

AGATHE IRACEMA

BRAZILIAN MUSIC BAND



BIOGRAPHY

Young Agathe charms the audience with a warm and sultry voice, she has an incredible scenic presence and an impressive artistic maturity. She has been immersed from a very young age in music, and her franco-brazilian background gives her a precious musical richness.

A contemporary interpretation of brazilian music, with several classics revisited, some originals, with a répertoire based on a wide and eclectic range musical textures influenced of by 70s rock samba . Agathe Iracema has a perfect sense of rythm and melody, a deep velvet timbre and filled with a wide spectrum of emotions. Her freshness and her talent is a challenge to her musicians and her peers.

Agathe Iracema, was born in Paris, and was all ears and eyes from a tender age. And discovers jazz through tapdance and from her brazilian bass player father. At the age of 14, with the help of the american singer Sheila Jordan, she records three tunes with Vincent Bourgeyx (piano) and Juan-Sebastien Jimenez (double bass).

The following year saw the first performance of Agathe Jazz Quartet at the Café Universel Jazz Club. Her ensuing accomplishments include :Prix du public at the Festival Jazz à Vian (2009),The Opening of the Jazz Delft Festival (2010) in the Netherlands, the Trophées du Sunside (2010), sélection «Jazz à Vienne –Rezzo » (2011) for the national stepping stone of the young jazz generation. She's been since performed in numerous jazz festivals including: Jazz à Vienne, Jazz à St germain des près, Jazz à toute heure, Orléans Jazz Festival, Orlyjazz and in several prestigious parisian jazz clubs such as the Sunside, le Baiser salé, New Morning.

In 2011, she started as well a new band: the Agathe Iracema Brazilian Music Band with the young drummer Tiss Rodriguez, dedicated to the greatest melodists of her ancestors country. Since 2012, she's been touring France with this band.

"In addition to being a great singer, Agathe is a great musician. Her arranging and producing skills put her far above other Jazz singers. I enjoyed working with her. She really got the best out of me and the best out of herself."

Fred Wesley (trombonist)

"To hear and see how Agathe has grown into this fantastic singer is a thrill for me. I am so proud of her and so happy that I was there when she was just beginning on this magnificent journey she's on. Agathe is a great talent. The music just flows thru her."

Sheila Jordan (jazz singer, New-York)

Agathe Iracema: voice
Eneas Santana: guitar
Rubens Santana: bass
Leonardo Montana: piano
Adriano Tenorio: percussions
Pierre Alain Tocanier: drums

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PRESS REVIEW



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TELÉRAMA

« Agathe Iracema, a young parisian singer, of brazilian origin, electrifies her musicians and her peers with her charm and her devotion to music. »

Télérama

« Agathe Iracema, a velvet voice with such emotion and elegance. »

OpenJazz /France Musique

« In spite of her young age, the singer reveals such a great artistic maturity and a beautiful presence. »

JazzHot

« an interior rhythm that immediately strikes you with its sincerity. »

Couleursjazzmag

« Agathe has jazz under her skin...Her ease is disconcerting, she has a radiant voice... »

La République du Centre

« This magnificent, warm, deep, suave woman with the sway of her phrasing, crowns the biggest vocal sensuality that has ever been heard... »

Performarts

« Agathe Iracema, the charming franco-brazilian ingénue delighted 500 people attending the concert of her quartet. »

Libération

« A velvet voice with such emotion and elegance proves how great she already is... a wonderful Jazz singer. »

Fip

« Beautiful Agathe combines seductive jazz vocals with a wonderful warm and resonant voice. »

Guitarist

« This performer, in perfect osmosis with her musicians is an authentic artist, offering music a mesmerizing devotion. »

Orleans Mag

« A formidable group. »

Cadence/NY



DISCOGRAPHY



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