

INGRID LAUBROCK

CONTEMPORARY CHAOS PRACTICES

TWO WORKS FOR ORCHESTRA
WITH SOLOISTS MARY HALVORSON,
KRIS DAVIS, NATE WOOLEY,
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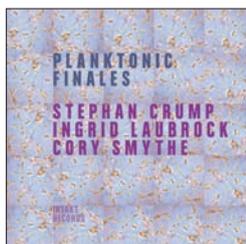
Ingrid Laubrock hat ihre Fähigkeiten als Komponistin für kleine Ensembles durch exzellente Aufnahmen mit ihrem Quintett Anti-House oder mit ihrem Werk „Serpentines“ eindrücklich bewiesen. Mit den Aufnahmen ihrer Kompositionen „Contemporary Chaos Practices“ und „Vogelfrei“ für Orchester legt die New Yorker Komponistin zwei wegweisende Orchesterwerke vor, die spontane Elemente in streng notierte Vorlagen integrieren.

Der Musikkritiker Steve Smith schreibt: „Die vorliegende Aufnahme, im Studio aufgenommen von einem Ensemble von erstangigen Freelancern unter der Leitung von Eric Wubbels und Taylor Ho Bynum, ist ein eloquenter Beweis dafür, was Laubrock erreicht hat. Ihre beiden Orchesterstücke präsentieren eine beachtenswerte Komponistin, die etwas zu sagen hat und genau weiss, wie man es sagt: 'Vogelfrei' mit seinen bunten Texturen, animierten Rhythmen, schnappenden Vocals und seinem unaufhaltsamen Schwung und 'Contemporary Chaos Practices', wo vier sofort wiedererkennbare SolistInnen (Mary Halvorson, Davis, Wooley und Laubrock selbst) ihre Individualität bewahren, während sie eine brillant dargestellte Klanglandschaft aushandeln.“

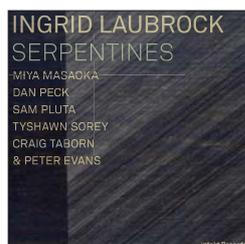
Ingrid Laubrock's credentials as an ambitious, skillful composer of intricate yet visceral works for small ensembles is well established – not least on the evidence of her excellent, much-admired Intakt recordings. Whether writing for conventionally constituted assemblages like her quintet Anti-House, or for a more unusual complement, like the mix of tuba, koto, electronics, and more that she convened two years ago for Serpentine, Laubrock has demonstrated a formidable capacity for writing music of intricacy, integrity, and broad appeal.

The critic Steve Smith writes in the liner notes: „The present recording, recorded in a studio by an ensemble of first-call freelancers led by two ideally sympathetic conductors, Eric Wubbels and Taylor Ho Bynum, provides eloquent evidence of what Laubrock has achieved. Both of her orchestral pieces – *Vogelfrei*, with its variegated textures, animated rhythms, swooping vocals, and inexorable momentum; and *Contemporary Chaos Practices*, where four instantly distinguishable soloists (Mary Halvorson, Davis, Wooley, and Laubrock herself) retain their individuality while negotiating a brilliantly rendered aural landscape – serve notice of an estimable composer who has something to say, and knows exactly how to say it.“

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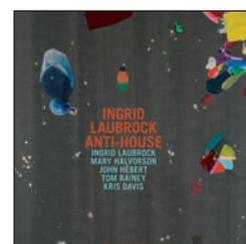
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INGRID LAUBROCK ANTI-HOUSE
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