

Trio Da Kali

Event - Trio Da Kali

When	Sun, 15. November 2026, 20:30 h
Category	Live Music in Rotterdam



Description

Trio Da Kali brings the deep musical traditions of southern Mali to **Grounds in Rotterdam**. The group comes from the Mande culture and is rooted in a long lineage of griots, hereditary musicians whose role reaches beyond performance into storytelling and memory. With vocals, **ngoni** and **balafon**, the trio creates music that feels both intimate and resonant, grounded in tradition yet open to new directions.

Their 2025 debut album Bagola expands that foundation by drawing in traces of jazz, Afro-Mexican music and classical composition, while still keeping the heart of Malian music intact. Live, that mix promises a concert with warmth, depth and a strong sense of atmosphere. At Grounds, this looks set to be one of those evenings where musical heritage and contemporary imagination meet in a way that feels quietly spellbinding.

Details

Location: **Grounds, Rotterdam**
Date: **Sunday 15 November 2026**
Time: **20:30**
Style: **Malian music with influences from jazz, Afro-Mexican music and classical composition**

Venue - Podium Grounds

Location	Podium Grounds
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.