal Academic Orchestra under the direction of Stefan Karpe, vocal soloists Emmi Christensson and Joa Helgesson, and the Norrlands Nations Chamber Choir.

University Grand Auditorium, 4:00–6:00 PM

Free admission, but tickets are required. Tickets at [Billetto.se](https://billetto.se).

Sunday 25 October

Music-con-Fusion – The Royal Academic Orchestra Meets UUJO

It has been ten years – and now it's happening again, with a new twist! The Royal Academic Orchestra and the Uppsala University Jazz Orchestra last shared the concert stage in 2016. This time, the University's two orchestras come together in a genre-spanning programme that brings together big band and symphonic jazz, Broadway musicals and pop.

Participants: The Royal Academic Orchestra, Uppsala University Jazz Orchestra

Conductors: Stefan Karpe and Erik Tengholm

Host: Jacke Sjödin

University Grand Auditorium, 7:00–approx. 9:00 PM (including a 30-minute interval).

Refreshments will be available for purchase from Café Alma in the foyer before the concert and during the interval.

Free admission, but tickets are required. Tickets at Billetter.se. Ticket release 25/9 at 09:00 AM. More info at www.akademiskakapellet.uu.se and www.uujo.uu.se

Sunday 15 November

Chamber Music at Musicum with Guests

We are pleased to welcome the student organisation Musikplattform der ETH und Universität Zürich, a non-profit organisation bringing together students and employees who make music at the two universities in Zurich. As part of this collaboration, musicians from Musikplattform and the Royal Academic Orchestra will perform chamber music together in Uppsala, Stockholm and Zurich.

Musicum, Kyrkogårdsgatan 4, 3:00–approx. 4:00 PM.

Free admission, pre-booking is needed. Book tickets at Billetter.se. Please note: Limited seating. Ticket release 15/10 at 09:00 AM.

Tuesday 24 November

Chamber music at Musicum

Members of the Royal Academic Orchestra performs chamber music accompanied by the pianists Andreas Kreuger and Nils Hansson Meng.

Musicum, Kyrkogårdsgatan 4, 7.00–approx. 8.00 PM.

Free admission, pre-booking is needed. Book tickets at Billetter.se. Limited seating. Ticket release 24/10 at 9.00 AM.

Tuesday 8 December

Swinging Christmas – In a Clarinettistic Tone

The Uppsala University Jazz Orchestra's traditional Christmas concert Swinging Christmas returns to Katalin, the heart of Uppsala's jazz scene. The programme features Christmas classics in a warm and festive jazz setting, with rising star Hannibal Jarrah as guest clarinettist! With Hannibal's virtuosic playing and UUJO's infectious swing, this promises to be an exciting concert inspired by, among others, swing legend Benny Goodman.

Artistic Director: Erik Tengholm

Katalin and All That Jazz, 8:00–approx. 10:00 PM (including an interval)

Admission: SEK 100, excluding service fee. Tickets at Katalin.com

Saturday 12 December

A Symphony of Christmas

The Royal Academic Orchestra sets the mood for the season with a delightful program of classical Christmas music and beloved pieces from film and television.

Soloist: Kasper Helmersson, violin

Conductor: Stefan Karpe

Christmas host: Ida Löfholm

University Grand Auditorium, 3:00–approx. 4:20PM

Free admission, but a ticket is required. Tickets via Billetter.se. Ticket release 12/11 at 09:00 AM.

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