

## Musician of the Year Nomination Form

The West Michigan Jazz Society invites it's members to send in nominations for the 2021 WMJS Musician of the Year Award. This award was established in 2000 to honor outstanding local musicians and is given annually to recognize someone who has contributed to the West Michigan scene in perpetuating a greater awareness of jazz.

CRITERIA should include some, not necessarily all, of the following:

- What has this person has done to help jazz grow in Western Michigan (are they are recognizable as a jazz ambassador?)
- Has this person been a special asset to WMJS, performing or promoting our programs  
-what is the amount of their participation in the jazz scene? Any public recognition or community involvement?
- Any involvement in furthering jazz education? Have they contributed to youth programs or other venues that perpetuate jazz for future generations? Inspire others?

**Please complete and submit the nomination form below. The deadline is January 5<sup>th</sup>, 2021.**

You must be a current member in good standing to submit a nomination.

Fill out and mail to:

WMJS,

Attn: M.O.Y. Committee

P.O. Box 150307, Grand Rapids, MI 49515

Your name \_\_\_\_\_

Email or address \_\_\_\_\_

Your nomination \_\_\_\_\_

Why do you think he/she deserves this honor?

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