

The lineup for Flow Festival's experimental music program, The Other Sound, has been announced

Flow Festival's experimental music program, **The Other Sound**, is moving to a new location in the Suvilahti area, **Tiivistämö**. The more intimate space allows the audience to immerse in the performances better than before. This year, **The Other Sound's** program will include audiovisual works, music by the late Finnish contemporary composer **Kaija Saariaho**, and sounds from field recordings to analogue synthesisers as well as traditional Finnish instruments from **kantele** to **jouhikko**.

In August, a diverse group of intriguing artists will take the stage at Flow's **The Other Sound**. The program will feature composer and producer **Clarissa Connelly**, whose recent album *World of Work* was released by the acclaimed label **Warp**. Connelly's music is fueled by visionary literature, dreams and meditative walks. In addition, the stage will feature the experimental musician, sound artist and inventor from San Francisco, **Evicshen**. In her performances, she uses analogue synthesisers, self-made electronics, invented instruments and acoustic objects. Japanese vibraphone and marimba player and composer **Masayoshi Fujita**, whose music is inspired by the silence and deepness of the fog, the mountains, and the gravity within, will also arrive to perform at **The Other Sound**.

The program also includes **One Leg One Eye**, a project by **Ian Lynch**, founding member of the Irish band **Lankum**. It explores the submerged leylines of music and song, drawing on the raw aesthetics of black metal, noise, and drone while deeply embedded in a sense of Irish history and myth. In addition, the versatile contemporary music performers clarinetist **Heather Roche** and accordionist **Eva Zöllner**, whose work is characterised by adventurous music-making, creative risk-taking, and innovation, will take the stage at **The Other Sound**.

Among the domestic performers, the program features internationally recognised composer **Lau Nau** and award-winning illustrator and visual artist **Pauliina Mäkelä** in their first joint performance in a decade, as well as the duo of **kantele** player and multi-instrumentalist **Maija Kauhanen** and musician-composer **Hugh Sheehan**. In addition, **NYKY Ensemble** will play a program of electro-acoustic works by the renowned late contemporary composer **Kaija Saariaho**, prepared for Flow under the direction of cellist **Anssi Karttunen**.

Furthermore, **The Other Sound** features accordionist **Harri Kuusijärvi** and media artist **Arttu Nieminen** presenting **Sami Klemola's** work *Ground*, composed for microtonal electric accordion, live electronics and tapes, as well as sound artist **Heikki Lindgren** and video artist **Merle Karp** with pieces from their album *Untouched Realms*. **Saxtronauts**, a group of four saxophone players, will also bring their otherworldly sounds to Flow.

Flow Talks will return to the festival as a comprehensive program of speeches and discussions, opening the program each day at **Tiivistämö**. The program for Flow Talks will be announced later.

The Other Sound lineup announced today:

Clarissa Connelly, Evicshen, Masayoshi Fujita, One Leg One Eye, Zöllner-Roche Duo, Heikki Lindgren & Merle Karp, Lau Nau & Pauliina Mäkelä, Maija Kauhanen & Hugh Sheehan, NYKY Ensemble plays Kaija Saariaho, Sami Klemola: Ground, and Saxtronauts.

Flow Festival's 20th anniversary is celebrated in Helsinki, Finland, from August 9th to 11th, 2024. The festival will host around 150 artists, including Fred again.., Halsey, Pulp, Janelle Monáe, The Smile, PJ Harvey, RAYE, IDLES, Jessie Ware, AURORA, Vince Staples, Amaarae, Yves Tumor, Blonde Redhead, L'Impératrice, Kenya Grace, Alvvays, and Overmono. See the program on Flow's website: <https://www.flowfestival.com/en/artists/>.

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<https://www.flowfestival.com/en/tickets/>

1-day ticket (FRI): 149 €

1-day ticket (SAT): 159 €

1-day ticket (SUN): 129 €

2-day ticket (FRI+SAT, SAT+SUN): 219 €

2-day ticket (FRI+SUN): 199 €

3-day ticket: 249 €

1-day Gold ticket: 229 €

3-day Gold ticket: 399 €

Prices are applicable for the time being. Prices include the service charge.

Press photos: <https://www.flowfestival.com/en/flow-festival/media/>

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