The 2015 Herb Pomeroy Jazz Composition/Arranging Contest
Sponsored by Berklee College of Music, Jazz Composition Department, Professional Writing Division

Award Information: The winning piece will be performed by the Berklee Rainbow Band (under the direction of Tia Fuller) at the Berklee College of Music High School Jazz Festival. The festival will occur on January 31st, 2015 at the Hynes Convention Center in Boston, MA. The winner will receive a full tuition scholarship to the Berklee 5 Week Summer Performance Program. The award also covers the comprehensive and registration fees. The second place winner will receive a $2,000 partial tuition scholarship to the 5 Week Summer Performance Program, and a third place winner will receive a $1,500 partial scholarship to the 5 Week Summer Performance Program.

Entrance Guidelines:

1. The entrant must be a high school student enrolled in grades 9, 10, 11, or 12.
2. The piece: Could be an original composition or an arrangement of an existing tune. Should be scored for four trumpets, four trombones (fourth trombone is bass trombone), five saxes (AATTB, no doubles), guitar, piano, bass, and drums. A vocal part can be included. Vocal scores must contain a solid section for the band.
3. Each entrant may submit only one piece.
4. An application form, one score and set of parts, and a CD audio rendition (acoustic or electronic) must be received by January 5th, 2015.
5. Send all materials to:
   Berklee College of Music, Attn: Eric Gould J CMP MS-150, 1140 Boylston Street, Boston, MA 02215

Submitted materials will not be returned. Do not send
“masters”. Winner and honorable mentions will be announced by January 12th, 2015. Any questions should be directed to Eric Gould, Chair of Jazz Composition, Berklee College of Music email: egould@berklee.edu

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2015 ENTRY FORM

Name: ____________________________________________
Address: __________________________City __________________
State _____ Zip _____ Phone: ___________________________
School: ______________________Grade________________
Address: __________________City: ______________________
State: _____Zip: _____ Instrument:____________________
Name of present music teacher:________________________
Other teachers, length of study: ______________________
Hobbies/Interests: _________________________________
Career Aspirations:_______________________________
Name of piece submitted: __________________________

I hereby certify that I am eligible to enter this contest and accept all printed conditions and guidelines.

Signature of entrant: ____________________________
Date: _______________