# Matt Wilson Quartet

The Matt Wilson Quartet was formed in 1996 and the mission to be a true working band has been realized through consistently performing and touring. The band's concerts uniquely blend high level musicianship and thoughtful presentation that is not afraid to challenge and entertain. (They have a good time and you will too!).

## Matt Wilson - Drums

Matt Wilson was chosen Best New Artist (1997) by the New York Jazz Critics Circle, is recognized as one of the most creative drummers of his generation. He is known to audiences worldwide for his performances and numerous recordings with such artists as Dewey Redman, Lee Konitz, Sheila Jordan and Cecil McBee.

## Joel Frahm - Tenor & Soprano saxophones

Joel Frahm was a semi-finalist in the 1996 Thelonious Monk competition and during the last two years, he has been selected to perform in Betty Carter's Jazz Ahead showcase for young musicians He has performed with Brad Mehldau, Roy Hargrove and Larry Goldings, among others.

## Andrew D'Angelo - Alto Saxophone & Bass Clarinet

Andrew D'Angelo is a founding member of the critically-acclaimed ensemble Human Feel, which recently released its fourth album, "Speak to it" on Songlines recordings. As a performer and composer, D'Angelo is active in a variety of new music settings.

#### **Yosuke Inoue - Bass**

Yosuke Inoue is gaining recognition as one of the premier young bassists on the scene today He has performed and recorded with many jazz notables including Hank Jones and Michael Carvin His new CD, Speak Up is on Baybridge Records.