



WOMEX NEWSletter #22: 20 November 2008: WOMEX 08 THANKS * POST-WOMEX 08 PROGRAMME UPDATES * WOMEX ROADSHOW: AUSTRALIA * GUIDE ESSAYS ONLINE

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WOMEX 09 in Copenhagen, Denmark, will be held from 28 Oct - 1 Nov.
Read on... <http://www.womex.com/realwomex/news/copenhagen.html>
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Dear WOMEXicanos,

We would like to say thank you to all of you who have come to WOMEX 08, 29 October - 2 November, in Sevilla, Spain and have made it once again the worldwide world music networking point no. 1.

WOMEX exhibitors have reached an all-time high of more than 650 companies, individuals or organisations in a sold out Trade Fair of 320 stands, up significantly from 2007.

Should you have missed our Final Press Release with all facts and figures of WOMEX 08, here it is:
http://www.womex.com/realwomex/pdf/2008/womex_08_final_press_rel.pdf

Find the WOMEX 08 Mondomix Webcast with videos, photos and reports at <http://www.mondomix.com/reportages/womex-2008>

Have a look at the WOMEX 08 photos shot by our 4 official WOMEX photographers at <http://www.womex.com/realwomex/photographers>

As usual, we will send around a WOMEX Questionnaire shortly and ask you to take some time to share your thoughts with us. We read these carefully and try to incorporate your ideas wherever we can.

POST-WOMEX 08 PROGRAMME UPDATES

Just a quick reminder/summary of the WOMEX 08 Showcase programme changes:

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Official Selection
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Sidestepper's (Colombia) showcase on Saturday, 1 November 1:15, Plaza de España: Pavilion 1, was cancelled and replaced by

Orquestra Àrab de Barcelona (Morocco/Greece/Spain)
Contact: Vesc / Label: Temps Record

<http://www.myspace.com/orquestraarabdebarcelona>

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Staff Benda Bilili's (Congo-Kinshasa) showcase on Thursday,
30 October 22:15, Plaza de España: Pavilion 1, was cancelled and
replaced by

Eneida Marta (Guinea-Bissau/Portugal)
Contact: AlgarPalcos / Label: Iris Music

<http://www.eneidamarta.com/>

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offWOMEX

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La Pupuña's (Brazil) showcase on Saturday, 1 November 22:00, offWOMEX
Stage, was cancelled at the last minute and replaced by

DJ Grace Kelly (Brazil/Germany)
Contact: DJ Grace Kelly / Label: unsigned

<http://www.djgracekelly.com/>

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Please check <http://www.womex.com/virtual> for further contact details.

WOMEX 08 Showcase Programme:
<http://www.womex.com/realwomex/showcases>

WOMEX 08 offWOMEX Showcase Programme:
<http://www.womex.com/realwomex/offwomex>

WOMEX ROADSHOW: AUSTRALIA

Gerald Seligman, WOMEX General Director, is currently attending the
Australasian World Music Expo in Melbourne, Australia, 20 - 23 Nov.

Should you want to meet, mail to media@womex.com.

GUIDE ESSAYS ONLINE

We have posted this year's WOMEX Guide essays - having "Strategies" as
a special focus - online:

- People Get Ready / Gerald Seligman
- Partners or Parasites? / Peter Jenner
- Surviving the Digital Age / Charles Caldas
- Artist Visas in Crisis / Ole Reitov

http://www.womex.com/realwomex/pdf/2008/womex08_guide_essays.pdf



You can find "David Byrne's Survival Strategies for Emerging Artists - and Megastars" by David Byrne in the WOMEX 08 Guide book only.

Should you want to purchase the WOMEX 08 Guide - the must-have resource book for the world music community, <mailto:media@womex.com>. It costs 20 Euros plus postage.

Stay tuned and keep in touch -
Best regards from your WOMEX team in Berlin

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WOMEX 09 Copenhagen / 28 October - 1 November
Do Business, Catch Up, and Get Ahead!