

MARSEILLE / FRANCE

CHRIS GAVIN

DJ / PRODUCER / ARTISTIC DIRECTOR

INDIE DANCE / DARK DISCO / SLOW TECHNO

House-rooted electronic music shaped by slow tension, raw grooves, dark disco movement, vocals and a taste for the unexpected.

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HOUSE ROOTS. DARKER TERRITORY.

Chris Gavin is a Marseille-based DJ, producer and artistic director operating at the crossroads of indie dance, dark disco and slow techno. His music is built around groove rather than speed: low-slung rhythms, tense basslines, distorted textures, vocals and hypnotic repetition.

A house foundation runs through his work, but the palette reaches further - into new wave, post-punk, psychedelic electronics, disco and slower forms of techno. The result is a club sound that can be physical, cinematic and deliberately off-centre.

Releases and remixes on Side UP Works, Brique Rouge, Biomix Records and Playground Records define this side of his solo catalogue. His work with Danse Alice pushed the same language deeper through records on Lumiere Noire, Throne of Blood, Ombra International and New Day Everyday.

In Marseille, Gavin is the founder, artistic director and resident DJ of Danceteria, where his programming connects house, indie dance, disco, techno and alternative electronic scenes.

Slow pressure, dark movement and house instinct - music built for the moment when the dancefloor stops needing labels.

SELECTED RELEASES

SIDE UP WORKS. BRIQUE ROUGE. BIOMIX. PLAYGROUND.

SIDE UP WORKS / 2024

E-Nough

Chris Gavin - Original Mix / SUW034

SIDE UP WORKS / 2024

High Voltages

Chris Gavin - from E-Nough EP / SUW034

SIDE UP WORKS / 2024

Es Facil

Chris Gavin - from E-Nough EP / SUW034

BIOMIX RECORDS / 2024

Quand Tu Me Fais De La Peine

DJ Steef - Chris Gavin Remix

PLAYGROUND RECORDS / 2023

Ice

Umo - Chris Gavin Remix

BRIQUE ROUGE / 2021

Love Me Down

Original Mix - Chris Gavin

BRIQUE ROUGE / 2022

We Gonna Get Respect

Chris Gavin

BRIQUE ROUGE / 2021

Lake Of Sorrow EP

Written, performed and produced by Chris Gavin

SELECTED LABELS

SIDE UP WORKS

BRIQUE ROUGE

BIOMIX RECORDS

PLAYGROUND RECORDS

PUNK SPIRIT. CLUB INSTINCT.

Seagull & Horses EP

LUMIERE NOIRE / 2023

The Seventh Seagull / Wild Horses Ou Les Roses
Sauvages / Higher. Released on Chloe's Lumiere Noire.

Petit Monde EP

NEW DAY EVERYDAY / 2023

Featuring remixes by Each Other and Vox Low.

Shivers

THRONE OF BLOOD / 2022

Extended AdLib Version - released on the label's 16th
Anniversary EP 3.

Riff Ruff

OMBRA INTERNATIONAL / 2022

Plasma Filled Mix - released on Ombra Intl 022: Dilation &
Truth.

Danse Alice brought together club music and a
punk-minded approach to production: long forms,
live energy, voices, new-wave references, acid
details and darker shades of disco and techno.

LABELS

LUMIERE NOIRE

THRONE OF BLOOD

OMBRA INTERNATIONAL

NEW DAY EVERYDAY

PRESS

STARWAX MAGAZINE

Interview / 03 Jan 2025

Career, production, Danse Alice, Danceteria
and international shows.

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CLUBS. FESTIVALS. AFTER DARK.

KitKat Club

BERLIN / GERMANY

Wurzelfestival

GERMANY

Silencio

PARIS / FRANCE

Culture Box

COPENHAGEN / DENMARK

La Terrazza

BARCELONA / SPAIN

Macarena Club

BARCELONA / SPAIN

Freedonia

BARCELONA / SPAIN

Privilege Club

BOGOTA / COLOMBIA

ALSO PLAYED

Mosphera - Milan

Glazart - Paris

Carpe Diem - Most

Bonnefooi - Brussels

MARSEILLE

DANCETERIA

Founder / Artistic Director / Resident DJ
Programming house, indie dance, disco,
techno and alternative electronic music in
the heart of Marseille.

Instagram @danceteria_marseille

LISTEN / CONTACT

INDIE DANCE. DARK DISCO. SLOW TECHNO.

LISTEN

SoundCloud

DJ MIXES / PRODUCTIONS / UNRELEASED

Beatport

CATALOGUE & RELEASES

Spotify

ARTIST PROFILE & RELEASES

VIDEOS

Live Video

CHRIS GAVIN / YOUTUBE

Utopia Festival - Live

FESTIVAL PERFORMANCE / YOUTUBE

ARTIST FOCUS

Indie Dance / Dark Disco / Slow Techno

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PRESS

Starwax Magazine - Interview

Press Photos - High-Res

BASED IN / LANGUAGES

Marseille, France

French / English / Spanish