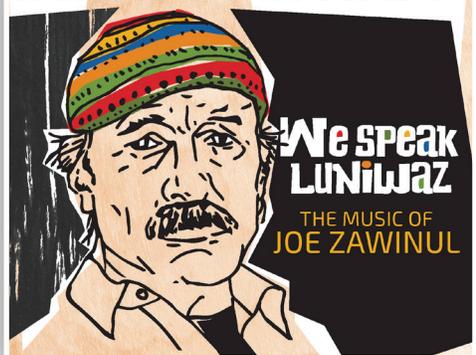




SCOTT KINSEY



## SCOTT Kinsey Group

A 21-year member of the legendary group **Tribal Tech**, keyboard wizard **Scott Kinsey** is a world-class improviser and music conceptualist. His unique sounds continue to rapidly evolve with each new project. Scott has been privileged to work with some of the best known jazz musicians including Scott Henderson, John McLaughlin, Kurt Rosenwinkel, Bill Evans, Tim Lefebvre, Matthew Garrison, Dennis Chambers, Robben Ford, Thundercat, Flying Lotus and many others.

"Scott Kinsey's realization of these Weather Report tunes manages to not only pay tribute to the works of Zawinul and Shorter but also to mine the music for discoverable gold. His band plays the daylights out of these tunes. This album deserves your attention."

— Peter Erskine

Kinsey's upcoming album, to be released on the Whirlwind label in October 2019, is called *We Speak Luniwaz*. It's a tribute to keyboard icon **Joe Zawinul** (Miles Davis, Weather Report), with whom Scott had a deep and lasting relationship. Before he passed, Zawinul charged Kinsey with carrying on Joe's truly awesome legacy. The album features several Zawinul-penned tunes made famous by Weather Report and the Zawinul Syndicate, as well as some of Scott's new originals.

Joining Kinsey on tour will be French bassist **Hadrien Feraud** (Chick Corea, John McLaughlin); Hungarian drummer **Gergo Borlai** (Al Di Meola, Nguyễn Lê); and **Katisse Buckingham** (Herbie Hancock, Yellowjackets) on saxophones, flute and rhymes. This powerhouse group has honed their material at the famed Baked Potato jazz club in Los Angeles. [Please note, Scott can perform the Luniwaz repertoire as a trio, without saxophone, if budgets are too stretched.]

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Scott Kinsey has toured extensively throughout the US, Europe, Asia, Mexico and northern Africa with Tribal Tech, Human Element and his own groups. He has appeared on six Tribal albums, plus three albums as a leader and many more as sideman. In 2018, Scott was part of the **ARC Trio** project, along with Borlai and **Jimmy Haslip**. Kinsey has thousands of active followers on social media throughout the world.

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