

Matt Haviland

TROMBONIST • COMPOSER • ARRANGER

New-York based jazz trombonist Matt Haviland has been in demand as a performer and featured soloist with some of the top names in jazz since the early 1980s. Credits include work with the Illinois Jacquet Big Band, Vanguard Jazz Orchestra, Maria Schneider, Steven Bernstein's Millennial Territory Orchestra, and the Mingus Big Band, among others. He is a regular member of several New York-based ensembles, including the Pete McGuinness Jazz Orchestra, Scott Reeves Jazz Orchestra, Peter Leitch's New Life Orchestra, Frank London's Shekinah Big Band, and a long tenure with Diane Moser's Composer's Big Band, where he and several other composers in the band have helped Diane bring new music for big band to the public for the past 23 years. Matt can also be seen leading his own ensembles, featuring many of his original compositions and arrangements.

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