

Born in Trinidad and schooled in Brooklyn, New York, Brownman Ali is heralded by New York's Village Voice magazine as "Canada's pre-eminent jazz trumpet player" & considered an iconic name in the Canadian jazz community. This multi-award winning jazz trumpet virtuoso has worked with the likes of Wayne Shorter, John Scofield, Quincy Jones, Jay-Z, hip-hop legends KRS-1, Guru & Mos Def and was recently on tour with the renowned Paul Simon.

Winner of 2 National Jazz Awards & CBC's Rising Star Award