

GRAMMY NOMINATED FOR BEST LATIN JAZZ THE RODRIGUEZ BROTHERS

Since their arrival in NYC, Robert and Michael have individually collaborated with many notable jazz artists and legends such as; Roy Haynes, Charlie Haden, Ray Barretto, Eddy Palmieri, Arturo Sandoval, Paquito D'Rivera, David Sanchez, Wynton Marsalis, Joe Locke, Carla Bley, Gonzalo Rubalcaba, Maria Schneider, Harry Conick Jr., Christian McBride, Richard Bona, Quincy Jones and many others.

The Rodriguez Bros. band was formed in 2002 and has produced 3 critically acclaimed recordings that have led to worldwide performances. Their new recording "Impromptu" (crisscross1381) further explores original compositions employing Afro-Cuban, South American and Jazz elements. The collaboration between brothers Robert and Michael are rounded out by a stellar group of musicians who happen to be childhood friends.



Artist: The Rodriguez Brothers
Title: Impromptu
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Artist Website: www.RodBrosMusic.com
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NOTED FESTIVAL PERFORMANCES

Newport Jazz Festival
Monterrey Jazz Festival
Bremmen Music Festival
Sinaloa Festival de las Artes
Festival de Jazz de Morelos/CD Mexico/Puebla/Guadalajara
Miami International Jazz Festival
Iceland Jazz Festival
Jazz Baltica (Germany)
Tours throughout Europe
And many others.

A working unit since 2002, The Rodriguez Brothers -- trumpeter Michael Rodriguez and pianist Robert Rodriguez -- present their kinetic, masterfully rendered concept of "Jazz Latin," incorporating traditional and modern Afro-Cuban, Brazilian, bolero and hardcore jazz flavors.

The brothers, each in their mid-thirties, are virtuoso storytellers on their respective instruments, as are their generational peer group bandmates Carlos Henriquez (the bassist with the Jazz at Lincoln Center Orchestra since the early '00s after several years with Gonzalo Rubalcaba), Cuban traps drummer Ludwig Afonso, and the eminent Columbian-born percussionist Samuel Torres.

Musicians: **Michael Rodriguez** Trumpet, Fluegelhorn, Pandeiro (5), Percussion (8). **Robert Rodriguez** Piano, Percussion (8). **Carlos Henriquez** Bass. **Ludwig Afonso** Drums. **Samuel Torres** Congas, Percussion. **Roberto Rodriguez** Drums (8). All musicians-Vocal Chorus on Love Samba.

Producer Gerry Teekens. **Recording Engineer** Michael Marciano. **Mixing** Max Ross. **Mastering** Max Ross.

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