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Project:

Multidirectional is the latest Rha Stranges' project. This first album called "Quello Che Non Ho Capito Del Jazz", has been recorded in south Italy (october 2012) with some of the greatest musicians in the Italian jazz scene such as Gaetano Partipilo alto sax, Gianni Lenoci on piano, Francesco Angiuli on double bass and Pietro Rosato on bass clarinet, and one of the new emergent-skilled guitar player in UK Jamie Leeming.

The Great marimba player Filippo Lattanzi is also featuring as special guest in one of the tune.

The music of this album is a mix of contemporary jazz with different influence from African music, free jazz, folk music and classical but still very related to the original idea of jazz music.

Jean-Marie Ecay, Billy Cobam's guitar player has already described the music as a great example of contemporary jazz-influenced album played with "maturity".

About the Leader:

Rha Stranges is a London based Drummer and Composer. After studying classical music in Italy, He moved to London in 2008 where he received a Ba Jazz from Middlesex university, he also attended one of the country's greatest institutions, the Guildhall School of Music and Drama, and was awarded a Master Degree in Jazz performance.

During this time he had the chance to study and play with Nikki Iles, Chris Batchelor, Stuart Hall, Rob Townsend, Martin Hathaway, Malcolm Edmondstone, Scott Stroman to name a few.

As well leading several projects, including Rha Stranges Multidirectional, he also played live with Steve Potts Italian tour 2010, with Jason Rebello (during the London Jazz festival 2011), Gaetano Partipilo, Joelle Leandre, Alec Dankworth, Jaen Toussaint, Barnaby Dickinson, Carlos-Real Lopez, Lee Gibson, Martin Hathaway to name a few.

Live Line-up in Uk involves:

Freddie Gavita on trumpet

Carlos Lopez-real on Saxes

Jamie Leeming on Guitar

Dario Di Lecce Bass

Rha Stranges Drums and Percussion

Along-side jazz Rha Stranges has more then 15 years of professional experience in other different kind of music such as pop, rock, classical and heavy metal.

A complete biography and discography is available on request.

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