

Nik Bärtsch Ronin

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When	Fri, 30. April 2027, 20:30 h
Category	Live Music in Rotterdam



Description

Swiss pianist and composer Nik Bärtsch returns to LantarenVenster with Ronin, his long-running group known for tightly woven rhythm, reduction and what he calls “zen-funk”. With Ronin, Bärtsch has released nine albums, including six on ECM, building a sound that is both precise and strangely hypnotic.

Bärtsch has been described as “the scientist of groove”, and honestly, that fits. His music is built from repetition, small shifts and interlocking patterns, but it never feels cold. It has movement, tension and a quiet physical pull, shaped partly by his interest in Japan, philosophy and the relationship between music and body.

Together with drummer Kaspar Rast, Bärtsch has also explored the link between musical rhythm and movement through workshops involving practices such as aikido and Gyrotonic. That sense of control, flow and focus runs through Ronin’s music.

Details

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Date: Friday 30 April 2027

Start: 20:30

Location: LantarenVenster, Rotterdam

Tickets: €29, including €3 service costs

Seating: Seated concert, free seating

Music: Jazz, minimal music and zen-funk

Line-up

Sha, alto saxophone, bass clarinet and contrabass clarinet

Nik Bärtsch, piano

Jeremias Keller, bass guitar

Kaspar Rast, drums

Venue - LantarenVenster

Location	LantarenVenster
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Street	Otto Reuchlinweg 996
Postcode	3072 MD
City	Rotterdam
Website	https://lantarenvenster.nl

Description

LantarenVenster, located at Otto Reuchlinweg 996, is one of Rotterdam's premier venues for music and film. The cultural hub offers an intimate setting for experiencing live performances across genres.