

# UBC BrassFest!

Schedule | Saturday, January 21, 2023 | Barnett Hall, Room 113, Gessler Hall, Old Auditorium

9 - 10AM	<b>Registration</b>	<b>School of Music Lobby</b>
9:15 - 9:55AM	<b>Creative warm-ups: Jeremy Berkman, Alan Matheson</b> Is your warm up routine tired and in need of a little zest? Don't miss this bonus session led by UBC Brass faculty, Jeremy Berkman and Alan Matheson, specialists in thinking musically outside the box. Be sure to bring your instruments to start the day by getting the creative juices - and your air - flowing!	<b>Barnett Hall</b>
10AM - 3PM	<b>Brass Resource Centre</b> A great opportunity to explore equipment displays of interest to all brass players. Audition professional calibre instruments, purchase mouthpieces and accessories, and browse for new sheet music. Be sure to thank our sponsors!	<b>Gessler Hall (Rm 116)</b>
10 - 10:30AM	<b>Welcome Concert: UBC Faculty and Student ensembles</b>	<b>Barnett Hall</b>
10:45AM - 12 noon	<b>Chamber Music Masterclass with Gail Williams</b> Masterclass with Gail Williams and UBC Student Brass Ensembles. <i>Sponsored by Tom Lee Music.</i>	<b>Barnett Hall</b>
12 - 1:30PM	<b>Lunch Break with optional breakout sessions</b> Be sure to stop by the Resource Centre to visit our wonderful sponsors, check out some merchandise, and make connections! (Pizza is available to purchase)	<b>School of Music Lobby</b>
12:30 - 1PM	<b>On Mouthpieces: Gail Williams and Laskey Mouthpieces</b> <b>Breakout session A:</b> Ever wondered what makes a winning mouthpiece? Attend this informal lunch session with Gail Williams and Laskey Mouthpieces reps to find out! <i>Sponsored by Laskey Mouthpieces.</i>	<b>Barnett Hall</b>
12:30 - 1PM	<b>On Freelancing: Alan Matheson, Jeremy Berkman</b> <b>Breakout session B:</b> Looking to build your freelancing skills? Alan and Jeremy have built their entire careers as freelancers, and have loads of wisdom to share in this information session geared toward anyone who wants music to be part of their lives!	<b>Room 113</b>
1:30 - 2:30PM	<b>Solo Masterclass with Gail Williams</b> Gail Williams leads a solo masterclass with students from the UBC Horn studio. A not-to-miss session for students and educators alike! <i>Sponsored by Matterhorn Music.</i>	<b>Barnett Hall</b>
3 - 4PM	<b>Recital &amp; Fireside Chat: Gail Williams, Valerie Whitney, Miranda Wong</b> Gail Williams, Valerie Whitney and Miranda Wong share a short recital, followed by a fireside chat with Gail Williams. Now is your chance to hear an internationally renowned performer and brass pedagogue speak on topics relevant to all musicians. Audience questions and participation encouraged! <i>Sponsored by Long &amp; McQuade Musical Instruments.</i>	<b>Barnett Hall</b>
4:15 - 5:15PM	<b>Large Ensemble Reading Session with Gordon Cherry</b> What better way to end the day celebrating brass than with a large brass ensemble reading session? Gordon Cherry leads this reading session of his favourite works for brass ensemble. All brass players of any skill level are invited to participate.	<b>Old Auditorium stage</b>

We gratefully acknowledge that we are gathered together for this festival on the traditional, ancestral, and unceded territory of the Musqueam people.

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