

# The Living Jazz Duo/Trio

## Bios

**Eric Ward- Vibraphones-** earned his B.U.S. from Morehead State University and his M.S. in Education from Troy University. He is currently an Adjunct Professor of Music at Troy University where he teaches multiple classes in the Music Industry Program including Advanced Music Technology, Audio Principles I and II and Studio Production Techniques. In addition to his MUI responsibilities, Eric also heads up the Studio Rhythm Section, The Jazz II Big Band and teaches private percussion.

**Chris Hodges-Double Bass-** has been performing in the southeast for over fifteen years and has lived in Atlanta and New York City. He has performed with the Troy Jazz Chamber Ensemble, the Troy Jazz I Big Band, and the University of Montevallo Jazz I Ensemble as well as MSEIZE (Atlanta), Madoca & Co. (Atlanta), and Contraband (Birmingham). Chris also teaches private lessons and guest lectures.

(With Trio)

**Martin Sager-Trombone-** is currently working on a Music education degree at Troy University. Martin has performed with the Troy University Jazz I big band, the elite Jazz Chamber Ensemble, the Troy Symphony Band, and The Chris Hodges Band.