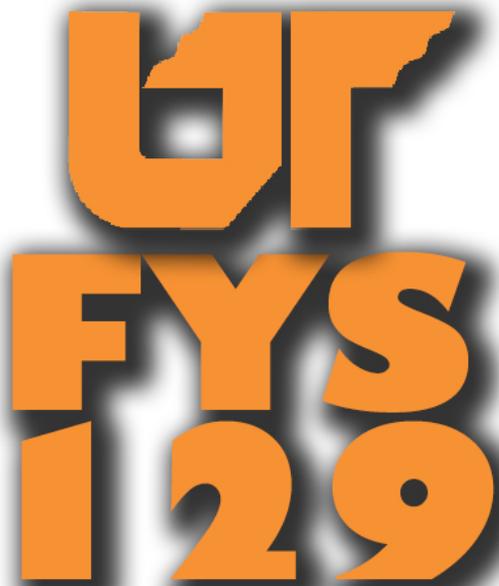


Radio Show Announcement



VOICES FROM THE GOLDEN AGE OF NON-IDIOMATIC IMPROVISATION

WUTK 90.3 FM

Monday, March 28, 2016, starting about 8:00 P.M.

Through the First Year Study Program at the University of Tennessee, a course titled “The Golden Age of Non-Idiomatic Improvisation” has been offered each fall over the past several years. The course investigates music of the instant created outside tradition and focuses not only on the music itself but on the social tensions and philosophical motivations that give rise to the music. This radio show is an extension of the course, a collaboration between the instructor, Prof. David Keffer, and Amanda Fuchs, a student enrolled in the course during the fall, 2015 offering. The show is tied into the Big Ears Music Festival (March 31-April 2, 2016) with a playlist that features 8 tracks from musicians appearing in the 2016 festival, 1 track from a musician who played a previous festival and 1 track from someone who should be invited next year. The tracks showcase the breadth of non-idiomatic improvisation. A pdf hand-out created for the show, containing information about the artists, the tracks to be played during the show and selected quotes from the musicians, which hint at the philosophy underlying their pursuit of creativity in unconventional directions, is located on the course website:

<http://utkstair.org/clausius/docs/fys129/index.html>.

The show will air on WUTK (90.3 FM) on Monday, March 28, 2016, starting at about 8:00 PM and lasting for a little more than an hour.

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