

## Jon Weber

*"Jon Weber is a virtuoso - pure and simple." - ALL ABOUT JAZZ*

Jazz pianist **Jon Weber** has recorded and toured all over the world, winning numerous honors for performance and composition - scoring extensively for television since 1987. Gary Burton, Roy Hargrove, Niels-Henning Ørsted Pedersen and Avishai Cohen have all recorded Jon's music, and his newest critically-acclaimed release, **SIMPLE COMPLEX**, rose to #1. Jon lives in New York City and hosts NPR's "Piano Jazz with Jon Weber" after frequently serving as guest host for Marian McPartland. [The Wall Street Journal:](#)

"Most frequently seen across New York as the accompanist to any singer lucky enough to hire him, Jon Weber is best known to the rest of the country as the worthy successor to the late Marian McPartland on the NPR staple "Piano Jazz." He's at once an exceptional musician as well as a gifted historian and storyteller, and, above all, a true piano polymath. Playing and talking, Mr. Weber takes us through a century of history, making it crystal clear what Fats Waller, Teddy Wilson, Bud Powell, Nat King Cole, Erroll Garner, Dave Brubeck, Oscar Peterson and the other figures on jazz piano's Mount Rushmore.

"He forms fascinating and unexpected connections between artists of different eras, their development and influences in jazz piano, but because Mr. Weber can play up a storm, it was also a thrilling demonstration of one man's passionate attachment to his chosen instrument." - *Stephen Holden - New York Times*