

# ANDREA KELLER TIM WILSON DUO

## BIOGRAPHY

This project was conceived in 2007 from a mutual respect and love for open, interactive music making, and a desire to create and explore original compositions and improvisations in an intimate duo format.

Having first met when they were both studying at the Victorian College of the Arts, Tim and Andrea have been performing together for over 2 decades, in ensembles such as the Paul Williamson Sextet and the Bennetts Lane Big Band.

Andrea is a 3 time Aria Award winner, recipient of the Freedman Fellowship and also an Australia Council Fellowship. Tim was a finalist in the 2006 World Saxophone Competition (held at the BBC Jazz Festival in London), the 2009 National Jazz Awards, and runner up in the 2013 Taichung Saxophone Competition.

Both members have successful projects of their own (Andrea Keller Quartet, Tim Wilson Trio/Quartet, Logic) which have numerous cd releases, and have toured extensively in Australia and throughout Europe and Asia.

Their debut cd 'Life that Lingers' was recorded live at Bennetts Lane Jazz Club in August 2008, and features 9 original compositions by Tim and Andrea. Their 2nd cd 'Consider This' (again recorded live at Bennetts Lane) was released in 2016 and won 'Best Australian Instrumental Jazz Album' at the 2017 'Bell Awards' (Australian Jazz Award).

"...splendidly lavish alto .."

JOHN MCBEATH

"Andrea Keller should be known throughout the jazz world"

MICHAEL PRESCOTT, [jazzwisemagazine.com](http://jazzwisemagazine.com)

"...an adventurous and eclectic musician.."

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"Their musical rapport is nothing short of extraordinary.."

JOHN MCBEATH

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