

Cajon/ Percussionist

James Hauptmann

James Hauptmann is one of the star graduates of Canberra School of Music at Australian National University. He has worked with bandleaders as distinguished and diverse as Steve Hunter, Dale Barlow, Sean Wayland, Miroslav Bukovsky, Unity Hall Jazz Band and National Jazz Award winning singer Elana Stone.

James has recorded with The Mark Isaacs Trio - Visions, Steve Hunter Band - Dig my garden, House of reps featuring Dale Barlow - Question time, Blue Juice-Head of the hawk, The Translators-Jazzgroove, King Curly - Doomsday piano, ABC Recordings with The James Ryan Trio and Aaron Flower's BAZ.

James studied flamenco cajon with renowned flamenco percussionist Andrej Vujicic from 'Puerto Flamenco' and has performed with Bandaluzia Australia wide.

"Hauptmann, meanwhile, has absorbed flamenco's complex rhythms and routinely lit spot-fires beneath the music on his cajon."

-John Shand, Sydney Morning Herald 19/02/2011

