

mind.in.a.box's first time on tour!

Seven years after their first release, after four albums, and following several international shows in Europe and North America, the first full European tour is coming. This tour will see mind.in.a.box together with Front Line Assembly on one stage in the fall of this year.

What is "mind.in.a.box?"

The name, "mind.in.a.box" stands for the restriction of spirit. Locked between the dots, it describes the oppressive control of the ego through the smallest everyday obligations to the crippling, genuine feelings of loneliness. This name is a symbol for the invisible gap between the objectives of freedom and the sober, restrictive reality. mind.in.a.box's music serves as a valve in a claustrophobic world that crams the awareness in an ever-smaller box. In the ongoing narrative within the band's lyrics, the "Dreamweb" acts as a synonym for sedation and immobilization of society and the individual. From this background the group weaves their songs, between frightening fiction and a dark, oppressive reality.

What is mind.in.a.box's sound?

mind.in.a.box sound of Technopop is a cross between Futurepop, Progressive Trance and cyberpunk. The live sound is much more edgy and easier to listen as on the CDs, and the ingenious integration of analog instruments boasts an innovative creativity away from the genre average. The live set shows with the songs, visuals and snippets parts of the science fiction story, which covers the albums in the style of fiction noir.

Of mind.in.a.box's four-album discography, the debut, Lost Alone (2004) was an immediate success, remaining number one on the German Alternative Charts for five weeks. The most recent album, R.E.T.R.O., was released on Dependent Records (Europe) and Metropolis Records (Outside of Europe) in February of this year.

Who is mind.in.a.box?

mind.in.a.box is an Austrian electronic music project. At the center of this project is band mastermind Stev Poiss. On stage, he is supported by bassist Roman Stift, drummer Gehard Höffler and guitarist Adam W. Swiczinsky.

Tourdates:

30.09.2010 Germany, Frankfurt // Batschkapp
01.10.2010 Germany, Hannover // Musikzentrum
02.10.2010 Belgium, Antwerpen // Zappa
03.10.2010 Germany, Oberhausen // Saints
04.10.2010 Germany, Rostock // Mau CLub
05.10.2010 Germany, Hamburg // Logo
06.10.2010 Sweden, Gothenburg // Brew House
07.10.2010 Sweden, Stockholm // Debaser
08.10.2010 Sweden, Malmö // KB
09.10.2010 Denmark, Arhus // Voxhall ** REcession Festival
10.10.2010 Germany, Berlin // C-Club
12.10.2010 Germany, Leipzig // Werk II
13.10.2010 Poland, Lodz // Dekompresja
14.10.2010 Germany, München // Backstage
16.10.2010 Hungary, Budapest // Petofi Hall
17.10.2010 Slovenia, Ljubljana // Kino Siska
18.10.2010 Austria, Vienna // Szene Wien
20.10.2010 France, Paris // Bus Palladium
21.10.2010 Germany, Stuttgart // Röhre
22.10.2010 Switzerland, Aarau // Kiff
23.10.2010 Italy, Padova // Revolver

Links:

Bandwebsites:

<http://www.mindinabox.com>

<http://www.myspace.com/mindinabox>

Interviews & Reviews:

<http://www.mindinabox.com/things/main.php?Press=1>

Fanpages:

<http://www.mindinabox.ru/>

<http://www.mindinabox.de>

Wikis:

http://de.wikipedia.org/wiki/Mind_in_a_box

Label website:

<http://www.dependent.de>

<http://www.metropolis-records.com>

Booking Company:

<http://www.protain.de/>

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