

ROB GARCIA

drummer

composer

bandleader

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"Garcia is a drummer of invention, grace and considerable fire." - Downbeat

"A prime mover in the current Brooklyn jazz scene" (Time Out-New York) and "one of New York's great jazz drummers and composers." (Capital New York), Rob Garcia continues to be an strong presence in the New York and international jazz scene as a sideman and bandleader.

The Rob Garcia 4 is a working group "among the vanguard of modern jazz" (NYC Jazz Record) since 2009. They have performed at such important venues as Smalls Jazz Club, The Iridium, Kitano, Cornelia Street Cafe, Firehouse 12, Brooklyn Jazz Wide Open, The Rex, The Toronto Jazz Festival, The Kingston Jazz Festival (Canada) and the Ottawa International Jazz Festival. The group has released two critically acclaimed albums on Brooklyn Jazz Underground Records, "Perennial" (2009) and "The Drop and the Ocean" (2011), and will release another in 2014. The Rob Garcia 4 includes two rising jazz stars, Noah Preminger (tenor sax) and Dan Tepfer (piano) as well as the highly in demand bassist Joe Martin.

*"remarkable drummer"
Village Voice*

*"remarkable chemistry"
Jazz Times*

"Thoughtful original music delivered with rare conviction." - Jazz Times

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