

Whether leading a jazz piano trio or composing for orchestra and film, **Reuben Allen** is an adept story teller, drawing listeners into the unique experience of every piece. His compositions and arrangements have been performed by the Kenny Barron Quintet at the Village Vanguard, the Houston Symphony Orchestra with The Suffers, the Navy Commodores Jazz Ensemble, and the Eastman Saxophone Project. Reuben's string quartet arrangement of Aaron Copland's *Hoe Down* was performed in Statuary Hall following the Inauguration of President Obama in 2013. Reuben has created music for documentary and feature films, theater and sketch comedy, and commercial music for online advertisements. As a pianist, Reuben has been honored to share the stage with Wynton Marsalis, Dianne Reeves, Bernard Purdie, John Boutté, and Bob Brookmeyer, and has performed at the New Orleans, Torino, and Stanford Jazz Festivals as well as at venues including The Blue Note and Dizzy's Club in New York City.