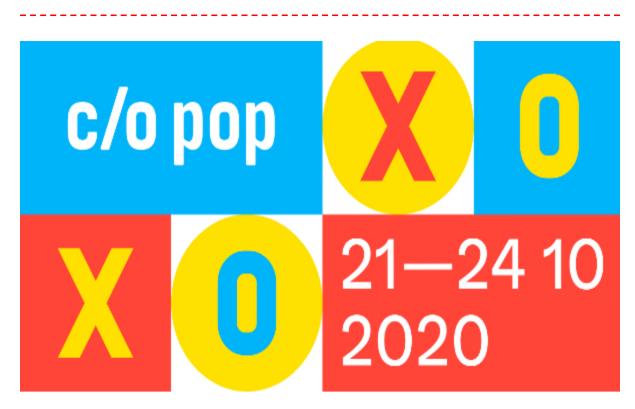
## **Austrian Music Export Newsletter**

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### AUSTRIAN ARTISTS @ c/o POP - XOXO EDITION

After the cancellation of the regular festival and convention in spring, the organizers take the new edition as an opportunity to explore new possibilities in terms of content, concept, communication and technology. Austrian acts performing this year are OSKA, OEHL and YUKNO.



#### INTERVIEW W/ CULK

Patriarchy and pop music? Gender-gap and electric guitars? The Viennese Band Culk moves in the area between these coordinates.



INTERVIEW W/ SAIN MUS +

Sain Mus got a third band member - and a new album. They talked to us about the relevance of improvisation and and the importance of constant development.



## INTERVIEW W/ SOUNDS QUEER

The three activists at of the Vienna DIY Synth Lab SOUNDS QUEER on feminism, queer activism, pioneers of electronic music and why every city needs a Sounds Queer Lab.



#### **INTERVIEW W/ MATTHIAS** KRANEBITTER

He is one of the most radical composers of this generation. His works penetrate deeply intro reality. In an interview on his passion for collecting, remix aesthetics and the "fantastic



# WOMEX 2020 DIGITAL EDITION

WOMEX - the World Music Expo - holds the biggest conference of the global music scene, featuring a trade fair, talks, films and a showcase festival. GOLNAR & MAHAN TRIO is the Austrian act performing at the digital festival.



#### WAVES VIENNA CONFERENCE REVIEW

In september, the Waves Vienna Conference took place for the 10th time. National and international music experts, label owners, bookers, and musicians met online and on the ground for lectures, discussions and networking events.



## FM4 SOUNDPARK ACT: NIHILS

Nihils has packed the danger of losing oneself in dreams into mesmerizing and relatable indie songs. Photos, videos and encounters from trips to Austrialia, Bali and Portugal were the inspiratiopn for the new EP.



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