



# **AVANT IMPROV ENSEMBLE**

**FREE AND OPEN TO  
THE PUBLIC.**

**FRIDAY, MAY 18 AT 7:30PM  
SCHOLES STREET STUDIO,  
BROOKLYN NY**

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 23 AT 10:30PM  
DOWNCAF  
BENNINGTON COLLEGE**

AIE EXPLORES SPONTANEOUS IMPROVISATION THROUGH THE COMPOSITIONS OF ORNETTE COLEMAN AND CHARLES MINGUS, AS WELL AS THEIR OWN COMPOSITIONS BUILT FROM THE IDIOMS OF BLUES, JAZZ, AND FUNK. THIS 10-PIECE ENSEMBLE WILL FEATURE SPECIAL GUEST SAXOPHONIST JOE MCPHEE, AND BASSIST MICHAEL BISIO.