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Artist Profile

Joris Voorn

Biography

Joris Voorn is a record producer and Dj from Rotterdam, Netherlands. Raised in a musical family, music naturally became an intrinsic part of Voorn's life from an early age. Electronic music first caught his attention in the mid-90's, and he started DJ'ing in 1997. After developing a more focused interest in house and techno, Joris invested in the versatile MC-303 Groovebox and began to experiment with synth sounds and drumloops.

By the end of 2000 Joris began building a small studio to produce his own music, which led to his first release called 'muted trax pt.1' on Keynote. His first EP was massive success, filling the record boxes of Carl Craig, Laurent Garnier, DJ Rush and Technasia. In 2003 'Lost memories Pt.1' was released on Technasia's SINO label and was followed by 'Lost memories Pt.2' containing the anthem 'Incident' which was heard on dancefloors around the world.

After the success of 'Incident', Voorn released his debut cd album called 'Future History' on the Sino label. Encompassing 3 years of ideas and inspiration, the cd contains 20 diverse tracks, a seamless soundscape that represents his arrival as one of the most relevant techno producers of this time.

In the summer of 2005 Joris Voorn's new personal outlet called 'green' saw the light of day. 'A dedicated mind' was released as the first EP, which garnered success globally. He also completed his debut DJ mix CD for the Fuse club in Belgium. After Dave Clarke, DJ Hell and Technasia, Fuse presented Joris Voorn to mix part 4 of their international resident's dj mix albums. The mix contained over 40 tracks of timeless techno music mixed with the help of Ableton Live for its endless mixing and editing possibilities.

In 2006 the sophomore release under Voorn's Green label, named 'MPX_309', was a crossover techno work that was played out by techno, minimal, house and trance DJs. During the same year Voorn created his second album, released worldwide in June 2007. This new piece of work called 'From a deep place' featured many different styles of electronic music, ranging from atmospheric interludes to broken beats, house and deep soulful techno.

The focus point of the 'From a deep place' CD has been the listener rather than the dancer and was received enthusiastically by the electronic music community. Some of the works were edited to more dj friendly tracks for the vinyl release of the album. During the summer of 2007 Joris has been touring with his new live performance in support of his album release.

More recently, Joris has been focusing on collaborative efforts producing remixes for respected and diverse artists such as Robert Babicz, Nic Fanciulli, Slam, Steve Angello, Sebo K and Jerome Sydenham. The 'Dark Flower Magnolia Mix' for Robert Babicz turned out to be another summer anthem in electronic dance music, and was a favourite of DJ's like Sven Vath, Dubfire, Pete Tong and John Digweed among many others.

In 2008, following the success of his resident advisor podcast, Joris was invited to produce episode 14 of the Balance DJ mix CD series from Australia. Following in the footsteps of James Holden and Lee Burridge, Joris constructed a layered and seamless mix of electronic dance music on a double CD. An epic mix in the very best sense of the word, Balance 014 achieves the rare feat of combining variety and consistency, making it perfect for trainspotters and dancers alike. The tracks change quickly and quietly, but the groove stays. An accompanying world tour will follow where Joris will bring the essence of this studio project to the stage, using all different elements of the mix into a full range club experience.

Having established himself as a leading producer and DJ, Joris will be embarking on a new project called 'A green night'. Inspired by his surroundings, which is never limited to the dancefloor, Joris and his team will be creating a night in several festivals and clubs, exploring the possibilities of combining music and visual arts. This year the project will be developed, tested and finetuned in selected clubs.

As a DJ and live performer Joris Voorn has joined an elite group of international DJ's whose musical talent has acquired global appeal. He has performed across Europe, Japan, Hong Kong, China, Singapore, Australia, Russia, Brazil, Colombia, Israel, Detroit, Chicago and New York.

Rejected:

Together with friend Edwin Oosterwal the 'Rejected' record label was established at the end of 2006. Their first EP as Rejected featured the two tracks 'SL3' and 'Cliché' and became an instant success and was played out by almost every self-respecting DJ around the globe. With Rejected, Joris is working on a more club oriented contemporary sound instead of deep electronic music excursions.

In mid 2007 their second EP was released, featuring a crossover techhouse track called 'Let's go jun0' and a driving minimal track called 'Lost'. Both tracks appealed to a wide audience and established Rejected's name even more.

In 2008 the two key tracks 'Let's go jun0' and 'Cliché' were successfully remixed by dutch artists District One and Polder on one EP.

This year, the Rejected label has some great projects in the pipeline, to start off with a disco infected house track by the Dutch rising star Pitto.

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www.jorisvoorn.com

www.myspace.com/jorisvoorn

www.rejected.nl

www.discogs.com/artist/joris+voorn

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Discography

Releases:

Muted Trax pt.1	Keynote 05	2002
Muted Trax pt.2	Keynote 09	2003
Line 3/4	Line 3/4	2003
The way things appear..	Wolfskuil 001	2003
Lost Memories Pt.1	Sino 09	2003
Muted trax pt.3	Keynote 11	2004
The first sound	Sound Architecture	2004
Lost Memories Pt.2	Sino 10	2004
Future history cd album	Sino 101 CD	2004
Future history vinyl album	Sino 101	2004
Fuse presents joris voorn dj mix cd	Music Man	2005
A dedicated mind	Green 01	2005
Club Wire [limited release]	Green Wire Limited	2005
Coming from the shower after a late night with a failed date	Green 02	2006
When it was day we made it night	Green 03	2007
From a deep place cd album	Green 101 CD	2007
From a deep place vinyl album	Green 101 3x12"	2007
Deep side of the moog	Cocoon	2008
Balance 014 dj mix cd	EQ Recordings	2009

Remixes:

Dj Hansz & Jan Liefhebber - Skyline (Funcked' up rework)	Highland Limited	2004
Aja - Your light (Evidential Dub)	Poussez!	2004
Pascal Feos - Flashed back (Classic '89 rework)	Music Man	2004
Alexander Kowalski - Days of the liar (Joris Voorn remix)	Kanzleramt	2004
Vince Watson - Intuitions (Joris Voorn remix)	Bio	2005
Secret Cinema - See myself (Remix + Dub)	EC Records	2005
Paul Mac - Return to the fountain (Dark Science mixes)	Ingoma	2005
Justin Berkovi - Rising (Joris Voorn remix)	Music Man	2006
Kage - Scape (Joris Voorn remix)	Illumina	2006
Vamp Circus - Need you (Dark Science remix)	Phont	2006
Len Faki - B-East roller (Joris Voorn remix)	Len Series	2006
Paul Kalkbrenner - Press on (Joris Voorn remix)	Bpitch Control	2006
Kevin Saunderson - Bassline (Joris Voorn mix 07)	Planet E	2007
Jimpster - Dangly panther [Joris Voorn black panther mix]	Freerange	2007
Skylark - Movin' (Joris Voorn remix)	Saved Records	2007
Robert Babicz - Dark flower (Joris Voorn magnolia mix)	Audiomatique	2008
Who's Who - Klack (Joris Voorn remix)	Size Records	2008
Sebo K - Far Out (Joris Voorn remix)	Mobilee	2008
Slam - Ghost Song (Joris Voorn remix)	Soma Recordings	2009
Jerome Sydenham - Destination nagano (Joris voorn remix)	Ibadan	2009

Rejected Releases:

SI3 / Cliché	Rejected 001	2006
For the people / Dec trec	Rejected 000	2007
Let's go jun0 / Lost	Rejected 002	2007
Deetron - Life Soundtrack [Rejected remix]	Music Man	2007
District One - the shining [Rejected remix]	100% Pure	2007
Jeroen Verheij - Chicago (Rejected rotterdam rework)	Rejected 003	2007
Let's go jun0 / Cliché remixes	Rejected 005	2008

Selected CD Licenses:

Axwell (mixmag terrace) **Carl Cox** (mixmag sound of ibiza 2004) **Chris Liebing** (live at rohstofflager, live at womb, spinclub ibiza) **Danny Howells** (renaissance mix collection) **Danny Tenaglia** (futurism) **Deadmau5** (mixmag techtranceelectromadness) **Dubfire** (mixmag digital dreams) **Francois K** (frequencies, masterpieces m.o.s.) **Luke Slater** (fear and loathing 2) **Ken ishii** (play pause play, sunriser) **Mauro Picotto** (meganite 3) **Robert Hood** (fabric 39) **Slam** (mixmag 10 years of pressure) **Steve Angello** (sizeism) **Steve Bug** (fabric 37, djmag space miami poolside mix) **Sven Vath** (sound of the seventh, eight and ninth season)

Selected Performance History

Europe:

Awakenings	Amsterdam	2003/2004/2005/2006/2007/2008
Doornroosje	Nijmegen	2002/2003/2004/2005/2007/2008
Fuse	Brusselsbe	2004/2005/2007/2008
Rex	Paris	2005/2007/2007/2008
Nitsa	Barcelona	2004/2005/2006/2007
Extrema NYE	Eindhoven	2004/2006/2007/2008
Cocoon	Frankfurt	2007/2008/2009
Fabric	London	2007/2008/2009
Blau club	Girona	2006/2007/2008
Macumba	Madrid	2007/2008/2009
Haoman 17	Tel Aviv	2006/2007/2008
Club 11 (r.i.p.)	Amsterdam	2005/2006/2007
The Arches	Glasgow	2007/2008/2009
Sub Club	Glasgow	2005/2008
Watergate	Berlin	2005/2008
Shine	Belfast	2006/2008
Gorod	Moscow	2005/2007
Space	Ibiza	2007/2008
Berghain	Berlin	2007
Tresor	Berlin	2004

Asia:

Wire Festival	Yokohama	2005/2006/2007/2008
Womb	Tokyo	2006/2007/2008/2009
Triangle	Osaka	2006/2007/2009
Zouk	Singapore / KL	2007/2009
Rockit	Hong Kong	2004/2005
Jakarta	Centro	2004

Usa:

Demf	Detroit	2004/2008
Cielo	New york	2007
Vision	Chicago	2007

South America:

Carnival	Medellin co	2007/2009
Lov.e	Sao Paulo	2005/2006
Cinema club	Bogota	2007
Summer dance festival	Cartagena	2007

Selected festivals:

Mysteryland festival	Amsterdam	2003/2005/2007/2008
I love techno	Ghent	2004/2006
Monegros	Fraga	2006/2007
Extrema outdoor	Eindhoven	2007/2008
Sonar	Barcelona	2005
Primavera sound	Barcelona	2006
Nature one	Kastellaun	2008
Mayday	Dortmund	2005
Exit	Novi Sad	2005
Timewarp	Mannheim	2009
Pukkelpop	Hasselt be	2006
Lowlands	Amsterdam	2006
Dissonanze	Rome	2006
Electromind	Montpellier	2006
Dancevalley	Amsterdam	2006
Gobal gathering	Istanbul	2007
Noorderslag	Groningen	2003

Other cities and clubs:

Amsterdam (panama, the sand, loveland, chemistry, in motion, westerunie, , jimmy woo, flex bar) **Rotterdam** (off corse, now & wow, ahoy, waterfront, nighttown, watt, factory 10, outland, fwd dance party, parkzicht, catwalk, bootleg) **Utrecht** (de helling, poema, winkel van sinkel, jaarbeurs) **The Hague** (het paard) **Eindhoven** (simple festival, strp festival, effenaar, de rechter, rembrandt) **Rome** (piper club) **Barcelona** (loft, moog, row 14, liquid club) **Dublin** (electric shock, traffic) **Kiev** (cinema club) **Sao Paulo** (clash) **Prague** (summer of love) **Lyon** (nuits sonores) **Bordeaux** (le 4 sans) **Napels** (old river park) **Stockholm** (teatron, esque club) **Turin** (fluido club, supermarket) **Thessaloniki** (venue, decadence) **Sydney** (lady lux, bread & butter) **Melbourne** (honkytonk, digital, pow) **Perth** (the deen) **Leeds** (back to basics) **Aberdeen** (club snafu) **New Castle** (club habit, digital) **Lausanne** (d! club) **Munich** (harry klein) **Granada** (industrial copera) **Copenhagen** (raw) **Oviedo** (aquasella, albeniz) **Pula** (rabac festival) **Vilnius** (club gravity) **London** (the egg, the key) **Hong Kong** (yumla, sinosphere) **Berlin** (weekend, maria, polar tv, recombination) **Montpellier** (metropolis, la villa rouge, dragon ball) **Nagoya** (mago) **Antwerpen** (café d'anvers, boa, petrol) **Fraga** (florifa 135) **Madrid** (fabrik, one club) **Mallorca** (sala fonica) **Zagreb**(boogaloo) **Santiago de Compostella** (octopus) **Slovenia** (ambassada gavioli) **Hamburg** (click 808) **Skopje** (colloseum) **Nice** (minimal) budapest (mayday, shockwave) **Arnhem** (free your mind) **tilburg** (013) **Shenzen** (true color, la luna) **New York** (rothko, sullican room, love club) **Ostend** (pro-jekt) **Ghent** (kozzmozz) **Salzburg** (gusswerk) **Olganitz** (nachtdigital festival) **And many more**.....

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