**Parallax:**

**Live in the UK**

(FMRCD287-0210)

Stian Omenås - trumpet, percussion
Are Lothe Kolbeinsen - guitar, prepared guitar
Ulrik Ibsen Thorsrud - drums, percussion

Parallax is one of those rare and lucky collaborations where there is a great sense of chemistry from the very beginning. Since forming the group in 2008 they have toured and recorded extensively in Europe, and present a selection of this material on their debut album Live in the UK.

These three musicians are musically so far inside each other’s heads that their improvisations seem to border on the telepathic, and have forged their own unique take on improvising that seamlessly draws on an array of influences ranging from Asian folk musics to traditional jazz and abstract soundscapes. Rustling, crackling, stealthily winding and melodric, the music moves effortlessly from a mere whisper to intensely suggestive stretches of rhythmic improvising.

Parallax will be on tour to promote the album in China, Poland, Norway and the UK in 2010, check [Hyperlink](http://www.myspace.com/parallaximpro) www.myspace.com/parallaximpro for more info and updates.

Improvisations by Parallax
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except Edinburgh by Alex Fienes and Ulrik Ibsen Thorsrud
Mixed and mastered by Terje Evensen at Stereo Studio, Oslo
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Tracklistings

1. Cambridge
2. Buxton
3. London
4. Edinburgh