
MATT ULERY BASSIST/COMPOSER/EDUCATOR

EDUCATION

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

15 ALBUMS OF ORIGINAL MUSIC

MUSICAL COMPOSITION COMMISSIONS RECEIVED FROM

Eighth Blackbird, Miami String Quartet, New Millennium Orchestra of Chicago, Brazos Valley Symphony Orchestra, Chamber Music Festival of Lexington, Axiom Brass, Wild Belle, Guimaraes (Portugal) Jazz Festival, Chicago Jazz Festival, Hyde Park Jazz Festival, Projeto Arcomusical, Carmine Caruso International Jazz Trumpet Solo Competition, as well as string and brass/wind arrangements for dozens of individual singer-songwriters and rock/pop bands.

BASSIST (DOUBLE BASS, ELECTRIC BASS, TUBA/SOUSAPHONE)

1996-PRESENT

Highly in-demand freelance bassist in Chicago performing and recording most styles of music, specializing in all jazz styles. Tours domestically and internationally with countless bands and ensembles. Performed in countless venues as a bandleader and/or collaborator including but certainly not limited to Carnegie Hall, NPR Tiny Desk, NYC Winter Jazz Festival, Chicago Orchestra Hall, Millennium Park Pritzker Pavillion, Chicago Cultural Center, The Krannert Center, Jazz Showcase, The Metro, The Green Mill, Chicago Jazz Festival, Hyde Park Jazz Festival, Chicago World Music Festival, Vancouver Jazz Festival, Guimaraes Jazz Festival, North Sea Jazz Festival, Ear Taxi Festival, Chicago Humanities Festival, Euro Jazz Mexico, and so many more....

Chicago Department of Cultural Affairs and Special Events *Esteemed Artist Award/Grant* - 2021

Illinois Arts Council - Artist Fellowship in Music Improvisation - 2021

Chicago Department of Cultural Affairs Individual Artist Grant - 2018

Chicago Department of Cultural Affairs Individual Artist Grant - 2015

Edes Foundation Prize for Emerging Artists 2013

New Music USA Composers Assistance Program - Recording Award 2011

Chicago Community Arts Assistance Program (CAAP) Grant 2010

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