ERIK WOLLO

As a bridge leading to a new uncharted continent, Erik Wello's Blue Radiance transports the listener along innovative, shimmering and sonorous musical pathways. The nineteenth solo album from this renowned Norwegian ambient/electronic artist continues to develop and refine his masterfully crafted soundworld into an intensely detailed fusion of elegant compositions and deep atmospherics.

Built around catchy and accessible melodies and rhythms, Blue Radiance's eleven new compositions feature sophisticated and engaging waves of wello's trademark processed electric guitar, occasional acoustic guitars, synthesizers and percussion. Striking, varied, and deeply emotional, the tracks open up when the guitar surfaces out of the swirls, revealing soul-stirring themes rich with melancholy and hope. It's that interplay – the contrast of the lead lines with the washes of sound and minimal piano – which make for an intensely powerful listening experience.



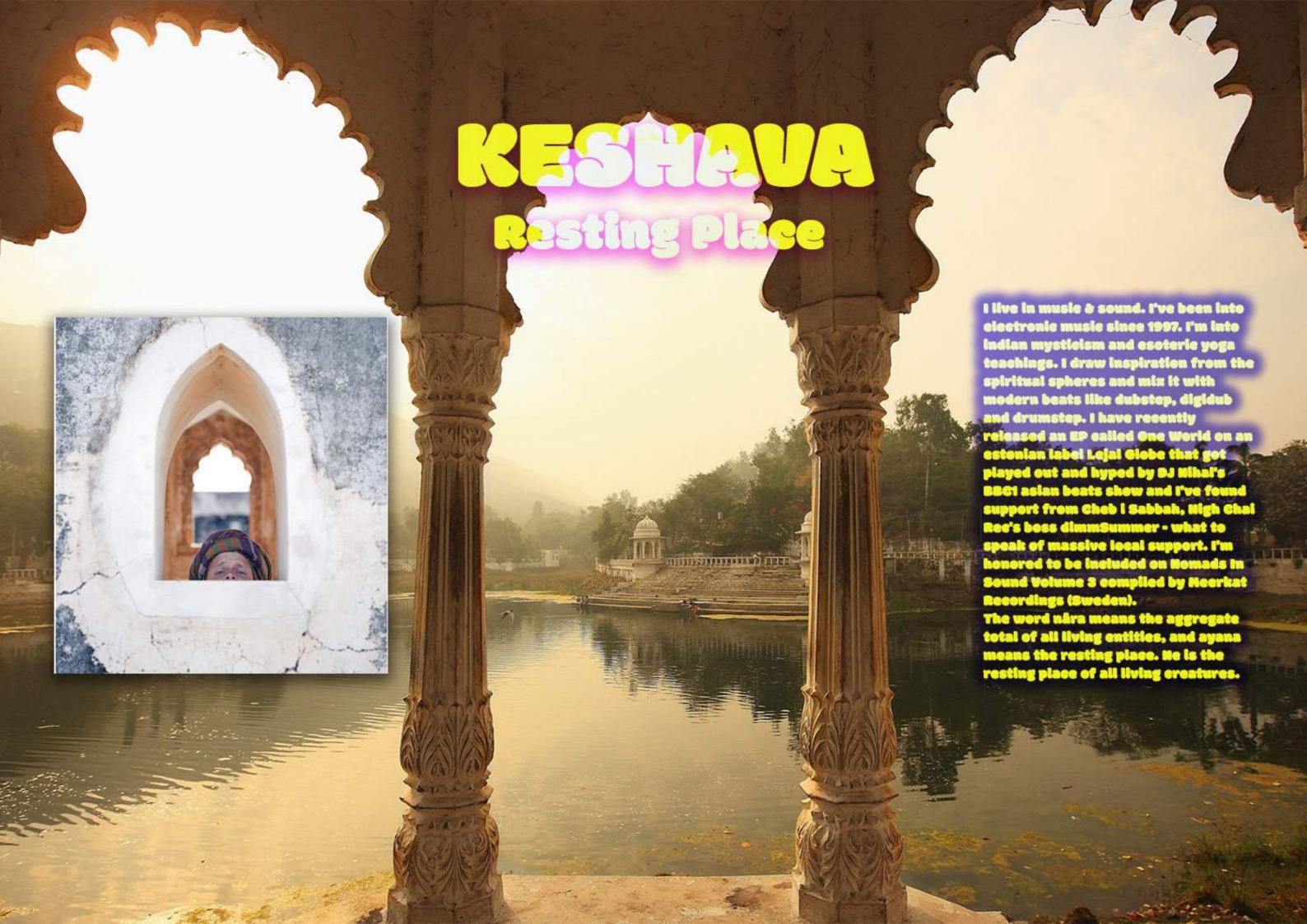


The album's most active pieces are built upon arcs of rhythm and layers of sequencer patterns – with Wollo's lead lines setting the pace. "Revealed in Time," "Pathway" and "Osmosis" all have dramatic percussive punctuations with pulsating arpeggios and deep analog bass. The etheral tracks "Blue Radiance," "Moon Above" and "Crystal Orbits" soar and dive in open, airy sections that stretch through time. These quiet, introspective and slowly unfolding pieces have a musical vastness of space, highly lush and expansive washes, powerfully evocative and soothing translucence. "Sepia" is more acoustic, featuring guitars and piano which evoke a warm nostalgia: an organic sonic texture contrasted with long and elegant guitar EBow lines. "Earth Sky" closes this journey with beautifully hazy synth swells added with distant soaring guitar voices. An utterly suspended, lyrical and sublime outro. Hypnagogue wrote about Timelines: "mas always it's a very pleasant place to visit. Emotional and filled with sonic imagery, it absolutely demands repeat listens. Superb work from a true master of the craft."

The album title Blue Radiance suggests music from the blue and icy tone spectrum: from the darker blue to the almost snowy white. The striking album cover image by Michał Klimczak depicts a bridge headed into another land, a metaphor for the music which carries the listener to the unknown. Blue Radiance is an album highlighting Wello's extraordinary luminous master

















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Everybody has in his mind some images about landscapes that he saw before in his life, or may be in a previous life. In most cases, there are some feelings associated to these images. Let's explore these landscapes and feelings that I expressed through music.

Music composed, arranged and recorded by Nord.
This album was kindly mixed and mastered by Alba
Ecstasy.

Cover design by Alba Ecstasy.



Frédéric Gerchambeau & Zreen Toyz

Frederic Gerchambeau is a specialist in synthesis techniques, researcher and explorer of sound modulations, impossible sequences, a musician from the Lille region, which in the mid-90s produced electronic music influenced by Berlin School. In recent years he has created works that project his sounds beyond the usual spheres of synthetic music. The avant-garde artist features compositions in which the modulations and variations go hand in hand with his musical compositions. Brain music simultaneously revealing an original and personal world, it offers all of its grace to him in the smallest detail.





Forget your spacesuit. Do not take the trouble to lie down and close your eyes. Indulge in the sweet languor that precedes sleep. Now you already take off without weight, smooth, slowly. The Earth and the Moon takes away unusual proportions, enormous. But all is well, everything is better. Although space and time stretch and deform into new and fantastic dimensions. There is more to be carried away at the discretion of the solar wind to the edge of the universe. Red Mars is looming already beautifully in our field of vision. The great journey begins. Giant Jupiter, Saturn and its magnificent rings and Uranus and Neptune, what odyssey! We now turn Distant Pluto and the Kuiper Belt cross.

Then what? Let your imagination. Will you go to the Pleiades or the Magellanic Clouds? Everything is fine, everything is better, sail, sail, the universe is infinite and your imagination too.

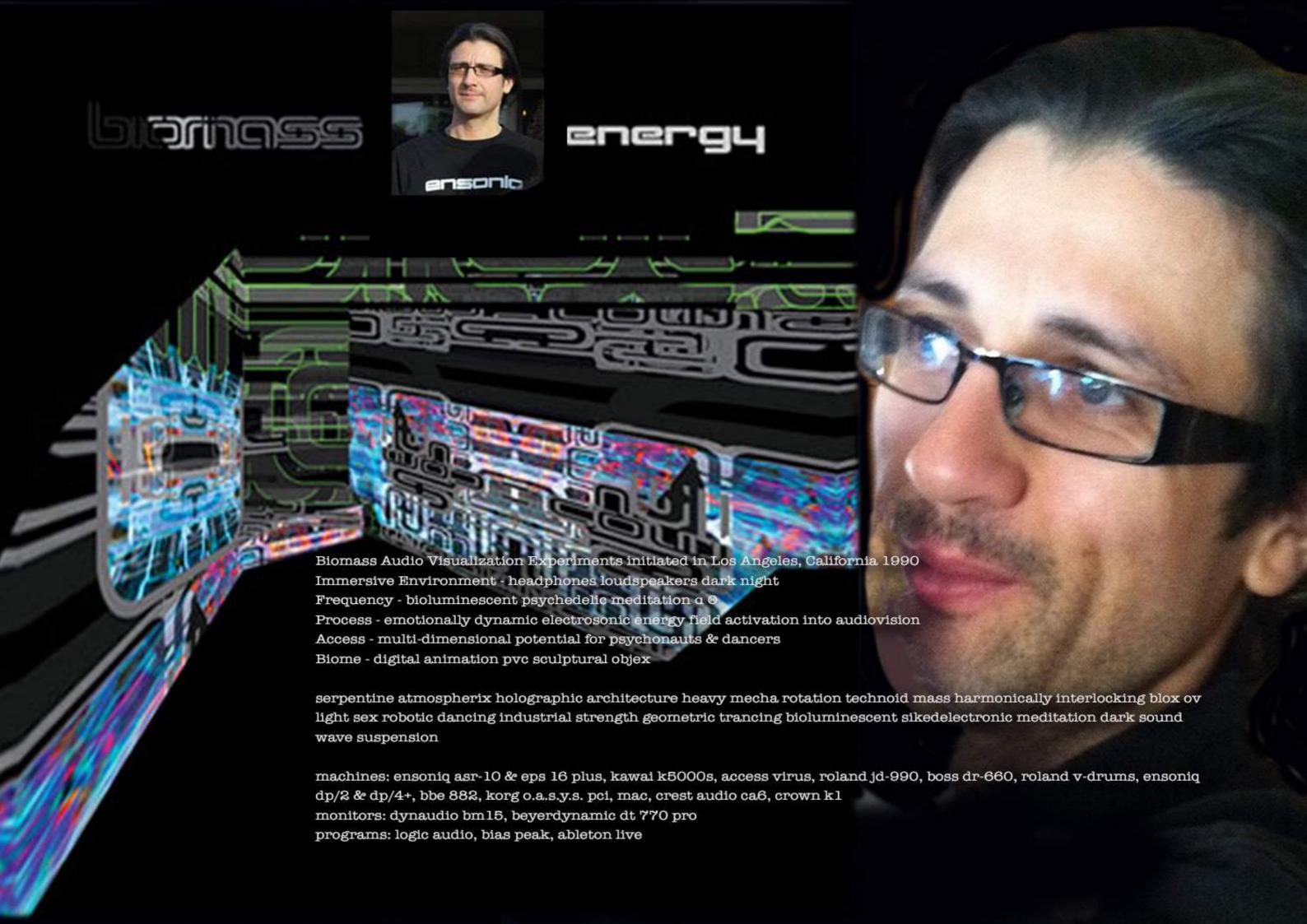


Jean-Luc Hervé BERTHELOT (born in 1954) started with classical training on piano and percussions, but the stifling conformity of the academy pushes him toward the world of improvised music. He met composers such as Luc Ferrari and Ilhan Mimaroğlu, but he considers the experimental sides of the improvised musics of the early 70s (Rock, Jazz, and Electronic) as the foundation of his sonorous experiments.

Since his first pieces created in 1970, he works the sound material following inspiration of the moment, a raw and instinctive approach by stratification where any imperfection or sound incident become a harshness on which to hang on atmospheres or reflections. In this way, he creates impalpable and timeless landscapes where vibrations, noises, and collages tend to blurring the structure of the piece.

His music is used for artistic exhibitions, contemporary choreographies, and documentary movies.

Uranophonies



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A MUSICAL ALCHEMY OF SACRED AND HEALING SOUNDS
INSPIRED BY ANCIENT WISDOM AND THE AWAKENED HEART



Light of Aluna weaves together unique sonic tapestries containing combinations of frequencies that are designed to re-ignite the memory of our original connection to The Great Mother.

Anima is a duo consisting of producer/composer/instrumentalist Ali Calderwood & singer/vocalist/guitarist Daniela Broder. Ali & Daniela were both born in the UK and have each travelled the world, living with indigenous elders & healers, immersing themselves in the ancient ways of Shamanism, healing, yoga and the use of sacred sounds.

Anima's luminous and profoundly healing music touches the heart and soothes the soul, embracing the listener in a translucent experience of the Sacred. With angelic vocals, sacred chants and ceremonial instruments infused within specially sculptured soundscapes and healing frequencies, Anima's music is an offering of peace and tenderness to the Earth.

Covering a broad range of genres

Covering a broad range of genres from Acoustic Electronica to New Age and Healing Music, their sound has been described as "Sublimely beautiful music of the highest quality" Anima invite you to journey into resonant sonic spaces in which deep healing, meditation and remembrance can occur.



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MAX CORBACHO FUTURE TERRAIN



Future Terrain combines ultra low, extended bass tones and organ-like massive sound waves flowing in a continuous, dark, pitch black loop. Created during the last weeks in March 2015, Future Terrain is presented as a 58 minutes long form track, released as a digital album and now available exclusively on Bandcamp for a limited time through the "Name your price" option.

Original cover image rendering is by artist Lee Griggs www.leegriggs.com.

Final image treatment, cover design and layout by Michael Rodríguez Pletz www.domestika.org/es/michaelrpletz

In Max's words: "During the long building sessions for Splendid Labyrinths, several tracks have emerged in parallel, and I've been slowly giving them form. One is Future Terrain, which I imagine as a remote sci-fi futuristic landscape. This music accompanied me for several weeks as a dark background filling the space in slow motion. Graphic designer Michael Rodriguez Pletz was created at the same time, from the original image rendering of the artist Lee Griggs, the ground which for weeks was in my imagination.

Note: This piece is created for to listen to at low, subliminal level. But I suggest also hear it at a high level, feel it in your bones

LOUNASAN

On this album, 'I wish I made this music every day', Lounasan dives very deep into eternal landscapes.

This pure ambient album sets you on a voyage, like a long everlasting train ride through empty and vast landscapes that seem to move on and on forever and ever. The musical creation has been done over quite some time but the final input came from a long train ride to the artic circle in winter time. There, time seems to stop and live is very different. Temperature is low, the landscapes are vast and monotonous, silent and impressive. Cold and warm are both present on this musical voyage. As the title suggests Lounasan is very grateful that this music just appeared by itself and he's very happy to share it with you. Now it's your turn to go on a travel in mind.

We hope you will enjoy this unique album full of layered ambient soundscapes. The title itself expresses the deep and profound wish of Lounasan to be in this state of mind every moment of the day. The artist shows his deep gratitude that this 'just happened' and that now the music is there to travel on its own. By releasing it on C-O-L-O-U-R-S you have the opportunity to step on the train to the emptiness, finding infinity!

C-O-L-O-U-R-S proudly wished that Lounasan made this music every day!

'I wish I made this music every day - Part 2'
'Threesome Ambient Trip'



PAUL McCarthy

Tracks: 'For The Arrival Of The Swallows'
'Odalisque'

I'm 53, Anglo-Irish, live in Hampshire. As for

conversation. If I could put in everything at once,

music.I love sound. Everything has an equal value. From a spoon to a synthesizer to a piece of

I would. I never see anything as finished. So I

and coming up with something sensible.

guess my music is about curbing my enthusiasm



Marc Van Oers (ESP Muziek) runs the internet radio station E-Cloud, broadcasting every month electronic music in many genres, presented in Dutch. His musical style ranges from cinematic film music to avant-garde sounds.

Tracks: Part 1, 4 Min. and 8 Sec. Before The Disaster & Part 2, Aftermath Explosion