

## Flow Festival is celebrated this weekend in Suvilahti, Helsinki

Friends of music and urban culture gather together again for Flow on the 9th-11th of August. One-day tickets for Saturday are now fully booked, but other ticket types are still available. This year, Flow's art program expands outside the festival area for the first time as contemporary dance, electronic music, and audiovisual art take over the National Opera's Almi Hall the Wednesday and Thursday on the 7th and 8th of August.

Flow Festival has altogether eleven performance venues and over 170 performing artists or groups. This year's performers include **Solange, Erykah Badu, The Cure, Tame Impala, Robyn, Father John Misty, and James Blake**, as well as names such as **Stereolab, Seinabo Sey, Earl Sweatshirt, Neneh Cherry, Tove Lo, Blood Orange, Mitski** and **Nao**. Out of domestic top artists, Flow presents **Ville Valo & Agents, Maustetytöt, Ruusut, Alma. J. Karjalainen, Gasellit, Pyhimys**, and many others.

Flow Festival is internationally renowned for its high-quality electronic music selection, which the audience this year will get to enjoy, among other venues, at the Resident Advisor Front Yard and the Reaktor Backyard. Such world-class electronic music performers as **Theo Parrish, Nina Kraviz, Juliana Huxtable**, and **Donato Dozzy** will perform over the weekend. Flow Festival's compilation of experimental music, *The Other Sound*, offers an interesting, high-quality program, too. For example, **Amnesia Scanner, Aïsha Devi, Bendik Giske**, and **Jlin AV with Theresa Baumgartner** will step on stage. Read more about the artists at Flow: [www.flowfestival.com/en/artists/](http://www.flowfestival.com/en/artists/).

Flow's comprehensive art program offers thought-provoking art experiences around the festival area. This year, the art program expands outside the festival area for the first time as contemporary dance, electronic music, and audiovisual art take over the National Opera's Almi Hall the Wednesday and Thursday preceding Flow Festival on the 7th and 8th of August. The pinnacle of the evenings is *Autobiography Edits*, the awarded collaboration of the British choreographer **Wayne McGregor** and the American visionary of electronic music **Jlin**. Flow also presents its newest addition of event spaces, Pink Space, which offers a diversity-celebrating festival program through poetry, performance arts, and video installations. In addition, the festival offers visual, video, and light art, as well as a selection of movies in the Finnkinopop-up Cinema. Read more about Flow's art program: [www.flowfestival.com/en/art/](http://www.flowfestival.com/en/art/).

Known for its first-rate, diverse selection of food, Flow has over 40 restaurants this year. Locally sourced food and domestic seasonal ingredients are prominent in this year's offerings, demonstrated especially by some of Helsinki's most acclaimed restaurants

joining Flow for the first time, including for example Emo, Andrea, Kuurna, Maannos, and Gohan. Find out more about the culinary selection at Flow: [www.flowfestival.com/en/festival/food/](http://www.flowfestival.com/en/festival/food/)

Flow Festival takes care of the environment with its very own Sustainable Flow responsibility program. Sustainable Flow ensures that the festival takes into account its environmental responsibilities as well as the social aspects of responsibility. Flow Festival compensates for its emissions, uses renewable energy, recycles and reuses all waste produced during the festival, and serves environmentally friendly food. Flow promotes local businesses and public transport, and the protection of the Baltic sea through donations made when purchasing the festival ticket. Reaktor, on its behalf, directs bottle deposits into a reforestation project. Read more about Sustainable Flow: <https://www.flowfestival.com/en/festival/sustainable-flow/>.

Flow Festival partners for 2019 are the main partner Lapin Kulta Pure, partners Kesko, Lumo, Nordea, Oatly, Paulig, Perlage, Reaktor, SEAT, Stopteltat and Sun Effects, media partners Basso, Clear Channel, Helsingin Sanomat and Resident Advisor, as well as Sustainable Flow partners Neste, HSY, and UPM Profi.

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**Tickets:**

Ticketmaster [www.ticketmaster.fi](http://www.ticketmaster.fi) tel.0600-10-800

Tiketti [www.tiketti.fi](http://www.tiketti.fi) tel.0600-1-1616

3 days: 215 €

2 days: 165€

1 day: 105€

Gold Area tickets:

3 days 345 €

1 day 175€

Prices applicable until further notice. Prices include the service charge.

**Press images:** [www.flowfestival.com/en/media](http://www.flowfestival.com/en/media)

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