

NEW ORIGINAL RHYTHM ARCHITECTS



INDIE R&B / -SOUL

N·O·R·A

New Original Rhythm Architects (in short N.O.R.A.) is an indie R&B band based in the Netherlands. The band brings a surprisingly full and original sound. Rooted in jazz and soul, the band seamlessly blends elements of neo-soul, R&B, pop, and funk, creating a unique style. With intricate compositions, rich harmonies and infectious melodies, N.O.R.A.'s sophisticated music appeals to a wide audience.

Disguised as catchy pop songs, their music stays fresh yet oh so greasy.

The four musicians - hailing from Utrecht, Gouda, Rotterdam, and Amsterdam - draw inspiration from a wide range of musical influences and enjoy pushing the boundaries of genres. N.O.R.A.'s music isn't easily categorized, offering plenty for the discerning listener to ponder while maintaining an accessible sound for many.

On January 19 2024 N.O.R.A. released their debut EP. The band dedicated years to the writing and production process. The EP is available on all streaming services and received great reviews.



The EP is of high quality from start to finish. These are trained musicians who look for depth and try to push the boundaries of genres

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In the 1990s, N.O.R.A.'s music would have been firmly labeled as 'acid jazz', with a sound that falls somewhere between R&B, funk, and neo-soul. Each song contains a wonderful groove, interspersed with some jazz chords. Nora Iburg has a wonderful, warm soul voice that fits perfectly with the catchy songs on the EP.

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The songs are all very accessible and will most likely appeal to a wide audience. Their indie R&B is often funky and groovy, with occasional hints of blues and reggae influences in their songs. Their debut quickly won me over.

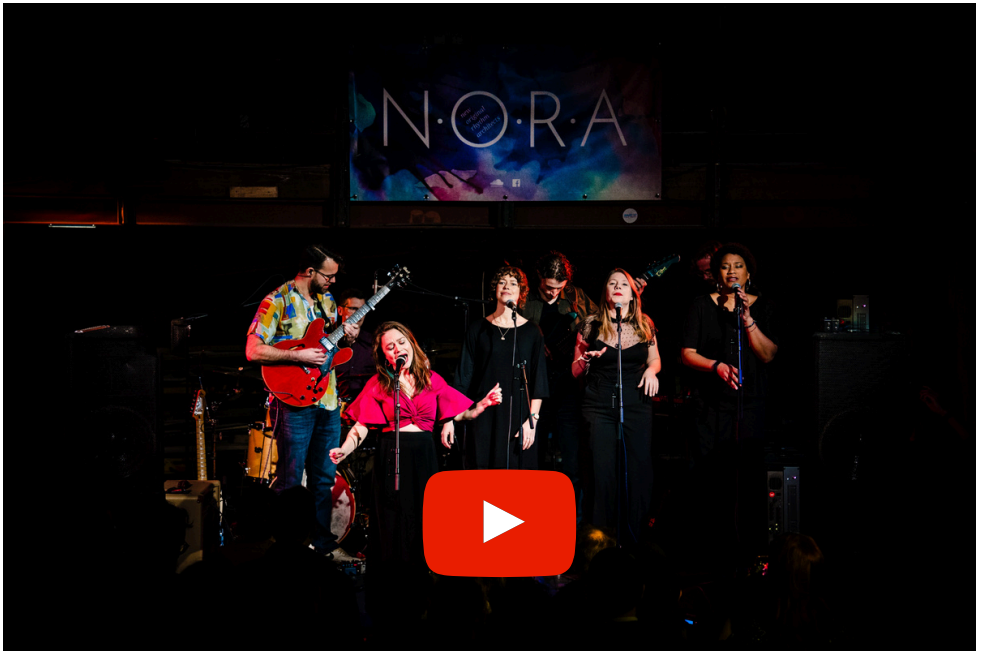
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