

THE IMPOSSIBLE GENTLEMEN

CELEBRATING THEIR THIRD ALBUM
"LET'S GET DELUXE"
ON BASHO RECORDS



**Gwilym Simcock (piano), Mike Walker (guitar), Iain Dixon (reeds),
Steve Rodby (double bass), Adam Nussbaum (drums)**

ON TOUR IN THE UK AND EUROPE

25 JULY - 3 AUGUST 2016

9 - 30 OCTOBER 2016



The Anglo-American jazz 'supergroup', **The Impossible Gentlemen** features internationally acclaimed British piano sensation **Gwilym Simcock**, Salford guitarist and UK treasure **Mike Walker**, multi reeds expert **Iain Dixon** and American bass and drums superstars **Steve Rodby** and **Adam Nussbaum**. The result is nothing less than remarkable with five unique talents, all superb players in their own right, coming together to create something new and powerful. Their acclaimed second album "**Internationally Recognised Aliens**" has been described as "a triumph", "sophisticated", "awesome", "quite brilliant" and "destined for year-end "best of" lists".

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TOURING BAND 2016

Multi award winning pianist **Gwilym Simcock** has been named checked as a "genius" by no less Chick Corea and has worked extensively throughout Europe with the cream of British and international jazz artists including Dave Holland, Kenny Wheeler, Lee Konitz, Bill Bruford's Earthworks, Bob Mintzer and Bobby McFerrin. **Mike Walker** is regarded as one of Europe's most exciting guitarists and has worked with George Russell's Creative jazz Orchestra, Vince Mendoza, Anthony Braxton, Bill Frisell, Tim Berne, and Mark-Anthony Turnage. New member **Iain Dixon** is an extraordinary reeds player who has had a varied career as both performer and session player. He has recorded with Michael Brecker, Joni Mitchell, The Spice Girls and most recently Bryan Ferry. **Steve Rodby** is best known for his work with the Pat Metheny Group and as producer for many classic albums for Michael Brecker, Pat Metheny, Charlie Haden, Eliane Elias, Oregon, Esperanza Spalding and many others. He has won 13 Grammys. **Adam Nussbaum** has worked on many projects and his work with Michael Brecker won a Grammy in 1988.

"Crazy name, crazy group, but crazy like foxes". **The Evening Standard 5 stars**

"world-class jazz - nothing short of sensational" **The Guardian 4 stars**

"The Impossible gentlemen have done, the well, impossible. This is one of those albums that makes you say "yeah, I've gotta see this band in person". **Stuart Nicholson, Jazzwise 4 stars**

"Quite brilliant" **Stephen Graham, Marlbank 4 stars**

"Internationally Recognisable Aliens is a record that, like its predecessor, is destined for year-end "best of" lists.". **John Kelman, Allaboutjazz**

**WINNERS OF "BEST ENSEMBLE" 2013 PARLIAMENTARY JAZZ AWARDS
RAVE REVIEWS IN UK, GERMANY, CANADA and U.S.A**

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Music samples from the new album: <http://www.impossiblegentlemen.com/mp3s/Lets Get Deluxe.mp3>

Videos: <http://www.impossiblegentlemen.com/videos.html>

DATES SO FAR

JULY/AUGUST

Sat 16 July Perseverance Farm, Henley on Thames
Tue 19 July Hawk's Well Theatre, Sligo Jazz Project, Sligo, Ireland
19-24 July Sligo Jazz Project, Sligo, Ireland
Tues 26 July Manchester Jazz Festival RNCM **ALBUM LAUNCH**
Thu 28 July The Sugar Club, Dublin, Ireland
Sun 30 July Pizza Express Jazz Club, London
Mon 1 August Pizza Express Jazz Club, London
Tue 2 August Watermill Jazz, Dorking

OCTOBER

Sat 8 October Wolverhampton
Sun 9 October Marsden Festival
Tue 10 October Leeds College of Music
Wed 12 October RNCM Manchester with Psappha Strings
Thu 13 October The Old Fire Station, Oxford

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Fri 14 October Turner Sims, Southampton
Wed 19 October The Old Market, Brighton
Fri 21 October Singen, Germany
Wed 26 October Munich, Bayerische Rundfunk
Thu 27 October Mantova, Italy
Fri 28 October Wakefield Jazz Club
More October dates to come....

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