

Thursday, May 13, 2021 | 7:30 PM  
William R. and Irene D. Miller Recital Hall

# Imani Rousselle, jazz voice

**Vittorio Stropoli**, piano

**Emmanuel Michael**, guitar

**Dan Finn**, bass

**Domo Branch**, drums

## **PROGRAM**

WILLIE NELSON  
(b. 1933)

*Night Life*

IMANI ROUSSELLE  
(b. 1997)

*Lion Boy*

*When the Night Comes*

CHARLES IVES  
(1874–1954)

*A Night Song*

THELONIOUS MONK  
(1917–1982)

*Monk's Dream*

IMANI ROUSSELLE

*Abstain*

*In Mourning*

CLAUDE DEBUSSY  
(1862–1918)

*Clair de lune* from *Suite bergamasque*

WALTER GROSS  
(1909–1967)

*Tenderly*

JACKSON SHEPARD  
(b. 1995)

*Lighthouse*

IMANI ROUSSELLE

Imani Rousselle, a student of Jean Baylor, is a candidate for the Master of Music degree. This recital is given in partial fulfillment of its requirements.

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