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PRESS RELEASE

8th of April 2021

MAMA JAZ 2021: APRIL'S INNER SUN!

We Will Shine!

It is the responsibility of each and everyone to care and be aware as we all join forces to keep standing through the historical predicament at hand.

Albeit with a week's delay, as an artistic demonstration spanning over the whole month of April, MAMA JAZ, true to its character, has resolved to adapt its 6th edition to surf further the waves of extraordinary circumstances we are still living.

We Will Shine # Nou Pou Traverse # Nous Rayonnerons
MamaJaz 2021

Call to Humankind

Each voice, each intent, contributes to harmony.

Inspired by the need to uplift and heal, we encourage that all may share optimistic energy, starting to engage with any living being close and extending to cover the universe.

Offline or online, do shine :)

Family Moments

We are calling out to all humans (no age limit) willing to come together for a performance on their own and share energy through music or dance with us on Facebook.

Very simple: Just audio-video record your performance and publish on your Facebook page tagging MAMA JAZ.

Ti Mama Fami # Mama Jaz 2021

Magic Minutes

Given the overwhelming popularity of this campaign in 2020, MAMA JAZ called again upon graceful artists to emit energy sparks in April a little bit differently; these will be published on Facebook, YouTube and shared.

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Retrospective

Since we cannot hold live concerts yet, we are highlighting previous installments through a dense programme across National Television, Radio and MAMA JAZ's official Facebook page:

Friday 2nd of April

20h20 - 21h20

Desvaux-Bertin Trio | Sunday Grand Concert | MAMA JAZ 2018 | MBC 1

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Deheb | Nepetalakton Series | MAMA JAZ 2020 | Facebook

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Open Music Theory Space

With the cap of a music educator on, Jerry Léonide will conduct a series of masterclasses around themes relevant to professional and amateur practice. These will be live streamed on MAMA JAZ's official Facebook page & YouTube channel.

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20h - 20h30

Principles of Composition

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Harmony

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Approaching a Live Performance

Conversations

As we focus on human strengths, resilience and capacity to think for a better world, a series of conversations now comes to life within the festival programme. These will be live streamed on MAMA JAZ's official Facebook page & Youtube channel.

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20h - 22h

Making a Living as a Music Practitioner

Panelists: Elvis Heroseau, Jason Lily, Jean-René Bastien, Deeran Moorghen, Gary Mach

Mediator: Jerry Léonide

Wednesday 21st of April

20h-22h

Relevance & Life of Festivals

Panelists: Bruno Raya, Astrid Dalais, Jimmy Veerapin, Lionel Permal, Emilien Jubeau

Mediator: Jean-Luc Ahnee

Wednesday 28th of April

20h-22h

Nation-building, Decolonisation and Human Life: Towards a National Policy for Culture and the Importance of Promoting Artforms

Panelists: Joseph Tsang Mang Kin, Rama Poonosamy, Lindsey Collen & Dr Hans Ramduth

Mediator: Anupah Makoond

International Jazz Day

30th of April

10th Anniversary

Music unites people in all corners of the World and Jazz is a highly celebrated key to the comprehension of Music.

Since 2011, International Jazz Day stands tall; championed by The Herbie Hancock Institute for Jazz, Unesco and global supporters. This year is the tenth edition of this global initiative and the present historical context makes the celebration extra special.

MAMA JAZ is a proud organisational partner and marks the date with:

20H00

Happy Jazz Day Surprise | Nepetalakton Series | Facebook, Soundcloud, Mixcloud, Apple Podcast, Google Podcast

23H45

Nnilorak | Samuel Laval Quartet | Facebook & Youtube

What will you be doing on IJD?

Jazzday.com #jazzday #nepetalakton #mamajaz2021



Music is Home

MAMAJAZ.ORG

For ears, hearts and the pineal gland: On one hand we have a collection of 18 gems, courtesy of Filoumoris.com, the keeper of amazing Indian Ocean albums; On the other we have 7 mixes from the seminal NEPETALAKTON podcast series, an ode to jazz by modern dj artists of the world.

Stay home, keep safe :)



Amazing Partners

MAMA JAZ would not be able to hold its ground without the hardworking, comprehensive, encouraging, cheering, comforting, supportive, nurturing, motivating and respectful organisations which stand with it as ambition is to build a powerful space for human interactions and transmission of Art, Music and Love for the sake of societal progress!



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