

# The Songbook 2021 SCHEDULE

	10:45AM	11AM	12:15PM <b>12PM</b> 12:	45PM	1PM	2PM	3PM	4PM	5PM
SUN. JULY 18	Log-in early to check your connection!	Vocal Technique Lecture Vocal Technique Coach: Catherine Walker	Connecting to the Lyric Workshop Lynne Rothrock	Short Break	Team Time	Masterclass: Michael Feinstein	Break	Social Hour *Ind. sessions *VT sessions	Artist Spotlight: Vuyo Sotashe
MON. JULY 19	Optional Vocal Warm Up Elaine Moebius	Songbook 101 *livestreamed via YouTub  Small Group Vocal Technique Session	Short Break Daniel Nard	ue op	Masterclass: Catherine Russell Team Time 'VT sessions	Masterclass: Catherine Russell Team Time	Break	Social Hour *Ind. sessions *VT sessions	Team Hangout
TUES. JULY 20	Optional Vocal Warm Up Elaine Moebius	Vocal Health Lecture Dr. Kathleen Hacker Small Group Vocal Technique Session	Jazz Voice Workshop La Tanya Hall	Short Break	Team Time 'VT sessions	Social Hour *VT sessions	Break	Michael Mast	y Leung & Feinstein erclass LIVE 1
WED. JULY 21	Optional Vocal Warm Up Elaine Moebius	Music Director Panel Mel, Daryl, Russ & Jeff Small Group Vocal Technique Session	Women in Musicals from Guys & Dolls to Wicked LIVE Guest Speaker: Stacy Wolf	Short Break	Masterclass: Solea Pfeiffer Team Time *VT sessions	Masterclass: Solea Pfeiffer Team Time	Break	Social Hour *Ind. sessions *VT sessions	Alumni Talkback *subject to change
THURS.	Optional Vocal Warm Up Elaine Moebius	Recording & Audio Walk-Through Small Group Vocal Technique Session	Repertoire Class Beckie Menzie	Short Break	Masterclass:     Trist     Curless  Team Time *VT sessions	Masterclass: Trist Curless Team Time	Break	Social Hour	Artist Spotlight: Mandy Barnett
FRI. JULY 23	Optional Vocal Warm Up	Special Talkback TBA More info coming soon!	The Business of Being a Performer Guest Speaker: Jonathan Flom	Short Break	Masterclass: Mandy Barnett  Team Time *VT sessions	Masterclass:     Mandy     Barnett  Team Time	Break	Final Team Time	Mentor Performance Night

<sup>\*</sup>All times are in Eastern



# The Songbook 2021 SCHEDULE BREAKDOWN

### Vocal Technique Sessions:

Led by Vocal Technique Coach, Catherine Walker, you will have the chance to hone your Vocal Technique during three technique-focused experiences during the week: a Vocal Technique Lecture, a small group work session, and a 15-minute private session with Catherine. Please note on the schedule that \*VT sessions refers to private Vocal Technique sessions. You will receive your individual session assignments in a pre-week email - stay tuned!

#### Lectures, Panels and Talkbacks:

Featuring professionals from our world class Music Director and Vocal Coach team, as well as featured guests ranging from family members of Songbook legends to international musical theatre scholars, dig deeper into all aspects of the Songbook through these virtual sessions! Please note that you will miss one of these lecture-style sessions due to your small group Vocal Technique session assignment. These sessions will be recorded and you will be able to view at a later time. We will also connect you with session leaders for any follow-up questions.

#### Performance Skills Workshops:

Led by featured members of our Music Director and Vocal Coach team, explore some of the foundational skills and styles that are vital to performing the music of the Great American Songbook!

#### Guest Mentor Masterclasses:

This year's Songbook Academy features an ALL STAR line-up of celebrity guest mentors including founder, Michael Feinstein, Broadway's Telly Leung and Solea Pfeiffer, Grammy winner Catherine Russell, and Pop/Jazz and Country/Songbook stars Trist Curless and Mandy Barnett, respectively. To ensure that each student has the opportunity to work LIVE with at least one guest mentor, we will randomly select and assign students to specific guest mentors prior to Songbook Academy week. You will receive these assignments in addition to your Group (A or B) assignment via email soon! Please note that the public masterclass with Michael Feinstein and Telly Leung will take place on Tuesday EVENING at 8pm EDT.

#### Team Time:

Each day you will have the opportunity to work intimately with your Music Director, Vocal Coach and fellow teammates! Sometimes you will work as a full team, while at others you will work in small groups of four. Additionally, you will have a 30-minute individual check-in/session with your MD and Vocal Coach during the week. Specific individual session assigments (noted on the schedule as \*Ind. sessions) coming soon.

# Artist Spotlights:

The new Songbook Academy 2021 Artist Spotlight series offers interactive talkback opportunities with professional artists from across the music industry who are currently re-interpreting the Songbook in new and exciting ways. This year's Artist Spotlights feature Country/Songbook singer Mandy Barnett and South African-born jazz vocalist and composer Vuyo Sotashe!

# Social and Special Events:

Each night you will have the opportunity to meet, greet and hangout with fellow Songbook Academy students from across the country. The format will allow you the autonomy to move around to different "tables" as you choose. Additionally, we look forward to hosting a team hangout, alumni talkback and of course, the ever popular Mentor Performance night where you will hear your MDs, Vocal Coaches and other special guests perform for YOU!