



SVELIA *transitions*

SVELIA is a collective collaboration between five musicians from Sweden & Australia. Their *'melodies and harmonies ebb and flow effortlessly, and interweave with the ensemble's rhythmic energy.'** Together they *'...frame the liberating madness of free expression within the form of song.'* In their music, *'radical improvisation is countered by tricky and disciplined compositions, bursting energy by heartbreaking lyricism, hard-edged harmonies by melodies that will haunt your mind in your sleep.'***

SVELIA has toured in Sweden, Germany, Poland (2013) and Australia (2014). They released their debut EP 'Live at Alchemia' while touring in Australia and are now ready to celebrate the release of their newest album 'Transitions' in both Europe and Australia.

* Yvonne Lam, This Is The Golden Age, January 2014

** (Free) Jazz Alchemist (PL), March 2013

CASEY MOIR

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Australian born vocalist Casey Moir moved permanently to Sweden in 2007. She has established herself as a dynamic and innovative vocalist and composer on the local Swedish scene. She has performed at an array of venues and festivals in both Europe and Australia, live on Swedish National Radio, was awarded the title Young Nordic Jazz Comets 2013 and been interviewed by respected jazz magazines such as Orkester Journalen.

She has released several albums including self-titled duo album 'MOCO' (2013), the EP 'Presents.....'

(2013), music video and single 'LOST' (2014), both with alternative pop duo Mother Jack, as well as 'Rabbit Hole' with Casey Moir Band (2015). More are in the works for release in 2015.

REUBEN LEWIS

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Reuben Lewis is a trumpeter, composer, improviser and a driving new force in the Australian Jazz and Experimental music community. He has collaborated with many local and international artists, performing often at known venues around Australia, Asia and Europe. Since basing himself in Melbourne, his unrelenting and diverse musical activity has earned him recognition within the local and greater global community.

He has released two albums comprising of his original compositions, Samadhi (2009), and Fractured Spring (2011) as well as produced many others such as self-titled Superorganism (2014) and Dangerous Flowers (2015) with The Inflorescence Ensemble.

LUKE SWEETING

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Luke Sweeting is a captivating pianist on the Australian jazz scene, known for his improvising and compositional work with the 'Luke Sweeting Sextet' and the jazz-improvisation band, 'Grey Wing Trio'. He tours regularly with these projects as well as other emerging contemporary jazz bands in and around Australia and New Zealand, as well as on occasion in Asia and Europe. ►

In 2011 he released an enchanting piano/vocal duo album 'The Great Unknown' with Rachel Thoms and in 2012 he released 'People and Lightbulbs' with the Luke Sweeting Sextet. In 2015 he will release several albums, including the first Grey Wing Trio album.

AIDAN LOWE

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Aidan Lowe is an Australian drummer who is now based in and working out of Berlin. He has toured all over Australia, New Zealand and Europe with many different bands. With an ear for detail, a touch that can both lure you in and take you by surprise, and an intricately dynamic way of playing, he is making his mark on the global jazz scene.

He has appeared on numerous jazz albums, including 'Change' (2009) by the Rafael Jerjen Quartet, 'Samadhi' (2009) and 'Fractured Spring' (2011) by Reuben Lewis, 'People and Lightbulbs' (2012) by Luke Sweeting Sextet, 'Let Go' by the Eyal Lovett Trio (2013) and Tate Sheridan's self-titled debut (2014). Aidan performs on five more albums set for release in 2015.

JOHAN MOIR

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Johan Moir is a Swedish double bass player with an unshakeable artistic integrity and acute sense for nuance and balanced contrast in composition. He is most often the bandleader for his various projects and an intuitive improviser. He has toured with his various projects in both Europe and Australia and has even worked in Palestine as part of a joint collaboration between local and Swedish musicians.

Johan has released the EP 'Presents....' (2013), as well as music video and single 'LOST' (2014), with alternative pop duo Mother Jack. More albums are to be released in 2015.

Casey Moir voice (SE/AU)

Reuben Lewis trumpet (AU)

Luke Sweeting piano (AU)

Johan Moir double bass (SE)

Aidan Lowe drums (AU/DE)

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