

From the mountain; from the sea; from the calm yet powerful nature of small village life; from the noisy, crazy vibes of the big city.

What can you expect when you put together these 5 outstanding musicians who come from all over the world; who love life sincerely; who by their natures cannot compromise on what they feel and believe?

DIABOTE: a powerful and sophisticated musical and visual experience. A driving and raw show; not just a band.

The Players:

Romeo Cimarosti (Italy)

Percussionist/drummer/composer, Romeo founded DIABOTE in 2015. "Good music, beat the hell out of it!"

Lauriane Ghils (Belgium and Mexico)

Look in her eyes and you begin to hear the amount of sound she can produce!

Diogo Carvalho (Portugal)

Cap on his head, big smile, he will open up any percussion instrument that belongs to South America!

Ninya de Wever (Zeeuws -Vlaanderen, The Netherlands)

Her voice will open up new perspectives for you, whether you like it or not . . .

Bruno Ferro Xavier Da Silva (The Netherlands and Cape Verde)

He builds worlds and breaks them down in one song, displaying the greatest amount of different sounds from the same instrument.

The Music

Wild, powerful, grounded rhythms from African, Brazilian, Cuban, Rock and D&B traditions.

Blending **Djembes, Dunduns, Congas, Pandeiros, Drum-kit, Sabars, Surdos, Repinique and Auxiliary Percussion** with melodic instruments such as **Voice, N'goni and Balafon** and modern instruments like **Electric Bass, Guitar, Samplers and Synthesizers**, DIABOTE is a massive, unpredictable sound that requires all the stamina you have! All this, plus exciting visuals created from a micro projector.

There's no way out; they will bring you to other dimensions!

FORCE BY NATURE is the debut album by *DIABOTE*, published by the independent label *La Tempesta International*. The album is an experiment in world music and creating a link between electronic, acoustic and natural sounds.