

ANTHONY PAUL DE RITIS DEVOLUTION [1022]

LEGERDEMAIN | CHORDS OF DUST

Paul D. Miller / DJ Spooky that Subliminal Kid

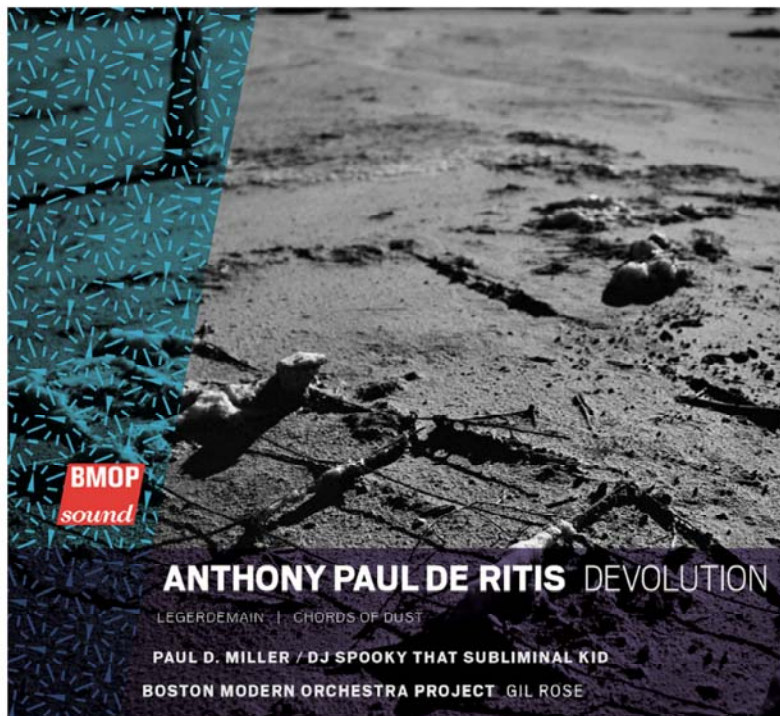
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Anthony Paul De Ritis and the Boston Modern Orchestra Project present a wholly unique disc with *Devolution*. De Ritis's first orchestral work, *Chords of Dust*, is named after a collection of poems by his father and was written after his first summer at Fontainebleau, France. *Legerdemain* came from ideas gathered during a second summer in France, using orchestral textures and a reverb/delay processor to manipulate the music. De Ritis's use of electronics is exemplified in *Devolution*, a concerto for DJ and orchestra. DJ Spooky turntables the orchestra in real time, creating a different result with each live performance. Anthony Paul De Ritis proves his mastery of new electronic music.



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"Album of the Week ... The mixture of influences, references and textures is both blindingly apparent and blindingly gorgeous."

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"By far, though, the most unusual work here as well as the most compelling reason to get this recording is to experience *Devolution* ... This is daring but brilliant music – in particular *Devolution* – and deserves to be heard. I should think that any lover of new music would really like this and most people would at least be transfixed by the creativity."

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"The performance, under the direction of Gil Rose, is a blast, hitting the score's marks with a kind of joyfully volatile precision."