

# The Prima Memorial Lecture Series featuring Dr. Guthrie P. Ramsey Jr.

**Thursday, February 1, 2024**

“What I Did with Musicology and  
What It Gave Me Back”



5:00 p.m.

Opening reception,  
with refreshments served

**6:00 p.m.**  
**Lecture**

**Diboll Gallery at Newcomb Institute  
(43 Newcomb Pl.), 3rd floor of  
the Malkin Sacks Commons**



**Free and open to the public**

Dr. Guthrie P. Ramsey Jr. is a Guggenheim Fellow, music historian, pianist, composer, and author, renowned for his work in music and musicology specializing in African American studies. Currently the Visiting Dean's Chair in Music at McGill University, he is a Professor Emeritus of Music at the University of Pennsylvania and is CEO of Musiqology Media Group, a production and consulting agency that helps artists produce their best work and tell their story successfully.

Ramsey's books include *Who Hears Here: On Black Music Pasts and Present* (2022); *The Amazing Bud Powell: Black Genius, Jazz History and the Challenge of Bebop* (2013); and *Race Music: Black Cultures from Bebop to Hip-Hop* (2003).

The Prima Memorial Lecture Series presents discourse and discussion around American popular music, including its origins in American jazz.

For more information, contact Melissa A. Weber, Tulane University Special Collections, at [mweber3@tulane.edu](mailto:mweber3@tulane.edu) or 504-247-1807, or visit [library.tulane.edu/news/guthrieramsey](http://library.tulane.edu/news/guthrieramsey).

