

LUTrio

Silent City

Based on a traditional jazz background the band „LUTrio“ builds a bridge between the past and the present of this genre. Founded in 2015 by the drummer Lukas Kleemair, the pianist Urs Hager and the bassist Tobias Steinrück, the band follows a balanced approach within the ensemble, allowing each member to bring in his own compositions and individual ideas to the trio. The band itself can be seen as a melting pot of these creative inputs of all members which fosters experimentation and improvisation with all individual ideas. Over the years the trio has given concerts on various occasions, e.g. in the jazz clubs „tube’s“ in Graz, „ZWE“ in Vienna or „jazzGap“ in Garmisch. In 2018 the band was awarded a First Prize at the „Podium Jazz, Rock & Pop 2018“ competition in the category „Jazz and Contemporary Music Vplus“.

In its debut-recording „Silent City“, released on the Austrian label „ATS-Records“, the trio interweaves the various musical facets of each band member as well as elements of jazz, pop and even classical music. Beside several original compositions of the drummer Lukas Kleemair, the album also includes arrangements of well-known jazz standards and pieces of the Beatles and Erik Satie.

Lineup:

Lukas Kleemair - Schlagzeug
Urs Hager - Klavier
Tobias Steinrück - Bass



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Tracklisting

01. A Melody Stuck in My Head (4:40)
02. Hamstering (6:51)
03. Sheep Low (7:16)
04. Silent City (6:03)
05. Gymnopedie No. 1 (5:35)
06. Stablemates (6:12)
07. Dear John (5:32)
08. Blackbird (7:32)
09. Matrix (5:37)



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