

An up-and-coming jazz tenor saxophonist, composer, and performer Kyle Bramson is influenced by John Coltrane, Micheal Brecker, and Wayne Shorter but has a sound and style of his own within the mainstream of modern jazz.

Kyle started piano at age 6 and quickly excelled until he chose to play the alto saxophone at age 12. He was fascinated by jazz with its complex harmonies and rhythms and knew that jazz was his future. At the age of 17, he switched to tenor saxophone for its lush tone and beautiful sound. He graduated from Gulliver Prep in Miami in 2020 while studying under saxophonist Mark Small and director Ron Castonguay. He currently is studying Jazz Performance and Professional Sales at Florida State University under David Detweiler.

While in high school, Kyle won numerous awards including the 2017, 2018, and 2019 Maestro Award and the 2016 National Soloist Award. He has also performed at the Jazz Education Network conference (JEN) and the Jack Rudin Competition earning an Honorable mention award. He has performed with numerous jazz artists: David Detweiler, Luis Hernandez, Leon Anderson, Jalen Baker, and more.

Kyle has performed in numerous venues across the state of Florida and continues around Tallahassee. In his free time, he likes to competitively race sailboats for FSU.