



CONTEMPORARY LATIN JAZZ

ANIA PAZ TRIO

Rhythm. Colour. Freedom.

Afro-Latin rhythms, contemporary jazz and creative freedom in constant dialogue.

ARTIST OVERVIEW

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Contemporary Latin Jazz



SHORT BIOGRAPHY

Ania Paz creates music with an unmistakable sense of movement. Rooted in jazz and shaped by Afro-Latin American rhythms, her compositions combine harmonic colour, rhythmic energy and the freedom of improvisation. After an international career spanning Latin America and the United States, the pianist and composer found a new musical home in Berlin, where the trio developed its distinctive contemporary sound.

AT A GLANCE

FORMAT	International trio
ORIGIN	Berlin / international
STYLE	Contemporary Latin Jazz
DURATION	75-90 minutes
SETTING	Festivals / theatres / clubs

THE TRIO

At the heart of the Ania Paz Trio is interaction. Written structures provide the framework, while the three musicians continually reshape the music through improvisation, rhythmic detail and collective listening.

Ania Paz	piano · compositions
Carmelo Leotta	bass
Christoph Hillmann	drums

ARTISTIC IDENTITY

Rhythm. Dialogue. Discovery.

A contemporary jazz language where Latin rhythm, harmonic colour and improvisation meet.

BIOGRAPHY

MUSIC WITHOUT BORDERS

FULL BIOGRAPHY

Ania Paz's music has been shaped by a life lived between cultures. Her compositions bring together the rhythmic vitality of Latin America, the openness of jazz and a highly personal harmonic language. Rather than treating these influences as separate worlds, Paz allows them to meet naturally - creating music in which cultural dialogue becomes part of the composition itself.

After an international career in Latin America and the United States, Paz found a new musical home in Berlin. With bassist Carmelo Leotta and drummer Christoph Hillmann, she formed a trio whose sound is lively, unpredictable and contemporary, moving between carefully constructed compositions and spontaneous musical dialogue.

The trio's album *Espacios* received strong international response. Paz's work has also been recognised through composition prizes, including the José Reyes Prize, while the trio has appeared within the Berlin jazz scene and on broadcasters including RBB, NDR and Radio 3. International festival appearances and tours have further shaped a musical identity built on curiosity, connection and freedom.

THE PIANIST**ANIA PAZ**

Pianist and composer with a modern, driving sound shaped by jazz harmony, improvisation and experimental Afro-Latin rhythms.

SELECTED HIGHLIGHTS

- *Espacios* - internationally acclaimed album
- José Reyes Prize & international composition awards
- Berlin jazz scene: RBB · NDR · Radio 3
- Festival activity across the USA, Mexico, Argentina & Europe



FEATURED ALBUM

ESPACIOS

Contemporary Latin Jazz - rhythm, space and creative freedom



THE ALBUM

Espacios captures the musical world of Ania Paz: rhythmically vibrant, harmonically colourful and constantly moving between composition and improvisation. With Carmelo Leotta on bass and Christoph Hillmann on drums, the trio creates a contemporary jazz sound shaped by Afro-Latin energy, collective dialogue and creative freedom.

ALBUM	ESPACIOS
ARTIST	Ania Paz Trio
STYLE	Contemporary Latin Jazz

PRESS QUOTE

“Intelligent, sensual, wild and free.”

- Fürther Nachrichten

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