

# BOOKING AGENCY AND MANAGEMENT







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2023 - Art Ensemble of Chicago: The Sixth Decade -From Paris to Paris (Live at Sons d'Hiver) - RogueArt 2019 - Art Ensemble of Chicago: We Are On The Edge - PI Recordings

# **EUROPEAN TOURS**

March-April 2024 June-July 2024 October-November 2024

# **World Exclusivity**





2023 - Henry Threadgill Ensemble: The Other One - PI Recordings

2021 - Henry Threadgill Zooid: Poof - PI Recordings

# **EUROPEAN TOURS**

November 2023 June - July 2024





2021 - Anthony Braxton: Quartet (standards) 2020

**New Braxton House** 

# **EUROPEAN TOURS**

July 2024: Lorraine Sextet

November 2024: Lorraine Quartet







2022 - Roscoe Mitchell, Thomas Buckner, Scott Robinson: Live at Vision Festival 2018 - ScienSonic

### **EUROPEAN TOURS**

March-April 2024

April-May 2024: Roscoe Mitchell & Michele Rabbia

October-November 2024







# SPECIAL PROJECT

Don Moye plays Art Ensemble of Chicago.

In the wake of Great Black Music, Don Moye with his sextet, takes up pieces by the *Art Ensemble of Chicago*, reinterpreting and rearranging them always keeping their spirit alive. Ancient to the Future!

### **TOUR DATES**

Always available in Europe



# **World Exclusivity**



World-renowned as a multi-instrumentalist and composer, he was profoundly influenced by Brazilian master Heitor Villa-Lobos, his works reflecting the musical diversity of Brazil. From the Amazon Indians' batuque to the Carioca samba and choro, through the Northeastern frevo, baião, and forró, Gismonti captures the true essence of the Brazilian soul in a way that is primitive, yet sophisticated and reflects it through his personal vision, elaborated by years of classic training and literacy in a wealth of musical languages in which jazz plays a significant role.

# **TOUR DATES**

May-June 2024: Solo November 2024: Solo







# Born in Rio de Janeiro, he has accomplished 48 years of career as cellist, arranger, record producer, conductor and composer. Jaques has graduated as a cellist at the *New England Conservatory* in Boston. Up till today, Morelenbaum has collaborated in 851 albums and performed 2675 concerts in 47 countries in 464 cities, sharing stages and music with names as Antonio Carlos Jobim, Caetano Veloso, Gilberto Gil and many others.

# **TOUR DATES**

July 2024: CelloSam3aTrio + Paula Morelenbaum

# **Europe Exclusivity**



Born in São Paulo, she has surfaced as one of the best young voices among the new talents of Brazil. Besides her music studies in São Paulo, she has recorded and performed with important Brazilian artists like Edu Lobo, Eduardo Gudin, José Miguel Wisnik, Marlui Miranda, Guinga, Nelson Ayres, Chico Buarque and the *Jazz Symphonic Orchestra of São Paulo*.

# **TOUR DATES**

Available on request: 2024-2025 with her Trio

# **Europe Exclusivity except Portugal**



# **NICOLE MITCHELL**

# LATEST ALBUM

2020 - Nicole Mitchell's Black Earth Ensemble: Earthseed FPF Records

### TOUR DATES

November 2023: Black Earth SWAY +++ Trio June-July 2024: Black Earth SWAY + Trio

August 2024: Black Earth SWAY

October 2024: Bamako\*Chicago Sound System



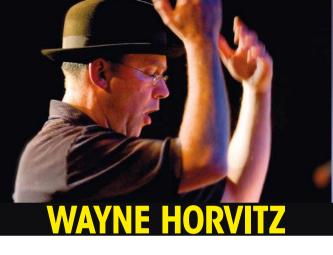


2023 - Harlem Rhapsody: Parco della Musica

### **TOUR DATES**

March 2024 October 2024





2020 - Wayne Horvitz & Sara Schoenbeck: Cell Walk - Songlines 2019 - Wayne Horvitz: The Cabinet of Dr. Caligari - indipendent

**TOUR DATES:** October 2023: Piano Solo
January-March 2024: Piano Solo +++ Duo with Robin Holcomb
October 2024: Piano Solo





2023 - Elliott Sharp: Steppe - zOaR

2022 - Eric Mingus & Elliott Sharp: Songs From A Roque State - zOaR

2022 - Elliott Sharp: Die Größte Fugue - zOaR

2021 - Elliott Sharp's Terraplane: Century - zOaR

# **TOUR DATES**

November 2023: The Clinamen Trio +++ Fourth Blood Moon

+ Duo with Eric Mingus

February-March 2024: Solo +++ JEM 3: Elliott Sharp -

Marco Cappelli - J.T. Lewis

April 2024: Duo with Eric Mingus



2022 - Ches Smith - Mat Maneri - Craig Taborn - Bill Frisell: Interpret It Well - Pyroclastic 2021 - Ches Smith: Path of Seven Colors - Pyroclastic

# TOUR DATES

August 2024: Ches Smith - Mat Maneri - Craig Taborn



# **European Exclusivity**



Leading figure of the *Vanguarda Paulista* since late seventies he is an internationally awarded composer/arranger with an expressive contribution to Brazilian music. In accordance with his principles of composition he mixes dissonant harmonies with creative dodecaphonic and atonal melodies and the strongest heaviest Brazilian grooves. His releases have an unsurpassed energy transforming samba in its most advanced vesion to date. His records "Clara Crocodilo" (1979) and "Tubarões Voadores" (1983) are considered amongst the most important in MPB history.

### **TOUR DATES**

May-June 2024: "Clara Crocodilo"







He is an internationally known composer of operatic symphonic choral and chamber works. He is also known for his virtuoso performances both as a solo pianist and as the leader of *Episteme*, a unique ensemble of musicians who are disciplined interpreters as well as provocative improvisers. His better known compositions include operas "X - The Life and Times of Malcolm X" and "The Central Park Five" which he won a *Pulitzer Prize* for Music in 2020.

# **TOUR DATES**

Available on request: 2023-2024





Acclaimed as a piano cubist excellent jazz improviser and wayward stylist who strays far from Cuban music while remaining so deeply rooted in Cuba's musical tradition from toques rumba and Afro-Haitian music blend with European art music and modern jazz.

# LATEST ALBUMS

2023 – Aruán Ortiz: Serranías: Sketchbook for piano trio - Intakt 2020 – Aruán Ortiz: Inside Rhythmic Falls - Intakt

# **TOUR DATES**

May-June 2024: Cub(an)ism (piano solo) June-July 2024: Pastor's Paradox (quintet) August-September 2024: Cub(an)ism + Trio November 2024: Hidden Voices Trio



# **European Exclusivity**



Pianist and composer interested in the intersections of various strains of acoustic electric composed and improvised new music.

He currently composes for and leads several ensembles featuring many of the current foremost musicians and improvisers.

# LATEST ALBUMS

2023 - Matt Mitchell: Oblong Aplomb - Out Of Your Head

2021 - Matt Mitchell & Kate Gentile: Snake Horse - PI Recording

2019 - Matt Mitchell Quintet: Phalanx Ambassadors - PI Recording

### **TOUR DATES**

February-March 2024: duo with Camilla Battaglia

August 2024: Matt Mitchell Trio



He is a DC/NYC-based musician and organizer of important musical presentations and has a strong presence in the national and international Improvised Music community. He is noted in *Downbeat Magazine* in 2020 as one of "25 most influential jazz artists" of his generation.

# LATEST ALBUMS

2022 - Luke Stewart: Works For Upright Bass and Amplifier Vol. 2 -

Astral Spirits

2020 - Luke Stewart: Exposure Quintet - Astral Spirits

# **TOUR DATES**

October 2023: Silt Trio

April-May 2024: Stereo Fight Tree Yo

June-July 2024: Luke Stewart Exposure Quintet

October-November 2024: Silt Trio

**Europe + South America** 



Originally from Canada, she has spent much of her career in Brooklyn NY. She has performed alongside the *Kronos Quartet*, the *International Contemporary Ensemble (ICE)* as well as in the improvised scene with musicians such as Henry Threadgill, Anthony Braxton, John Horn, Jason Moran, Ravi Coltrane as well as St. Vincent, David Byrne and Yoko Ono.

### LATEST ALBUMS

2021- Steph Richards with Joshua White:

Zephyr - Welcome to my Kitchen

2020 - Steph Richards Quartet: Supersense - Northern Spy

### TOUR DATES

October-November 2023: Steph Richards Power Vibe Quartet

May 2024: Steph Richards Power Vibe Quartet

October-November 2024: Steph Richards & Joshua White



Poet, photographer, professor and band leader. He co-founded with James Brandon Lewis the 12 piece ensemble *Heroes Are Gang Leaders* (2009) and the quartet *The Dead Lecturers* (2012). He has taught at *University of San Francisco*, *University of Montana* and *Howard University*. He is the recipient of a *Mrs. Giles Whiting Writers Award* and was awarded a *Guggenheim Fellowship* for Poetry in 2015.

### LATEST ALBUMS

2022 - Heroes Are Gang Leaders: LeAutoRoiOgraphy -

2020 - Heroes Are Gang Leaders: Artificial Happiness Button

### **TOUR DATES**

April-May 2024: Stereo Fight Tree Yo June-July 2024: The Dead Lecturers



Senegalese griot, based in Italy, he plays various traditional African instruments and he overcome territorial boundaries spreading African cultural tradition through tales set to music. Thanks to his being a powerful griot and a master percussionist, since 2017 he has been steadily collaborating with *Art Ensemble of Chicago*, Roscoe Mitchell, Don Moye, Moor Mother, Abel Selaocoe and other great musicians.

### LATEST ALBUM

2019 - Dudu Kouaté: Africation - independent

### **TOUR DATES**

Always available in Europe

# **World Exclusivity**



Trained classically as a vocalist he sings the blues like nobody's business improvises with the best of them and plays a fierce bass. When famed producer Hal Willner needed that special moment in his multiartist shows he called Eric. His passion to write and perform poetry was encouraged by the likes of Allen Ginsberg Jack Micheline and Lou Reed.

LATEST ALBUM: 2022 - Eric Mingus & Elliott Sharp:

Songs From A Rogue State - zOaR

TOUR DATES: November 2023: Eric Mingus & Elliott Sharp

March-April 2024: Eric Mingus Solo Guitar & Vocals

April 2024: Eric Mingus & Elliott Sharp

May 2024: Silvia Bolognesi Quartet with special guest Eric Mingus



The duo (formerly *Bitch'n'Monk*) is the twinning of nonconformist Colombian flautist Mauricio Velasierra and anarchic soprano and guitarist Heidi Heidelberg. The driving force of the duo is a shared commitment to depict the multiverse through an un-compromised new musical language of composition and improvisation that travels fluidly between forms.

## LATEST ALBUM

2020 - Witch'n'Monk: Tzadik

# TOUR DATES

Always available in Europe







Cristina Renzetti e Tati Valle are amongst the most active performers of Brazilian music in Italy, the two singer-songwriters met in 2013 to combine their voices, guitars, percussions and give life to this unique project, full of freshness and intensity. With hundreds of concerts performed, their first album "Madeleine", released in 2015, positively surprises audiences and critics. «One of the best Brazilian records of the year» according to *Il Venerdi di Repubblica. O Globo* (Brazil) wrote: «Pure harmony!».

# LATEST ALBUM

2023 - As Madalenas: As Madalenas - Via Veneto Jazz

### **TOUR DATES**

Always available in Europe

# **World Exclusivity**



# **ALSO ON SOME TERRITORIES**

Hermeto PASCOAL, João BOSCO,
Joyce MORENO, SIBA, Richard GALLIANO,
IRREVERSIBLE ENTAGLEMENTS,
Jonathan FINLAYSON, Liberty ELLMAN,
Marty EHRLICH, Matthew SHIPP,
Maria JOÃO, WYATTANDO,
Silke EBERHARD, Stefano BOLLANI,
Cristina ZAVALLONI, Camilla BATTAGLIA,
Simona SEVERINI, Claudio FASOLI,
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