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THE MUSIC OF THE MODERN JAZZ QUARTET APRIL 15-16 - THE ALLEN ROOM



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Who/What:

For nearly 50 years they were the greatest of all jazz super-groups, in which the deep, classically-inspired compositional style of pianist John Lewis was brilliantly counterbalanced by the blues-drenched approach of vibraphonist Milt Jackson. Yet the distinctive music of The Modern Jazz Quartet survives even the remarkable men who created it, as drummer/music director **Lewis Nash**, NEA Jazz Master pianist **Kenny Barron**, vibraphonist **Steve Nelson**, bassist **Peter Washington**, and special guest guitarist **Jim Hall** show in this program of MJQ classics like "Django" and "Bag's Groove."

When:

April 15-16, 2011, 7:30pm/9:30pm

Where:

The Allen Room at Frederick P. Rose Hall, home of Jazz at Lincoln Center, Broadway at 60th Street, New York, New York.

Tickets:

Ticket prices for The Allen Room are \$65 for the 7:30pm sets and \$55 for the 9:30pm sets. All tickets can be purchased through jalc.org or CenterCharge at 212-721-6500, open daily from 10am to 9pm. Tickets can also be purchased at the Jazz at Lincoln Center Box Office, located on Broadway at 60th Street, ground floor. Box Office hours: Monday-Saturday 10am to 6pm (or 30 minutes past curtain) and Sunday from noon to 6pm (or 30 minutes past curtain.)

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