

Koyaman

Event - Koyaman

When	Fri, 19. February 2027, 21:00 h
Category	Live Music in Rotterdam



Description

Greek trio Koyaman returns to Grounds with a hypnotic mix of Eastern Mediterranean traditions, psychedelic grooves, dub and electronics.

The group brings traditional instruments such as oud and kanun into a contemporary setting of loops, breakbeats and electronic rhythms. Their music remains rooted in the Eastern Mediterranean, but the trio treats those traditions as material to experiment with, resulting in a sound that can be both atmospheric and highly danceable.

Koyaman consists of Kostas Tsarouchis on oud and electronics, Manolis Christodoulou on kanun and electronics, and Yiannis Rizopoulos on drums, percussion and electronic pads. Improvisation plays an important role in their live shows, giving the music plenty of room to shift between traditional melodies, dub-heavy grooves and more psychedelic passages.

The trio released its self-titled debut album Koyaman in 2025 and returns to Rotterdam after an earlier Grounds appearance that same year.

Details

Event: Koyaman
Date: Friday 19 February 2027
Doors open: 20:00
Start: 21:00
Location: Grounds, Rotterdam
Address: Pieter de Hoochweg 125, 3024 BG Rotterdam
Early bird: €10
Advance: €12.50 + €1 service fee
Door: €15
Genre: Greek, Eastern Mediterranean, psychedelic, dub and electronic
Album: Koyaman
Origin: Greece

Line-up: Kostas Tsarouchis, oud, loops and electronics; Manolis Christodoulou, kanun, loops and electronics; Yiannis Rizopoulos, drums, percussion and electronic pads.

Venue - Podium Grounds

Location	Podium Grounds
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Street	Pieter de Hoochweg 125
Postcode	3024 BG
City	Rotterdam
Country	NL
Website	https://www.grounds.nu/

Description

Grounds is a vibrant platform where audiences can experience groundbreaking music from emerging and renowned international artists across diverse genres. The venue hosts weekly concerts featuring styles ranging from Turkish folk to Afro beats, Latin to Sahara blues, providing a rich tapestry of global sounds.

Beyond live performances, Grounds actively contributes to the cultural climate of Rotterdam West by offering a stage for local talents and organising community events. They are also developing a second stage, Lab Grounds, in the historic HBS building in the city centre's Oude Westen district, aiming to transform it into a significant creative hub for musicians and dancers.