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## **SFJAZZ Partners with Stanford Live to present Five In-Person Concerts This Summer at Frost Amphitheater**

### **Series Kicks off July 8 with Fantastic Negrito**

(San Francisco, CA, June 3, 2021) – SFJAZZ has partnered with Stanford Live to present five outdoor concerts at the historic Frost Amphitheater on the Stanford University campus. This summer concert series will mark SFJAZZ's first time co-presenting at the historic Amphitheater with the inaugural concert set for Thursday, July 8 at 7:30pm with the multiple GRAMMY-winning Fantastic Negrito.

The concert series will then present **Glasper Martin Presents Dinner Party featuring Christian Scott aTunde Adjuah** on Thursday, July 15; **Kansas City Swing: Lavay Smith and Her Red Hot Skillet Lickers** on Thursday, July 22; **SFJAZZ Collective: Miles Davis' *In a Silent Way* and Sly & The Family Stone's *Stand!*** on Thursday, July 29; and **An Evening with Gregory Porter with Marcus Shelby Quintet featuring Tiffany Austin** on Thursday, August 5. All concerts begin at 7:30pm.

"Thank you to Stanford Live for inviting SFJAZZ to join in presenting live music at this poignant moment—the emergence from COVID and a time for deep reflection and action in response to concurrent societal, political, and environmental upheavals," says SFJAZZ Founder and Executive Artistic Director Randall Kline. "Live music inspires us all, particularly when we can experience it in the company of our fellow human beings. These concerts reinforce Stanford Live's position as a leader in the Bay Area's arts community."

#### **Tickets and Information**

Tickets for all performances will be available through Stanford Live and sold in socially distanced pods of two, four, and six seats. Tickets will be available for purchase online only at [frostamphitheater.com](https://frostamphitheater.com) up until 30 minutes past showtime. Presale access for July concerts will be available to select Stanford Live members beginning on Monday, June 7 followed by a public onsale beginning Friday, June 11. August performances will go on sale in July. To read about COVID health and safety protocols, visit the [Safety Guidelines](#) page and the venue [FAQ](#).

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