



The Soundscape Orchestra project started in 2012 when percussionist and laptop-artist Thomas Wingren teamed up with pianist Adam Forkelid and drummer/big band arranger Calle Rasmusson. Together they wrote and arranged music for a 12 piece orchestra which was performed at a festival in Stockholm.

In 2013 the project earned a sponsorship from the Swedish Jazz Federation. This time the group tried out a less orchestrated approach with a quintet setup. Two of the members from the original group, mallet specialist Anders Åstrand and reed player Peter Fredman were now joining the core trio. The result was playful futuristic electronic jazz based on productions in Ableton Live and live looping techniques.

The quintet, which now is the main Soundscape format, performed at the Stockholm Jazz Festival in 2015 and got some rave reviews.

"Soundscape Orchestra succeeds with apparent modesty to crack one of the truly great nuts. Namely to incorporate new technology and bring jazz forward"

- Johannes Cornell, Dagens Nyheter

In 2016 the group was invited to perform at the worlds premier drum festival, PASIC, in Indianapolis, USA. The concert was very well received by the audience consisting of professional musicians from all over the world.

The groups debut album, Nexus was released in 2018.

June 8 - digital release of the first single, Khumbu.

August - digital release of the second single Huffle Ruff.

October 5 - release of the full length double LP, Nexus. Vinyl and digital.

This release is a collaboration with artist Per Josephson who has made specific art work to all the compositions. A first taste of this is the album front cover visible on this sheet. This collection of art is exhibited on shows as printed screens, video projections etc.

Thomas Wingren	- live electronics, percussion
Adam Forkelid	- Rhodes, keyboards
Anders Åstrand	- vibraphone, marimba
Peter Fredman	- saxophones, clarinets, flute
Calle Rasmusson	- drums

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