

Press Release: 9 Austrian Acts at MENT Ljubljana 2022

From June 8 to 10, the Slovenian showcase festival MENT Ljubljana will turn the charming city into *the* place to be for music lovers and professionals. With the full line up, visitors to the festival get the chance to discover nine fresh acts from Austria. Wondering what to expect?

Find out for yourself by checking out the live shows from Awo Ojiji, Cid Rim, C.O.R.N.!, Dorian Concept, Farce, Fingers Of God, Franjazzco, Titus Probst, Uschi Ultra and discover the power and breadth of the Austrian electronic, pop, rock and experimental scenes.

Fans of club music and current discourse can dive into the **Elevate Takeover** on June 10. Curating three floors of the club K4 and bar Zorica, the international lineup includes 11 artists, among them, the one and only Dorian Concept, an artist who has been developing at a rapid speed right along with Elevate Festival in Graz, Austria, and even performed at the first edition of MENT back in 2015.

MENT Ljubljana is focused on local, regional and European scenes, and carries with it, an international conference, which regularly attracts hundreds of professionals from all over Europe. Journalists who want to get in touch with Austrian Music Export in person may also join the Austrian Heartbeats Reception on Friday, June 10 at 13:00. (Please note: you need to be a delegate at MENT.)

Read more: [Austrian Music Export](#), [Elevate Takeover](#)
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We will be happy to assist you regarding interview requests to the Austrian artists and their management and will provide pictures upon request!

Austrian Acts at MENT Ljubljana

Awo Ojiji

"Creating his own unique sonic world, Awo Ojiji has delivered a four track body of work that feels at once fresh and familiar." – Bordello a Parigi
Showtime:

CID RIM

"Another electronic artist with a jazz background who isn't afraid to let that jazz seep into his electronic work." – Mike Schiller, Pop Matters

C.O.R.N.!

"Although highly improvised, there is an almost ghostly musical unity between the two musicians – on an intellectual as well as on a tasteful level." – Where Swallows Fly Backwards

Dorian Concept

"Dorian Concept's playful mixing brings to mind the convulsive pleasures of a late-'90s Aphex Twin cut." – Andy Beta, Pitchfork

FARCE

"And that's exactly the idea behind it: you can still dance even if everything sucks." – Katharina Seidler, Radio FM4

Fingers of God

"..a debut EP which takes you on a journey to discover all the wonderfully dark, mysterious and sometimes beautiful moments of his unique and experimental techno productions." – DeeJay.de

Franjazzco

"Franjazzco has definitely been one of the most passionate and enthusiastic players in Vienna's underground dance music scene within the last decade..." – LAST.FM

Titus Probst

"He is someone who follows his own ideas and implements them consistently and uncompromisingly." – mica – music austria

Uschi Ultra

Uschi Ultra's handpicked music repertoire spans across a wide variety of genres and knows no boundaries. Born in the name of melody, the Austrian DJ allows a range of fascinating vibrations and nostalgic as well as futuristic longings to arise. Her floaty DJ mixes always take you on a unique and delightful journey.

Elevate Takeover

Only a 2-hour drive sets Ljubljana and Graz apart, so it was only a matter of time before the Graz festival Elevate and MENT Ljubljana joined forces. 2022 is the year of the Elevate Takeover! The creators of Elevate will join the MENT conference as well for an in-depth presentation of the festival, discussing the past 17 years of experience and future goals.

Elevate is an annual interdisciplinary festival held in various venues in Graz, Austria, with a strong focus on cultural and socio-political topics. Amongst the guests are human rights experts, climate researchers and activists from all over the world, who gather in Graz once a year with musicians and artists, illuminating pertinent issues to our future. This year, Elevate Festival will happen between the 13 and 17 of July 2022.

Further information

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