

REIS / DEMUTH / WILTGEN



Pianist Michel Reis, bassist Marc Demuth and drummer Paul Wiltgen are three of Luxembourg's most prominent jazz musicians. They formed the Reis-Demuth-Wiltgen Trio in 1998 while still in high school and performed on a regular basis in and around Luxembourg for a couple of years. The trio reunited in 2011 eager to share their experiences and new compositions. Their self-titled first album was released on Laborie Jazz to widespread critical acclaim. Since the release, the band has toured extensively throughout the world and has appeared at major international jazz festivals in Europe and Asia. The band's sophomore album "Places In Between" was recorded in New York City and released on Double Moon Records in 2016 (Mocloud Records/Japan).

The repertoire of "Places In Between" was premiered at a festival in Luxembourg where the trio featured the world-renowned saxophonist **Joshua Redman**. Since 2014 Redman has been playing several of the trio's compositions with his own bands.

Joshua Redman says that he fell in love with their music from the moment he heard them when his own quartet was playing a double bill with REIS / DEMUTH / WILTGEN at Festival Charlie Free in France. In **March 2018**, the trio will tour in Europe with Joshua Redman as a featured guest. This tour includes a performance at the Philharmonie Luxembourg featuring the music of Reis/Demuth/Wiltgen arranged for the Orchestre Philharmonique du Luxembourg by multiple Grammy Award winning composer and conductor **Vince Mendoza**.



REIS DEMUTH WILTGEN with JOSHUA REDMAN

Mar 06 - Budapest, HU / Mar 07 - Milan, IT / Mar 08 - Chiasso, CH / Mar 09 - Neukirchen, DE
Mar 10 - Kassel, DE / Mar 12 - Maastricht, NL / Mar 16 - Luxembourg, LU / Mar 17 - Pontoise, FR

"Là où de nombreux groupes se brûlent les ailes à trop vouloir jouer la carte de la modernité facile, le trio réussit à allier cette approche à une souplesse et une capacité d'évasion qui évitent toute monotonie. Car derrière des atours accrocheurs se dissimulent des trésors d'inventivité, et les musiciens laissent souvent libre cours à leur lyrisme, que ce soit par le biais de solos concis intelligemment placés dans les structures ou par de longues montées en puissance"

- Olivier Acosta, Citizen Jazz

"La production musicale est parfaite, le piano de Michel Reis sonne magnifiquement et ma contrebasse de Marc Demuth est profonde. Paul Wiltgen maîtrise parfaitement sa batterie, des balayages aux rythmes plus appuyés. Finesse mélodique, puissance rythmique tout est réuni pour produire ce magnifique album."

- La Gazette Bleue D'Action Jazz

"This trio is a real discovery."

- marlbank.net

"Une nouvelle touche originale dans l'univers du trio piano, contrebasse, batterie. Entre magnifiques compositions romantiques et groove New-yorkais."

- France Inter

"Le trio a créé la sensation ... au Festival Saveurs Jazz!"

Tribune2lartiste.com

"Reis, Demuth, Wiltgen enchantent le Casino ... pendant deux heures, ce fut un réel enchantement. Faisant une ovation et plusieurs rappels à ce trio magique, le public ne s'y est pas trompé."

- La Dépêche du Midi

"une technique acérée, des motifs mélodiques elliptiques et une rythmique branchée sur l'énergie du rock"

- So Jazz (Sélection)

"Their Ottawa show was an intense focus of sound, like an espresso shot, still memorable days later."

- Ottawa Jazz Scene

"Une musique dense, qui emmène auditeurs et auditrices au-delà des frontières du palpable, là où le jazz est écrit, composé, afin de satisfaire les goûts les plus exigeants"

- Zeitung vum Lëtzebuerger Vollek

"Nouveau souffle venu du Luxembourg ..."

- Jazz News Magazine

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NEW ALBUM PLACES IN BETWEEN



SEPTEMBER 2016



MOCLOUD RECORDS

MICHEL REIS | PIANO
MARC DEMUTH | BASS
PAUL WILTGEN | DRUMS

"Places In Between captures the essence of our trio and of the music on this album. We are three Luxembourg artists who are based in different locations. Most of the time we are connecting either online or on tour when we are away from our respective homes. The title is reflective of the times when we are traveling together with all the experiences we amass - the fun and bizarre, magical and surreal - moments that cement our friendship and expand our creativity. The songs in 'Places in between' also present musically, those moments in a person's life - whether they occur during travels or during a major transition - that are pauses from the routines of daily life; it is often during these unexpected moments that mystery takes hold and magic unfolds." (Reis-Demuth-Wiltgen)

"Einfach grandios!"
- JazzPodium

"... un disque à l'équilibre parfait, entre écriture européenne et puissance rythmique US ..."
- TSFJazz

2017

Oct 20 - Festival Jazzmeile, Jena, DE
Oct 14 - Festival Jazzmeile, Nordhausen, DE
Oct 13 - Tivoli Vredenburg, Utrecht, NL
Oct 12 - Paard, Den Haag, NL
Oct 11 - Luxor Live, Arnhem, NL
Oct 06 - Turner Sims, Southampton, UK
Aug 02 - Jazz à la Colle sur Loup, FR
Aug 01 - Crest Jazz Festival, Crest, FR
Jul 20 - Cortez, Mito, JP
Jul 19 - Cotton Club, Tokyo, JP
Jul 17 - Lifetime, Shizuoka, JP
Jul 16 - Bonds Rosary, Kyoto, JP
Jul 15 - Left Alone, Kobe, JP
Jul 14 - Toyonaka, Osaka, JP
Jul 08 - Têtes de Jazz, Avignon, FR
Jul 02 - Südtirol Jazz Festival, Brixen, IT
Jun 25 - Festival Des Rives & Des Notes, Oloron, FR
Jun 24 - Duc des Lombards, Paris, FR
Jun 23 - Vertigo, Wroclaw, PL
Apr 29 - KulturAmbulanz, Bremen, DE
Apr 23 - Festival "Museum am Syrdall", LU
Apr 22 - Burg Vieschering, Münster, DE
Mar 25 - Festival Jazz en Rafale, Montreal, CA
Mar 24 - Festival Francophonie, New York, USA
Mar 23 - Festival Francophonie, Wash. DC, USA

2016

Nov 28 - Jazz Kongress, Freiburg, DE
Nov 27 - KulturHaus, Hamm, DE
Nov 26 - Le Phénix, Valenciennes, FR
Nov 25 - Luxembourg Jazz Meeting, LU
Nov 07 - Kyoto, JP
Nov 06 - Jogajji Buddhist Temple, Osaka, JP
Nov 04 - Cotton Club, Tokyo, JP
Nov 03 - Kamome, Yokohama, JP
Nov 02 - Cortez, Mito, JP
Oct 21 - Birdland, Neuburg an der Donau, DE
Oct 07 - op der schmelz, Dudelange, LU
Jul 06 - Festival International de Wiltz, Wiltz, LU
Jun 24 - New Village Hall, Belgium, WI, USA
Jun 23 - Ottawa Jazz Festival, Ottawa, CA
Jun 21 - Joe's Pub, New York, NY, USA
Mar 26 - Printemps Musical, Luxembourg, LU
Jan 28 - TIG Theater, Mönchengladbach, DE
Jan 27 - Burg Lüttinghof, Gelsenkirchen, DE

2015

Oct 25 - Autumn Leaves Jazz Festival, Lux, LU
Oct 22 - Akbank Jazz Festival, Istanbul, TR
Oct 15 - Vilnius Jazz Festival, Vilnius, LT
Oct 10 - Forbidden City Hall, Beijing, CN
Oct 11 - Festival Jazz Promenade, Yokohama, JP
Oct 09 - Jarasum International Jazz Festival, KR
Sep 02-05 - Jazz Workshop, Praia, CV
Aug 01 - Nida Jazz Marathon, Nida, LT
Jul 25 - Usadba Jazz Festival, Ekaterinburg, RU
Jul 06 - Lux Embassy, Warsaw, PL
Jul 05 - CracJazz Festival, Krakow, PL
Jul 04 - Rigas Ritmi Festival, Riga, LV
Jul 02 - Flagey, Brussels, BE
Jun 06 - Théâtre de Caen, Caen, FR
Jun 05 - Periscopes, Lyon, FR
Apr 16 - Centre Culturel PBailiart, Massy, FR
Apr 10 - Kriol Jazz Festival, Praia, CV
Feb 21 - Budapest Music Center, Budapest, HU

2014

Dec 20 - Kasárne/Kulturpark, Kosice, SK
Dec 18 - Trifolion, Echternach, LU
Nov 16 - Cotton Club, Tokyo, JP
Nov 14 - Star Eyes, Nagoya, JP
Nov 13 - Le Club Jazz, Kyoto, JP
Nov 12 - Kamome, Yokohama, JP

Nov 08 - Festival D'Jazz Nevers, FR
Aug 29 - Auvernier Jazz Festival, Auvernier, CH
Aug 21 - Jazz Campus en Cluniois, Cluny, FR
Jul 18 - Sunside, Paris, FR
Jul 17 - Saveurs Jazz Festival, Segré, FR
Jul 12 - International Jazz Festival, Warsaw, PL
Jul 06 - Charlie Jazz Festival, Vitrolles, FR
Jul 05 - Fondation La Borie, Limoges, FR
Jul 04 - Festival Jazzpote, Thionville, FR
Jun 26 - Santo Domingo Jazz Festival, DO
Jul 06 - Charlie Jazz Festival, Vitrolles, FR
Jul 05 - Fondation La Borie, Limoges, FR
Jul 04 - Festival Jazzpote, Thionville, FR
Jun 26 - Santo Domingo Jazz Festival, DO
Jun 06 - Amphithéâtre P. Mendès, Sédan, FR
Jun 02 - Syros Jazz Festival, Syros, GR
Jun 01 - Preveza, Jazz Festival, Preveza, GR
May 31 - Technopolis Jazz Festival, Athens, GR
Apr 12 - Cully Jazz Festival, Cully, CH
Apr 01 - Jazz Bistro, Toronto, CA
Mar 31 - National Arts Centre, Ottawa, CA
Mar 30 - Yardbird Suite, Edmonton, CA
Mar 28 - Festival Jazz en Rafale, Montreal, CA
Mar 26 - Teatro Municipal, Pereira, CO
Mar 25 - Camara de Comercio, Medellin, CO
Mar 23 - Museo Nacional, Bogota, CO
Mar 21 - Théâtre National, Managua, NI
Mar 14 - Centre Les Arcades, F-Thumesnil, FR
Feb 27 - Philharmonie Luxembourg, LU

2013

Dec 16 - L'Olympia, Paris, FR
Nov 23 - L'Usine, St Céré, FR
Nov 22 - Théâtre des 13 Arches, Brive, FR
Nov 21 - Festival Eclats D'Email, Limoges, FR
Nov 18/19 - Duc des Lombards, Paris, FR
Oct 18 - Jazz in den Ministergärten, Berlin, DE
Oct 17 - Festival Jazzmeile, Jena, DE
Oct 15 - Newcastle University, Newcastle, UK
Oct 14 - The Vortex, London, UK
Oct 11 - Les Dominicains, Guebwiller, FR
Sept 27 - Jazz Schmiede, Düsseldorf, DE
Sept 01 - Les RDV de l'Erdre, Nantes, FR
Aug 07 - Crest Jazz Festival, FR
July 16 - L'houï, Rédange/Attert, LU
July 15 - Festival Têtes de Jazz, Avignon, FR
July 14 - Festival Omni, Luxembourg, LU
July 06 - Südtirol Jazzfestival Alto Adige, IT
May 12 - Casa da Musica, Porto, PT
May 11 - Jazz en Comminges, St Gaudens, FR
May 09/10 - Hot Club, Lisbon, PT
May 08 - Palacio Foz, Lisbon, PT
Apr 26 - Musek am Syrdall, Niederanven, LU
Feb 24 - Abbaye de Neumünster, Lux, LU
Feb 23 - Jazz Station, Brussels, BE
Feb 20 - Fondation Biermans, Paris, FR
Feb 19 - New Morning, Paris, FR

2012

Nov 12 - Festival Jazzy Colors, Paris, France
Nov 04 - Kulturhaus, Niederanven, LU
Sep 19/20 - Café Théâtre L'houï, Redange, LU
May 19 - Like A Jazz Machine, Dudelange, LU
May 14 - Péniche L'imprwcccovisite, Paris, FR
May 14 - Théâtre les Trois Baudets, Paris, FR
Mar 15 - J. M. Kohler Center, Kohler, WI, USA
Mar 13 - Aurora University, Aurora, IL, USA
Mar 12 - Loyola University, Chicago, IL, USA
Mar 10 - Viterbo University, LaCrosse, USA
Mar 09 - Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN, USA
Mar 04 - Caffé Vivaldi, New York, NY, USA
Jan 13 - Onda Jazz, Lisbon, PT
Jan 12 - Palacio Foz, Lisbon, PT

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