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The All-Ohio Jazz Ensemble will be performing at the Ohio Music Education Association Conference Saturday (Feb. 14) in the Grand Ballroom of the Clarion Hotel in Cincinnati.

The Intercollegiate Jazz Ensemble is sponsored jointly by the Ohio Unit of N.A.J.E. and the O.M.E.A.

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YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio - Youngstown State University's Office of Continuing Education will offer a review course for individuals preparing to take Modules 1 and 2 of the Certified Purchasing Manager Exam of the National Purchasing Managers Association

"Certified Purchasing Manager Exam Review I" will be held from 7-9:30 p.m. Wednesdays, March 11 through May 27.

Module 1 covers the purchasing function: procurement requests, competitive bids, vendor analysis, contract principles and contract completion.

Module 2 covers the administrative function: goals, objectives, plans and policies for the purchasing department, evaluating and training personnel, budgets, and scrap disposal.

The course instructor will be Kim Lockert, purchasing manager of Technicare.

The fee for the course is \$175, or \$160 for those registering before Feb. 25.

For more information, or to register, call the YSU Office of Continuing Education at (216) 742-3358.

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