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ARKADELPHIA, Ark.—Ouachita Baptist University's Division of Music will host Allison Austin in her sophomore recital on Friday, April 29, at 11 a.m. The performance will be held in Mabee Fine Arts Center's McBeth Recital Hall and is free and open to the public.

Austin, a sophomore musical theatre major from Mena, Ark., is a member of the Carl Goodson Honors Program, Alpha Psi Omega national theatre honor society, Sigma Alpha lota international music fraternity for women and the Student National Association of Teachers of Singing. She is also involved in Women's Chorus and performed in Ouachita's 2015 Muse Project theatre production, "Second Star to the Right."

Austin will begin her recital by performing Jule Styne's "Diamonds Are a Girl's Best Friend" from *Gentlemen Prefer Blondes*, followed by a scene from *Talley's Folley* by Landford Wilson. She will then perform Claude Michel-Schönberg's "Woman" from *The Pirate Queen* and Jimmy Roberts' "A Stud & A Babe" from *I Love You, You're Perfect, Now Change*. Phyllis Walker, Ouachita staff accompanist, will accompany Austin.

Abby Tipps, a senior instrumental performance major from Sulphur Springs, Texas, also will present a recital at that time.

For more information, contact Ouachita's School of Fine Arts at (870) 245-5129.