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BHATIZ debut CD: "Mandalay Hall"

The first CD "Mandalay Hall" from the Danish group Bhatiz is modern World Music. The band thinks of it as NuWorld or World Fusion. Odd grooves with smooth melodies makes it easy to comprehend.

Bhatiz is a result of walking the streets of the multicultural areas of the big city listening to the music streaming out from the cafés, the restaurants, the islamic butcher, the Indian food market and the cuban salsabar. Mixed with jazzy chords and funky beats in odd time signatures - you have Bhatiz.

Bhatiz is lead by the drummer and composer Thomas Crawford who's written the mainpart of the cd's 12 songs. Contributing composers are the Clarinet/recorder-player Claus Mathiesen and bassplayer Niels Brynjolf.

Line up:

Claus Mathiesen: Clarinet/recorder

Henrik Andersen: guitar

Helianne Blais: violin

Niels Brynjolf: bass

Thomas Crawford: Drums/perc.

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