

Øresund Space Collective Biography 2008

The *Øresund Space Collective* was formed in April 2004. The collective is a group of Danish, Swedish and American musicians that get together as often as possible for free form improvised space rock music. The flavour of the music is different with each session. The jams can often combine complex interplay between guitar and synthesizer as well intense drumming and bass playing. We enter into the genre of funk, jazz, reggae and space rock as we improvise our way along. The jam sessions alternate between Malmö and København across the Øresund bridge! The core of the collective features current and former members of the Danish bands *Mantric Muse* and *Gas Giant* as well as the Swedish bands *Bland Bladen*. Other musicians join as well from other Swedish bands the *Carpent Knights*, *Siena Root* and *Sgt. Sunshine*.

The collective records all of the jam sessions and makes these available to fans via the web site in MP3 format. We currently have over 35 hours of material on the web site for free download. The bands debut CD was released on the Transubstans label (www.recoredheaven.net) from Malmö, Sweden in January 2006. IT is a limited edition of 500 numbered copies for the first pressing, which is sold out. The band's space rock masterpiece, the 2½ hr double CD, It's all about Delay was released in Oct. 2006. The bands latest studio CD, The Black Tomato was released as a deluxe digipack in August 2007. The band has also released a series of 12 CD-Rs called Picks from Space which feature the best of the jam sessions 1-11. The band will also have a release in May or June on the Sulatron Record label in Austria.

The band has played concerts in Germany, Finland, Sweden, Denmark and Norway in 2007 and in 2008 will play the Kildemose Festival in Denmark in June and headline the Slottskoggen goes Progressive Festival in Göteborg in August. Two concerts in Norway are also being planned for the fall.

The Current Collective Members: Tobias- Guitars and Effects, Stefan- Guitars and Effects, Jocke- Bass, Thomas- Bass, Scott- Synthesizer, Mogens- Synthesizers, Kaufmann- Drums.

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