

Oliver Decrow

Press Kit

About:

Oliver Decrow's music thrives on bass-driven synths. Drawing inspiration from bands such as Beta Evers, Boan, Boy Harsher, Buzz Kull, Joy Division, and The Cure, he creates tracks with minimal and carefully selected sounds combined with poetic vocals. Deep basslines, looping synthesizer sounds, and 80s drum machine samples converge to create an immersive sonic experience.

Oliver Decrow has released music on renowned labels, including I'm a Cliché and his own label, G50 Records. He is now an artist on the esteemed Cold Transmission Music label. In addition to his solo work, he actively participates in band projects such as Klassenfeind and The Node. During his live performances, Oliver Decrow passionately delivers his vocals while playing keys, infusing his shows with energy and authenticity.

Latest Releases:

- „I'm Too Young To Die": [\[Bandcamp Link\]](#)
- „I Close My Eyes": [\[Bandcamp Link\]](#)
- „Mother Complex EP": [\[Bandcamp Link\]](#)
- „We Are Going In Circles": [\[Cold Transmission Link\]](#)

Live Performances:

Oliver Decrow (LIVE) | Ombra Festival 02.12.2023 / Barcelona, Spain [\[Youtube Link\]](#)

Musicvideo:

Oliver Decrow - I Close My Eyes: [\[Youtube Link\]](#)

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Bio:

Oliver Decrow embarked on his musical journey in 2002. From 2006 to 2012, he pursued a study of arts at the University HfBK Dresden. In 2010, driven by artistic aspirations and music production ambitions, Oliver Decrow ventured to Montreal (CA) and New York (USA), fully dedicating himself to these creative pursuits. In the midst of Montreal's frigid winter, he secluded himself in a tiny room and crafted numerous hidden musical treasures, an experience that profoundly influenced his subsequent creative process.

Upon returning to Dresden, Oliver Decrow gained recognition among underground producers based in Dresden and Berlin. Sneaker DJ, also known as Dunkeltier, played a particularly influential role in Oliver

Decrow's musical journey, remixing his work. During this period, Oliver Decrow embarked on solo projects and collaborated with opera singer Annette Jahns within the band project Bossa Rio Bang. He actively participated in and supported the WHY NOT parties and DJs in Dresden, notably with Top Notch and Fan83.

Oliver Decrow released a track under the artist name Vision 30, featuring the lead singer from the post-punk band Kairo, Anne. In 2019, he made several trips to Cannes (France), immersing himself in music production while also working on a construction site. In 2020, he seized the opportunity to release his single "Opus Pistorum" on Cosmo Vitelli's label, I'm a Cliché. Currently, Oliver Decrow is focused on his solo project in Dresden, collaborating with Modern Dada on the band project Klassenfeind, and contributing as a producer for the band The Node. His music has been featured on several compilations, including the notable Zeitgeist+ Vol.2 compilation released by Cold Transmission, a Frankfurt-based label. In 2023, Oliver Decrow unveiled his debut digital EP, "Mother Complex," following a series of digital single releases.

Critics & Press appearance

„Now in its sixth single, “Hidden Darkness”, through his own label G50 Records, the Dresden denizen explores 80s flavored atmospheric dark and cold bass-driven, analog electro-wave territories cast in grim industrial starkness with a refreshingly contemporary twist. The poetic lyrics confess shame, obsession, and fear at the hands of a “Hidden Darkness” within.“

* <https://www.whitelight-whiteheat.com/wl-wh-track-of-the-day-oliver-decrow-hidden-darkness>

„Trent Reznor said that “What is exciting is taking back the excitement of being able to debut something to an audience in exactly the way you want to.” I hope Cold Transmission / @cold_transmission_official Family shares these thoughts and is happy with the results. We are, and I'll tell you why. We recently met Oliver Decrow in Frankfurt and had the pleasure of getting to know him a little. You can trust me, he is as you have seen him on stage or heard in his songs. An honest and humble guy with a lot of thoughts and feelings and some dark experiences. An ordinary guy, just like you and me. The only difference is that he expresses his thoughts and feelings through his music. There's no doubt that his debut album is dark and cold, but that's exactly what we expect in this genre, isn't it? We know the source of these songs: “suicide of a friend, self-doubt, grief, courage, love, fear, hope, the subconscious, letting go, escaping, and numerous emotional highs and lows”, and it's all there. You can understand it even if you don't understand the text at all (however, if you translate the song titles, you'll get a pretty good idea of the album's message.) The lyrics of the songs are not long, but we don't need whole poems, we need the opportunity to listen to them and create our own interpretation based on our experiences. Or just go to one of his shows, dance to the songs and forget about our own problems that he sings about. There are several songs on the album that I really like, so it's not easy to pick a favorite. I love the cold reality of “Lost Adult,” the choice of instruments and female vocals in “My Bitter Tears,” the strange but familiar story of “In My Room,” and of course I think, “I'm too young to die / “I'm too old to cry” is just great. Could be the motto of a whole generation...“

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Discography

Physical

Oliver Decrow	I'm Too Young To Die [Album]	Vinyl, CD	Cold Transmission	2024
Chrome Vol.2 / VA	I Close My Eyes [Single]	Vinyl	Cold Transmission	2024
Zeitgeist+ VA	We Are Going In Circles [Single]	CD	Cold Transmission	2022
VA / Bongo Beats and Bankruptcy	Opus Pistorum [Single]	Tripple LP	I'm a Cliché	2020

Digital

Album & EP'S

I'm Too Young To Die [Album]	Cold Transmission	2024
Mother Complex [EP]	G50 Records	2023

Singles

I Close My Eyes	Cold Transmission	2023
We Are Going In Circles	Cold Transmission	2023
I Touch You	G50 Records	2022
Hidden Darkness	G50 Records	2022
Falling Down From Heaven	G50 Records	2021
My Bitter Tears	G50 Records	2021
Horse Hoof	G50 Records	2020
No Eyes	G50 Records	2020
Black Spring	G50 Records	2019

Live appearance

Lovataraxx and Oliver Decrow	2024-04-27	Ono2	Frankfurt, Germany
Ultra Sunn and Oliver Decrow	2024-02-08	Hafenklang	Hamburg, Germany
Rue Oberkampf and Oliver Decrow	2024-01-19	Bunker Straße E	Dresden, Germany
Oliver Decrow and VA	2023-12-02	Ombra Festival	Barcelona, Spain
NNHMN and Oliver Decrow	2023-10-27	Bunker Straße E	Dresden, Germany
Oliver Decrow and WHY NOT WAVE	2022-12-16	Ostpol	Dresden, Germany