



INTAKT RECORDS

2018

2018

Welcome to the Intakt Catalogue 2018.

New names shape the catalogue this season. Michael Formanek, Ches Smith, Kukuruz Quartet, Dave Gisler Trio, District Five, Ken Vandermark, Nate Wooley, Don Byron, Kaja Draksler, Robyn Schulkowsky and Till Brönner as a guest of Günter Baby Sommer.

We also present great works by musicians with whom we have been working for many years. Included is the solo work of Lucas Niggli on his 50th birthday, two CD's from Sylvie Courvoisier, a live recording of the Globe Unity Orchestra and the extraordinary orchestral work of Ingrid Laubrock.

Enlarging the radius, breaking boundaries and expanding freedom are characteristics of creative music. But also the deepening, the refinement and the continuity of the aesthetic approach as seen on each of our 22 releases for 2018.

We count on your curiosity for contemporary music in the broad spectrum of jazz and value your continued contribution to creativity. Become a contributing Intakt member by joining our subscription service on our website www.intaktrec.ch. And stay up-to-date by signing up for our newsletter.

All the best from Intakt Records,
Anja Illmaier, Florian Keller, Patrik Landolt

PETTER ELDH, KAJA DRAKSLE, CHRISTIAN LILLINGER

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DRAKSLE – ELDH – LILLINGER
PUNKT.VRT.PLASTIK

Kaja Draksler: Piano
Petter Eldh: Bass
Christian Lillinger: Drums

Recorded by Christan Heck, Loft Köln
Mixed by Martin Waschkowitsch, Berlin
Liner notes: Peter Margasak
Cover art: Edith Ringer





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TRIO HEINZ HERBERT
YES

Dominic Landolt: Guitar
Ramon Landolt: Hammond, Synths, Samples
Mario Haenni: Drums

Recorded by Manuel Egger, Suburban Sound Studio
Liner notes: Florian Keller
Cover art: Samuel Weniger



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STEFAN AEBY TRIO
THE LONDON CONCERT

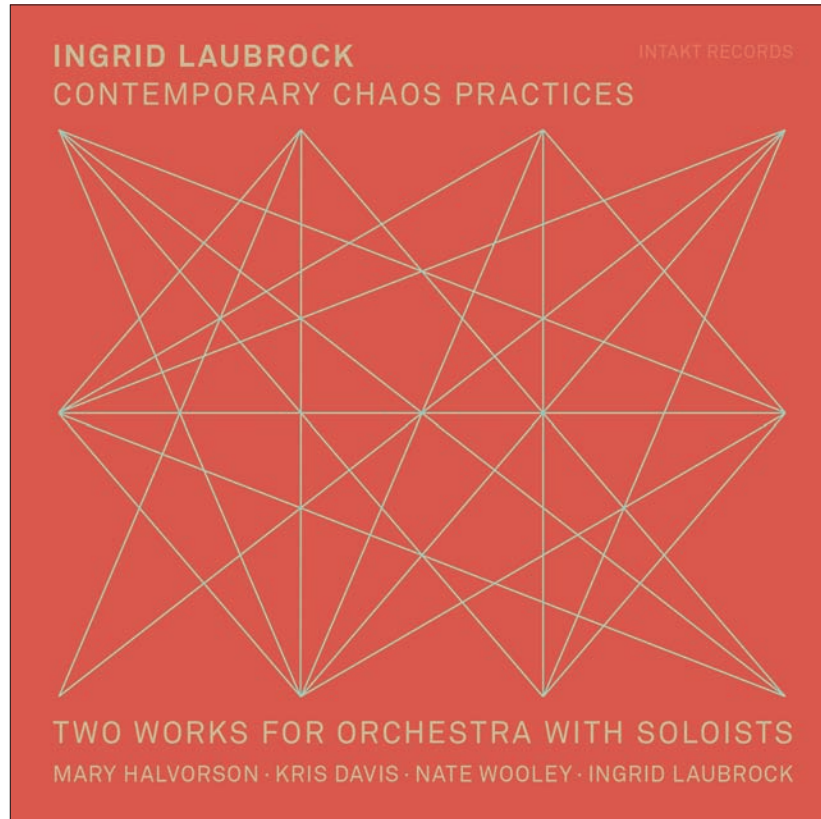
Stefan Aeby: Piano
André Pousaz: Bass
Michi Stulz: Drums

Recorded by Ali Ward, Jazzclub Vortex London
Liner notes: Kevin Le Gendre
Cover art: le_steffou



INGRID LAUBROCK, MOERS FESTIVAL 2017

Photo: Helmut Berns



INGRID LAUBROCK
CONTEMPORARY CHAOS PRACTICES
TWO WORKS FOR ORCHESTRA
WITH SOLOISTS

Ingrid Laubrock: Composition
 Eric Wubbels: Conductor 1
 Taylor Ho Bynum: Conductor 2

Soloists:

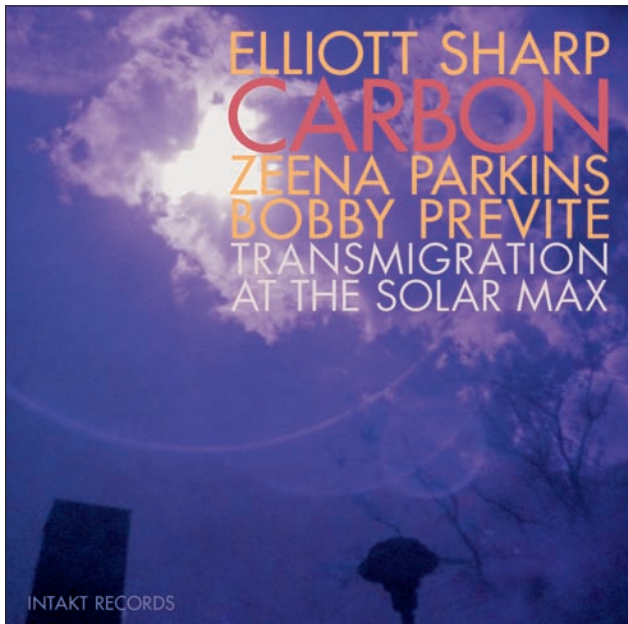
Mary Halvorson: Electric Guitar
 Kris Davis: Piano
 Nate Wooley: Trumpet
 Ingrid Laubrock: Soprano and Tenor Saxophone

Recorded by Ron Saint Germain at Power Station
 at Berklee NYC ·

Liner notes: Steve Smith

Cover art: Jonas Schoder, inspired by “Ikoner Og
 Objekter” by Malene Bach

Oboe: Christa Robinson · Oboe, English Horn: Katie Scheele · Flutes, Piccolo: Michel Gentile · Flute, Piccolo, Bass Flute: Zach Sheets · Clarinet, Bass Clarinet: Joshua Rubin, Katie Schoepflin · Contrabass Clarinet, Clarinet, Bass Clarinet: Bohdan Hlilash · Bassoon: Nanci Belmont, Dana Jessen · French Horn: Elizabeth Fleming, John Gattis · Trumpet, Piccolo Trumpet: Gareth Flowers · Trombone: Jacob Garchik, Mike Lormand · Tuba: Dan Peck · Percussion: Tim Feeney, Clara Warnaar · Violin: Sam Bardfeld, Maya Bennardo, Jean Cook, Erica Dicker, Mark Feldman, Sarah Goldfeather, Megan Gould, Elena Moon Park, Mazz Swift · Viola: Dominic DeStefano, Hannah Levinson, Miranda Sielaff · Cello: Talia Dicker, Maria Hadge, Katinka Kleijn · Bass: Greg Chudzik, Pat Swoboda · Amplified Contrabass Clarinet (Vogelfrei): Josh Sinton
 Vocalists: Roland Burks, Tomas Cruz, Chris DiMeglio, Walker J Jackson, Amirtha Kidambi, Kyoko Kitamura, Emilie Lesbros, Kamala Sankaram

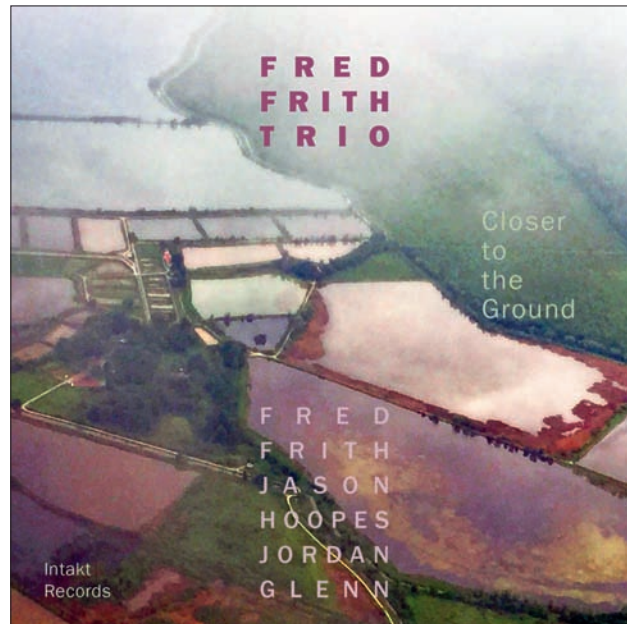


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ELLIOTT SHARP CARBON
TRANSMIGRATION AT THE SOLAR MAX

Elliott Sharp: 8-String Guitarbass, Soprano Sax, Electronics,
Samples & Textures
Zeena Parkins: Electric Harp
Bobby Previte: Drums

Recorded by Jazzfestival Saalfelden
Liner notes: Elliott Sharp · Cover art: Cy Fore



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FRED FRITH TRIO
CLOSER TO THE GROUND

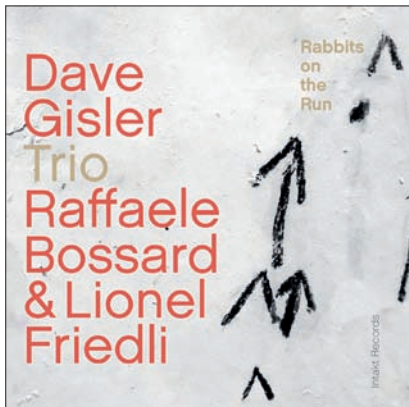
Fred Frith: Electric Guitar, Voice
Jason Hoopes: Electric Bass, Double Bass
Jordan Glenn: Drums, Percussion

Recorded by Scott Evans, Sharkbite Studios
Liner notes: Fred Frith, Jason Hoopes, Jordan Glenn
Cover art: Heike Liss

FRED FRITH TRIO – JASON HOOPES, FRED FRITH, JORDAN GLENN

Photo: Heike Liss





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DAVE GISLER TRIO
RABBITS ON THE RUN

Dave Gisler: Guitar
Raffaele Bossard: Bass
Lionel Friedli: Drums

Recorded by David Oldum, Studio Black Box
Liner notes: Florian Keller
Cover art: Simone Haug



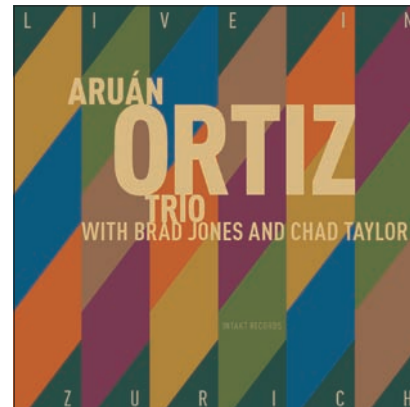
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LUCAS NIGGLI
ALCHEMIA GARDEN

Lucas Niggli: Drums, Percussion

Recorded by Jeroen Visser
Liner notes: Bert Noglik and Laurence
Donohue-Greene

Cover art: Gerda Steiner & Jörg Lenzlinger



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ARUÁN ORTIZ TRIO
LIVE IN ZÜRICH

Aruán Ortiz: Piano
Brad Jones: Bass
Chad Taylor: Drums, Mbira

Recorded by Martin Pearson, SRF 2 Kultur,
unerhört!-Festival Zürich
Mixed by Michael Brändli, Hardstudios
Liner notes: Christian Broecking
Cover art: Jonas Schoder

RAFFAELE BOSSARD, DAVE GISLER

Photo: Selwyn Hoffmann





TONY MALABY, MICHAEL FORMANEK, KRIS DAVIS, CHES SMITH

Photo: John Rogers



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**MICHAEL FORMANEK
ELUSION QUARTET**
TIME LIKE THIS

Tony Malaby: Saxophone

Kris Davis: Piano

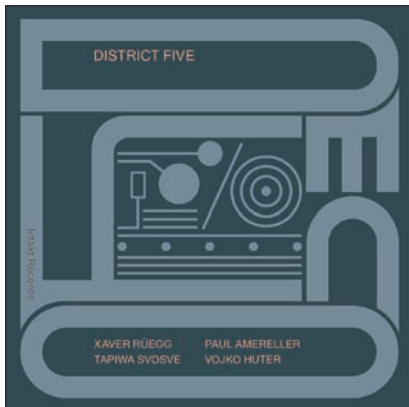
Michael Formanek: Bass, Composition

Ches Smith: Drums

Recorded by Ryan Streber, Oktaven Audio

Liner notes: Hank Shteamer

Cover art: Heike Liss



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**DISTRICT FIVE
DECOY**

Xaver Rüegg: Double Bass
Tapiwa Svosve: Alto Saxophone, Synths/
Electronics
Vojko Huter: Guitar, Synths/Electronics
Paul Amereller: Drums

Recorded by Christian Heck, Loft Köln
Mixed by Manuel Egger
Liner notes: Florian Keller
Cover art: District Five and Jonas Schoder

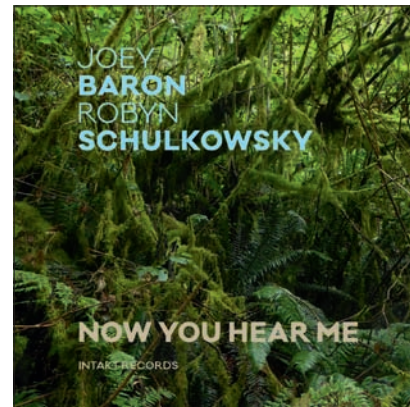


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**VWCR
NOISE OF OUR TIME**

Ken Vandermark: Saxophone, Clarinet
Nate Wooley: Trumpet
Sylvie Courvoisier: Piano
Tom Rainey: Drums Percussion

Recorded by Ryan Streber, Oktaven Audio
Liner notes: Guy Peters
Cover art: Jonas Schoder



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**JOEY BARON –
ROBYN SCHULKOWSKY
NOW YOU HEAR ME**

Joey Baron: Drums, Percussion
Robyn Schulkowsky: Drums, Percussion

Recorded by Adrian von Ripka, Berlin
Liner notes: Bert Noglik
Cover art: Susann Schauer

ROBYN SCHULKOWSKY, JOEY BARON

Photo: Dariusz Gackowski





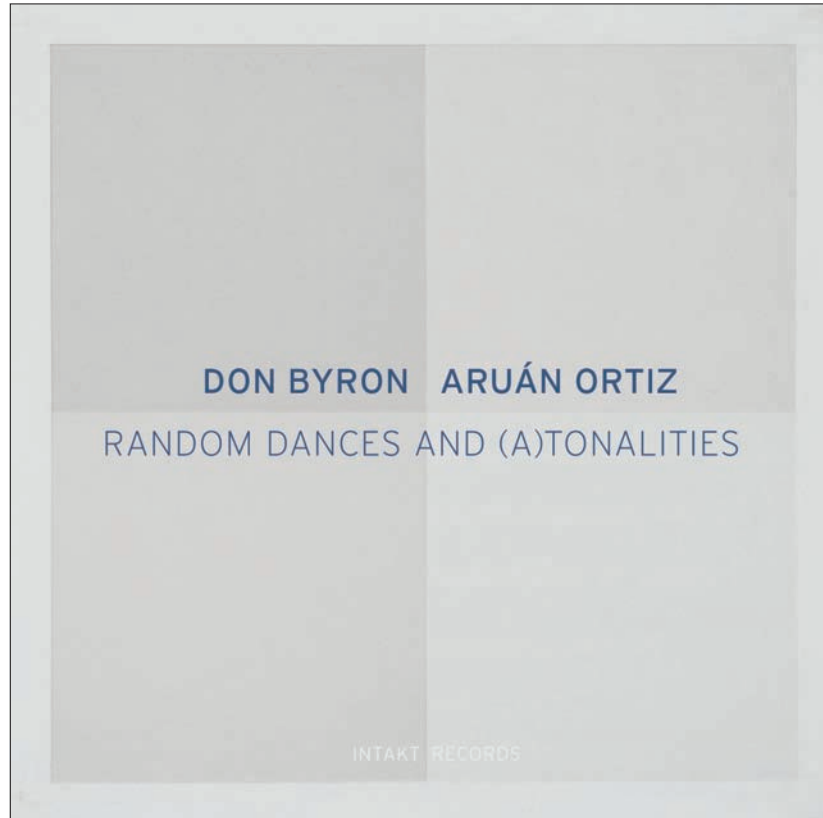
DON BYRON, RECORDING STUDIO SRF, ZÜRICH 2017

Photo: Francesca Pfeffer

DON BYRON – ARUÁN ORTIZ
RANDOM DANCES AND (A)TONALITIES

Don Byron: Clarinet, Saxophone
Aruán Ortiz: Piano

Recorded by Martin Pearson, SRF 2 Kultur
Mixed by Michael Brändli at Hardstudios
Liner notes: Larry Blumenfeld, Tom Staudter
Cover art: Willi Schoder





SIMONE KELLER, RECORDING STUDIO SRF, ZÜRICH 2017

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KUKURUZ QUARTET
JULIUS EASTMAN – PIANO INTERPRETATIONS

Philip Bartels: Piano
Duri Collenberg: Piano
Simone Keller: Piano
Lukas Rickli: Piano

Recorded by Michaela Wiesbeck, Radio SRF 2 Kultur
Liner notes: George E. Lewis · Cover art: Jonas Schoder



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NIESCIER – TORDINI – SOREY
THE BERLIN CONCERT

Angelika Niescier: Saxophone
Christopher Tordini: Bass
Tyshawn Sorey: Drums

Recorded by Wolfgang Hoff, Tjark Völker, Rundfunk Berlin-Brandenburg · Liner notes: Christian Broecking · Cover art: Jonas Schoder



GÜNTER BABY SOMMER
BABY'S PARTY
GUEST: TILL BRÖNNER

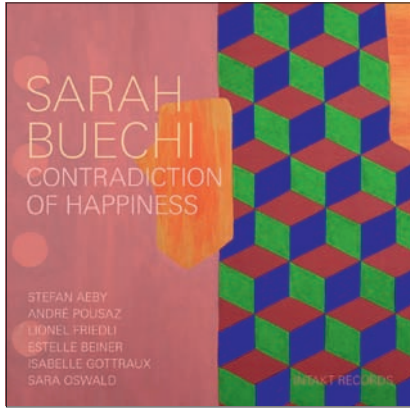
Günter Baby Sommer: Drums, Percussion

Till Brönner: Trumpet, Flügelhorn, Electronics

Recorded by Michael Brändli, Hardstudios

Liner notes: Thomas Brückner

Cover art: Jonas Schoder



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SARAH BUECHI
CONTRADICTION OF HAPPINESS

Sarah Buechi: Vocals, Composition
 Stefan Aeby: Piano
 André Pousaz: Double Bass
 Lionel Friedli: Drums
 Estelle Beiner: Violin
 Isabelle Gottraux: Viola
 Sara Oswald: Cello

Recorded by Andy Neresheimer,
 Radio SRF 2 Kultur
 Liner notes: Manfred Papst
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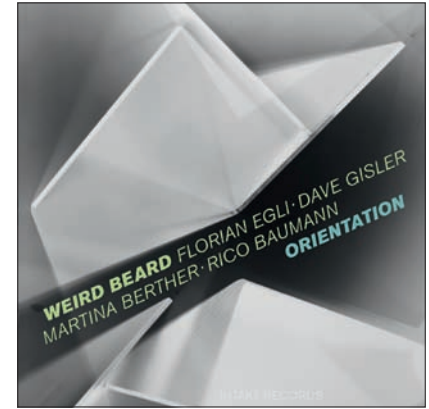


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PARKER – GUY – LYTTON
MUSIC FOR DAVID MOSSMAN
LIVE AT VORTEX LONDON

Evan Parker: Saxophone
 Barry Guy: Bass
 Paul Lytton: Drums

Recorded by Ali Ward, Jazzclub Vortex London
 Liner notes: Evan Parker
 Cover art: Ferdinand Penker and Trevor Sutton



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FLORIAN EGLI WEIRD BEARD
ORIENTATION

Florian Egli: Saxophone
 Dave Gisler: Guitar
 Martina Berther: E-Bass
 Rico Baumann: Drums

Recorded by David Odium, Blackbox
 Liner notes: Christoph Wagner
 Cover art: Jörgger-Stauss & Annatina Nay



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SYLVIE COURVOISIER TRIO
D'AGALA

Sylvie Courvoisier: Piano
Drew Gress: Bass
Kenny Wollesen: Drums

Recorded by Ryan Streber, Oktaven Audio · Mixed by James Farber
Liner notes: Kevin Whitehead
Cover art: Mario Del Curto



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ALEXANDER VON SCHLIPPENBACH
GLOBE UNITY ORCHESTRA
GLOBE UNITY ORCHESTRA – 50 YEARS

Recorded by Wolfgang Hoff, Peter Schladebach,
Rundfunk Berlin-Brandenburg
Liner notes: Richard Williams
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