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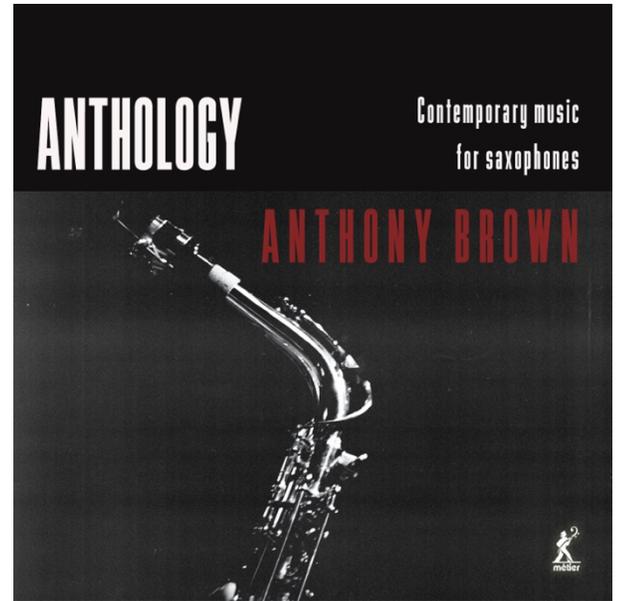
Anthology

Anthony Brown - saxophone

Debut recording by virtuoso saxophonist Anthony Brown including seven world première recordings of brand new commissioned works for the saxophone. Each work has its own unique sound world, offering different, exciting new duo and solo works. The performers and composers on this disc represent some of the major influences that have impacted Anthony's career to date, including teachers, colleagues and friends.

These virtuosic works explore the range and characters that the 4 main saxophones (soprano, alto, tenor and baritone) have to offer. The sound world of the contemporary saxophone is explored in great depth, with influences ranging from jazz, film, poetry, electronic music, and theatre. Each work was commissioned especially for this project and has taken 5 years to complete.

The disc was recorded between Nov 2021-Jan 2022 at Halle St. Michael's, Ancoats, by Joe Riser.



WORKS LISTING:

Julian Argüelles: Sonata For Two Saxophones

Andy Scott: Anthology

Graham Ross: Caged Bird

Larry Goves: The Two From Rastibon Could Start a Hailstorm

Steve Jackson: III

Gary Carpenter: Everything Is Connected

Meriel Price:

Where The Mind Goes I – Distance

Where The Mind Goes II – Close

Where The Mind Goes III – Remembering

 <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TnOnSzrbbWM>

Featured track: Graham Ross: Caged Bird

LINKED TITLES:

DDA 25112 Absolutely! – Music for string quartet and jazz soloists

The Classical Reviewer

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- Critically acclaimed performer including BBC Proms
- 7 World premiere recordings
- Album duration 70:35
- Recorded in Manchester 2021 - 2022
- Detailed programme notes (English)
- Sample track on YouTube
- Available on CD and in HD digital audio



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Artists: Anthony Brown – saxophone
Carl Raven – saxophone
Daniel Brew – electric guitar
Louise Stevens – distractions
Ben Powell - piano

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