SCHOOL OF **MUSIC**

TEXAS TECH

J.T. & Margaret Talkington College of Visual & Performing Arts

JAÇA DUO GUEST ARTIST RECITAL

Wesley Ferreira, *clarinet*

Jaxon Williams, *guitar*

Monday, October 5th, 2026 | 8:00pm
Hemmle Recital Hall

Rêve de L'Enfant	Yom (b. 1980)
Mountain Songs I. Barbara Allen II. The House Carpenter V. Cindy	Robert Beaser (b. 1954)
The Wanderer	Mike Caudill (b. 1991)
Duet for Clarinet and Guitar	Evan O'Day (b. 2004)
Tico Tico no Fubá	Zequinha de Abreu (1880 - 1935)

-Intermission-

Blues from an American in Paris	George Gershwin (1898 - 1937) arr. Michele Mangani
Gymnopédie 1	Erik Satie (1866 - 1925)
Taistealaí Ama	Ferreira/Williams
Sevillanas	Paco Cortés (b. 1957)
Tamacun	Rodrigo y Gabriela arr. Ferreira/Williams

-About the Artists-

Jâca brings the sounds of the world to life through a thrilling live music experience filled with virtuosity, storytelling, humor, and cultural exploration. Blending dazzling musicianship with musical traditions from across the globe, their concerts become vibrant journeys that captivate audiences from the first note to the final encore.

Known for their charismatic stage presence and infectious energy, Jâca transforms concerts into immersive experiences where music, culture, and storytelling intertwine. Their programs draw inspiration from diverse musical traditions, creating performances that feel both adventurous and deeply engaging for audiences of all backgrounds.

At the center of Jâca are two virtuosic musicians whose playful chemistry and artistic curiosity bring extraordinary imagination to the stage. Performing on clarinet and guitar, the duo explores repertoire spanning global musical traditions, original arrangements, and new music written especially for them. Their performances showcase the remarkable versatility and expressive power of these instruments, creating a sound world that is both intimate and expansive.

Jâca has performed for audiences across North America and internationally, appearing in concert halls, festivals, and major touring circuits. Their performances have included appearances at venues such as Carnegie Hall and have been featured on television and radio broadcasts across multiple continents. In addition to their touring work, Jâca is passionate about connecting with audiences through engaging performances that break down barriers between performer and listener.

Praised for their charisma, technical brilliance, and powerful connection with audiences, Jâca continues to enchant listeners with concerts that are as entertaining as they are musically inspiring.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Guest Artist Madeleine Mitchell, violin and Daniel del Pino, piano
8:00 PM, Wednesday, October 7th
Hemmle Recital Hall

Wellbeing Concert Series
7:00 PM, Thursday, October 8th
Hemmle Recital Hall

Jazz Ensemble and Jazz Orchestra
6:00 PM, Friday, October 9th
Hemmle Recital Hall