

Rules of Engagement, Vol. 1

Dominic Duval

bass

Mark Whitecage

alto & soprano saxophones, clarinet

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Rules of Engagement, Vol. 1 finds two of the world's leading improvisers performing at the height of their creative energies. This is the first duo recording by these two longtime musical partners. The sparseness and intimacy of the duo context provides room for their music to breath with a clarity of purpose and vision rarely heard.

FORMAT:	COMPACT DISC
TOTAL TIME:	8 TRACKS IN 44 MINUTES
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"Dominic Duval is a prodigiously skilled player...sonically ravishing ideas." *Penguin Guide to Jazz*

"Dominic combines the strings of classical music with provocative improvisatory compositions to produce what Jazziz Magazine has described as "moments of intense lyrical beauty and harmonic progressions of stunning intricacy." *– Guelph Jazz Festival*

"Mark Whitecage knocks me out. He has achieved a rare union of tradition and innovation all coupled with finesse and at times, raw muscle. He is a totally unique player who raises the spirits of rebellion, while at the same time lifting the music to a new plateau." *– Saxophone Journal (Tim Price)*

SELLING POINTS

- ✓ First duo recording by two internationally known master improvisers
- ✓ Each of these players' respective discographies and performances have been lauded in countless international music mags, pop culture press, and big city weeklies
- ✓ Adventurous yet accessible improvised music that will appeal equally to contemporary jazz and classical music listeners

MARKETING

- ✓ Featured fall release at www.drimala.com that receives over 100,000 visitors per month
- ✓ Monthly advertising in related music magazines, such as *Signal to Noise, Coda, All About Jazz – New York & Los Angeles*
- ✓ Radio service to over 100 leading college and other non-commercial radio stations
- ✓ Festival and concert promotions
- ✓ In-store promotion copies available

FORTHCOMING ON THE RULES OF ENGAGEMENT SERIES

Rules of Engagement, Vol. 2 with Dominic Duval and Steve Swell (2004)
Rules of Engagement, Vol. 3 with Dominic Duval and Joe McPhee (2004)

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