

Supporting the Development of Audio Digital Creation

Government of Canada supports the MUTEK festival in showcasing electronic music and digital creativity

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The Honourable Shelly Glover, Minister of Canadian Heritage and Official Languages, today announced \$35,000 in funding for the 16th annual MUTEK festival, which will take place in Montréal from May 27 to 31, 2015. This funding is being provided through the Programming component of the Canada Arts Presentation Fund.

This contribution will help MUTEK establish itself as a world-class event that distinguishes itself through original and avant-garde electronic music and digital creation activities.

Quick Facts

- More than 100 artists from Quebec, other Canadian provinces and abroad will present a range of events including concerts, performances, exhibits and conferences.
- Awareness and development activities will include a dozen panels, conferences and workshops.
- Venues for the 16th MUTEK festival will include the Phi Centre, the Musée d'art contemporain de Montréal, Théâtre Maisonneuve in Place des Arts, Le Parterre in the Quartier des spectacles, and Métropolis.

Quotes

“Our Government’s support has helped Montréal’s electronic music and digital creation scene establish and assert itself at the heart of the renowned MUTEK festival.”

—The Honourable Shelly Glover, Minister of Canadian Heritage and Official Languages

“MUTEK started 16 years ago as the first festival in Montréal to dedicate itself to digital culture and electronic music as an art form. With our 2015 edition, we are continuing to pursue our passion for original creations, performed live, that capture the imagination of artists and audiences alike.”

—Alain Mongeau, General and Artistic Director, MUTEK

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