

Der Mystik's Honorable Mentions 06

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As an artist in the electronic realm Stack (aka Shadowfall) has grown steadily stronger and more confident in his productions. His initial releases all came on Andromeda Recordings, but he has expanded to include remix efforts on other labels including Shah-Music. Future remix efforts are soon to surface on labels such as Peak Hour Music, with more requests being entertained all the time. As a Dj, he mixes on ODU.FM as well as a growing number of online and FM entities as a host and/or guest mixer, with live appearances soon to follow.

<http://www.shadowfallmusic.com>

If it has anything to do with music, Di (aka Aeriah) will excel at it. Her vocal talents have spanned almost every genre of music during her career, from her days in a vocal folk trio, to fronting hard rock bands in the Chicago scene, and more recently as a featured vocalist for many of the finest producers in trance music. In every case, no matter what genre she lends her styling to, her pure energy and emotion carries through to enhance even the simplest melody to a higher level. In a review in Mix Mag magazine, her vocals have been called soaring, and the many producers that she has worked with call her a treat and easy to produce with.

<http://www.musicbydi.com>

These two talented artists are also the heads behind Andromeda / Elliptical Recordings.

<http://www.andromedarecordings.com>

<http://www.ellipticalrecordings.com>

They brought in two different projects/artists to this interview with quite an exquisite talent. They are George Roznatovskyy (half of Dynamic Emotion) and CJ Peeton.

<http://www.myspace.com/dynamicemotion>

<http://www.myspace.com/cjpeeton>

Der Mystik says:

01) Now that I've made a small introduction to the featured artists on this interview, I'd like you lady and gentlemen to tell us your real name and birth place.

Di says:

Diana Bauer = Woodstock, Illinois

Cj Peeton says:

Otto Szattelmayer - Budapest , Hungary

Shadowfall says:

Stan Bauer - Waukegan, Illinois

Dynamic Emotion says:

Yuriy Roznatovsky :: Ukraine

Der Mystik says:

Nice! we got people from all around the world!

Cj Peeton says:

yaaa

Di says:

of course J

Dynamic Emotion says:

yeap

Di says:

hehe

Shadowfall says:

That is a fairly normal occurrence here.

Der Mystik says:

02) Andromeda Recordings started in 2007 (August), now, you've told several weeks ago, that all started with Robert Vadney, would like to share this story with our readers, Di, and Shadowfall (aka Stack)?

Shadowfall says:

ODU.FM began as a rock station... but we wanted to bring in some trance djs and begin a program called "Tranceparency" to feature some of the fresher names.

Di says:

After hearing the stories that I got from Robert about other labels and their lack of commitment to their artists and releases being shuffled away etc. we decided to start a label that people like Robert could call home and know they weren't going get taken advantage of and there became Andromeda Recordings.

Der Mystik says:

aaawwww that is so sweet

Cj Peeton says:

yes it is.

Di says:

haha

yeah we're sweet folksssss

Shadowfall says:

It has been the driving force for all that we have done here... to give a good home to great artists that needed it.

Der Mystik says:

And since then you've given the opportunity to several new artists like Cj Peeton and Dynamic Emotion to expose their music.

Di says:

yap

Shadowfall says:

And it has been a great experience to find this new talent.

Cj Peeton says:

yesand thx for all .

Di says:

We have compilation releases that we do for first time releasers like Artf and Mixed Spirit.

Der Mystik says:

Which are titled as... any specific name?

Shadowfall says:

Mixed-Spirit - Mana Leak.

Der Mystik says:

No, I mean the compilation series.

Dynamic Emotion says:

Rising Andromeda Rising .

Di says:

Andromeda Rising Vol's I through III so far...

Dynamic Emotion says:

hehe

Di says:

hehe

Der Mystik says:

haha..

03) When and Why, Elliptical Recordings was created, and what is the difference between Andromeda and Elliptical?

Shadowfall says:

Late last year, there became a great influx of very very high quality and high profile submissions to the label... we wanted to keep Andromeda as a great indie outlet that could bridge more genres, while Elliptical could concentrate on strictly trance & progressive so you might find a deep or tech house release on Andromeda, but Elliptical will stick with trance and hopefully be known for this.

Der Mystik says:

So which one is the mother and which one is the daughter, I'm a little confused here, because according to what I've read in the biographies, Andromeda is the older label but focuses on new talent, while Elliptical, which is the new one was made to showcase artists that are more established. So the way I see it..

Andromeda would be in fact the sub-label even though it counts with more numbers in catalog than Elliptical, Am I right, or Am I far off the edge?

Shadowfall says:

No, I think that is very descriptive

But Andromeda is the mother.

Di says:

Andromeda is the flagship - Elliptical is the offshoot, our unicorn actually. It was hard starting EPT because of it being a "sub-label" and BP has still not accepted it as its own label, all the releases on BP are listed under ADR still.

04) When I contacted you about this interview, I gave you guys the green light to invite two Andromeda/Elliptical acts into this interview, you invited Cj Peeton and the others were Dynamic Emotion, who are indeed two very talented guys, and one of them, is the actual A&R of your imprint (more of that later), why did you choose, these two artists, out of your 124 or more that you have now?

Dynamic Emotion says:

we just have nice eyes .

Der Mystik says:

hahaha

Cj Peeton says:

yaa we have.

Di says:

haha

yaaaaaaaaaaaaas

Der Mystik says:

I would actually believe it if I didn't know a little bit about Di.

Shadowfall says:

Well... Cj seemed to be a natural choice.... his work for us has been tremendous, timely and professional, not to mention always top quality.... Cj is one that can always be counted on to come through when you need a great remix, and will always bring his top game.

Cj Peeton says:

thx

I just do what I love.

Shadowfall says:

And you do it well .

Di says:

Dynamic Emotion is the newest artist to Elliptical and had the biggest effect on the way others saw us. When "Guitar Symphony" was released we knew that we were perceived as being a viable label and one that needs to be looked at seriously. "Guitar Symphony" is a monstrous show of talent, class and well rounded remixes. So we were very happy that Max and Yuriy decided to be a part of what we have here.

Dynamic Emotion says:

thnx Di

Di says:

:D

Cj Peeton says:

It's really great song .

Der Mystik says:

I agree on that and we'll get to that later.

05) Ok, the following questions go for Cj Peeton (although everyone else are not obliged to remain silent), thank you for joining us in this feature.

You've started Djing in 2000, and producing Trance music in 2003 right? But before that you had a mentor (Dj Pause),

what field did he mentor you? Djing? Production? Both?

Cj Peeton says:

I listened a few times and thought he was just awesome. He was my master in both. I did my first unreleased album and he told me what is wrong, then just show me the way how to build a set and a music as well.

Der Mystik says:

That is nice, I think we all had a mentor

Mine was.. Dj Eco actually, back in 2004.

Cj Peeton says:

He is still my masterI always ask him about my music

lucky

Der Mystik says:

you are lucky to still have him by your side!

Cj Peeton says:

yes we are very good friends

Der Mystik says:

06) Still on Cj Peeton, and everyone feel free to correct me in this one, besides a few singles released with Andromeda/Elliptical, you have actually released, full featured albums with them as well, Am I correct? And the best part of it is that two of them were released during the first half of this year. Can you describe briefly what are "The Way to the Trance Music" and the other album released in May (don't know the name but these guys will let us know is just a second)? And what can you reveal about your next one called "Music for the Feet"?

Cj Peeton says:

Well.....the way to the trance music ...I think the title is talking really well . I wanted to create tracks with trance style, but mixed with others.

Di says:

Pure EP to be exact

Der Mystik says:

What about Pure EP?

Di says:

That's the second release.

Cj Peeton says:

Pure EPthat's talking also about the pure styles that I like. I wanted to show how easy it is to create music, and just forget the style. I did deep house, electro, trance songs for that EP .

Der Mystik says:

Oh that is nice to know, so you are a well rounded artist.

Di says:

CJ actually excels in Progressive... my opinion .

Cj Peeton says:

The Music for the feetthat will be the new album ...just one song missingThat one will be a bit different then the others ...all will be for dance, not for thinking my basic style is the trance but I love to mix the styles.

Der Mystik says:

Ok.. so these are EPs, not full albums then? Cause the idea that I have on an album, is like 8 to 10 different songs, while an EP could be 4 tracks with a few remixes.

Di says:

right

Dynamic Emotion says:

isn't it an LP?

Cj Peeton says:

I think all of them were 7 tracks

Di says:

LP is Long Play

Cj Peeton says:

yeah

Der Mystik says:

7 Tracks could be LP yeahh haha

Der Mystik says:

07) Let me make a pause with Mr. Peeton, and greet, Dj Toy and Max Northbeat (not present), both working together as "Dynamic Emotion", thank you for doing this collaborative interview.

Actually hold your socks for a bit, I feel the need to ask this question to Di & Stack, as owners of Andromeda first. Before Dj Toy as an A&R, there was another one whose name is John Aleo. So, what are the reasons of the change of A&Rs. Was there something troublesome between both parties that interrupted your work flow and Mr. Aleo simply had to be let

go?

Di says:

Well not really troublesome so to speak just difference of opinions on matters where the label and its policies were concerned.

Der Mystik says:

Did he violate some of the label's policies?

Di says:

No, we're laid back and family oriented and tries to keep the "business" aspect of things on a lighter tone - John was intense and had a hard time relaxing, :P

Der Mystik says:

ahh ok

he was just not like you.

Di says:

Right he was more on a Biz mind and we're more on a what can I do for you mind.

Der Mystik says:

8) Back to Dynamic Emotion, In your Biography, you guys mentioned that you are not entirely Trance-Music-Only producers, your sounds range from Breaks to Tech House. Can you confirm this?

Dynamic Emotion says:

Um... We like music very much ... Before trance production Max played on bass guitar in a Punk Rock group and I played sax in an Orchestra. So we just have a lot of mixed feelings in our musical head and we try to not close our views on trance music. But we have 1 year electronic production so we wasted time for learning of bases of electronic production so we just don't have many releases yet ... but in the future we will try to create music in variable styles like chill prog house breaks and may be drum & bass)) just be doing some pretty music which will be from our souls.

Dynamic Emotion says:

We do not want to be artists which create just one style of arrangement for all tracks =\

Di says:

DE also has a release on Only One Records and another coming soon called Ontario that will be released on Only One as well.

Der Mystik says:

Got cha! so what we got in this group of beloved people, is talent that can produce pretty much any Electronic Dance

music style, or even more, we got Shadowfall who can play Oboe and Guitar, we got Di who can sing and whistle at the same time (just kidding), we got CJ Peeton who just told us about the mixture of styles on his EPs, and Dynamic Emotion with different musical roots.

Di says:

lol

only if I wheeze

Dynamic Emotion says:

Yeah ... it will be two good releases I guess))

Der Mystik says:

lol

Dynamic Emotion says:

RUM is all gone DI

Di says:

I know :P

Der Mystik says:

9) Two last questions for "The Roots" segment, and they will be directed to the creators of Andromeda Recordings, Diana Bauer and Stack.

Winking, Stack and Di, you are not only business partners but partners of life as well.

How did that happened? I know this question is not exactly about your career, I just want to know briefly, your love story, how did the lady with the voice that turns on, meet the classical trained Oboist?

Shadowfall says:

That is a good story actually

Though it was actually rock music that brought Di and I together.

Di says:

I told him if he shared a blanket with me I promised I would seduce him - he was hooked.

Der Mystik says:

hahahaha

Di says:

then I proposed 2 weeks later

Shadowfall says:

that's actually a true thing

haha

Di says:

and we were married 2 months after we met

Evebody smiles

Der Mystik says:

Di proposed?

Cj Peeton says:

wow

Di says:

yap

Shadowfall says:

yes, I was chicken... but I knew she was the one instantly.

Di says:

I'm a Scorpio I go after what I want .

Der Mystik says:

Is not like I'm a macho man or anything like that, but what happened Shadow?.

Di says:

I asked him on the phone actually from work .

Dynamic Emotion says:

:D

Shadowfall says:

She actually kind of hinted towards it on the phone, but I would not give her an answer until we were face to face.

Di says:

My horoscope said marriage was in my future and not to be scared, so I said Scared? Moi? So I asked.

Der Mystik says:

I'm gonna spark some tension here.. so who is the boss at home?

Shadowfall says:

that's easy

Cj Peeton says:

myyyy God

Di says:

LOL

Cj Peeton says:

:D

Shadowfall says:

Di is the boss of everything

Der Mystik says:

lol

Di says:

I just have people skills and office skills is all

Der Mystik says:

right.. ok

Di says:

If I didn't know Excel I wouldn't be the Boss.

Der Mystik says:

10) To my understanding, you both have been partners of everything, partners at Andromeda, partners at ODU (For obvious reasons we can not elaborate about ODU), as previously stated, partners of life, partners in Crime. I also heard from Di, very briefly that before Andromeda, you were partners in the FM radio business? How long were you?

Shadowfall says:

That lasted for just over a year and a local FM station in the Chicago suburbs that was having some problems getting going... we were active in the community and took a proactive role in getting that station on the air.

Der Mystik says:

I take it that it was a Rock station.

Di says:

Yes, Stack was Station Mgr and I was Director of Memberships. We got the shaft and decided FM in the US was too politically controlled and walked along with 8 other people behind us.

Der Mystik says:

and then what happened?

Di says:

ODU happened, and two weeks later we went live :D

Der Mystik says:

nice one!

Di says:

yaaaaaaaaaaaaas

hehe

Dynamic Emotion says:

awesome

Cj Peeton says:

cool story

Di says:

Yeah it was a Kodak moment :P literally

The Present [Segment]

11) Still on Stack and Di, What is the secret? I'm sure every single married person that is reading this interview, wants to know, (cause you've been married over 20 years already) how do you manage to not get tired of each other, because you are together on everything! haha!

Di says:

haha

Di says:

We do - its natural - but we have so much to do and so much love from all of our family that it really just carries over to day to day life. When we get depressed we have our family of artists to lean on so we have the biggest support system any group of people could have. We're better than AA .

Der Mystik says:

hehe

Shadowfall says:

Di is the most charming, witty, vibrant and exciting person I have ever met.... there is no way anyone could ever be bored or get tired of being around her... she absolutely makes every day one to look forward to.

Der Mystik says:

Awww

now if that is not love... I don't know what is it.

Di says:

Yeah he's good at sucking up.

Der Mystik says:

12) Ok back to your professional lives and actually the following questions will be about the "Guitar Symphony" release, which counts with a plethora of quality remixes. To those who don't know, Guitar Symphony was released by Elliptical Recordings last month, So Di, Stack and Dynamic Emotion feel free to chip in on them.

Guitar Symphony comes with two originals, "My Symphony" and "Night Alleys with Old Rock-n-Rolla", to Dynamic Emotion, what is the story behind those names? And to Stack and Di, when you heard them, what were your first thoughts on them? And would you guys say that this is Elliptical's hottest release of the summer?

Shadowfall says:

It is hard to single one out because of so many great releases coming through recently, but if we had to pick one, I would agree.

Di says:

My fav is My Symphony. I have to say that it is the release that got the most attention so far.

On ADR it was Vadney's Second Sky, EPT is "Guitar Symphony".

Der Mystik says:

Second Sky is awesome.

Di says:

Yes it is

Shadowfall says:

One of the most incredible pieces I have ever heard in electronic .

Di says:

Blind was hot too and got a lot of support :P

Dynamic Emotion says:

Night Alleys with Old Rock-n-Rolla was the first track that I sent to EPT because with "My Symphony" we wanted to get live guitar for Night Alleys with Old Rock-n-Rolla and I was so excited when Di write to me ASAP after sending demo and offer release this one ... and after that I have friendship with Di which lead me on to be Elliptical's A&R manager.

Der Mystik says:

And yes I would put Guitar Symphony on the same level, as well as another track that I will mention later on.

Dynamic Emotion says:

:D thnx guys

Der Mystik says:

13) As I mentioned before, Guitar Symphony has a good share of remixes, let me mention the artists that did those remixes, *ahem*, "El Aero", "Soren Andrews", "Aqua and Artic", "W & D", "Flickpicker" (Who is behind Flickpicker? he did a tremendous job!), "Peter Feel", " Alexander Khokhlov" and "Djok".

Personally my favorites come from "El Aero" and "Flickpicker". When was this EP signed? Why where so many artists chosen to remix this EP? And most importantly, how big was the feedback on it? Would you say, that "Guitar Symphony" was a success for both the Dj's opinion and the fans?

Di says:

Here here

Shadowfall says:

The feedback is still incredible, and the response overall has been amazing, from Djs and fans alike.

Di says:

Yuriy when did we sign you? I forget.

Der Mystik says:

haha

Not so good on permanent memory eh?

Di says:

nope

That's why we have Yuriy haha

Dynamic Emotion says:

When we signed it I looked immediately for remixers for our works))) I tried to offer some good and big name producers for it)) but they say - No! So I just offer my friends who do not big skills with producing but have a lot of motivation ... And

Di will help me with another like Soren, Peter Feel, Sovve ... I just doind't expect that all guys would do a job so well ...

Di says:

Ahhh but they did :D

Dynamic Emotion says:

Flickpicker is the young man from Russia))

Di says:

:D

Dynamic Emotion says:

Also known on EPT like Copycat))

Der Mystik says:

Is he new as well?

Dynamic Emotion says:

Yes he is from W&D's The Stars release.

Der Mystik says:

ahh ok

Di says:

"The Stars" was just released last week as well.

Dynamic Emotion says:

He's a newbie.

Der Mystik says:

Well give him my personal congrats on such a flowing remix.

Dynamic Emotion says:

I will

Der Mystik says:

They all did very good though.

Di says:

As always we have new talent. Its nice to be able to say we have first releases here and they started here - they all need a place to go and that's why we're here.

Der Mystik says:

It was a nice package, full of variety and what I like the most in a trance track..... Guitars.

Cj Peeton says:

Yeah. Lovely guitars

Dynamic Emotion says:

:D

Shadowfall says:

Guitar was sorely missed in trance for a long time; it's good to see more and more these days.

Di says:

Yeah Yuriy you're a hit

hehe

Dynamic Emotion says:

It's all because of Max .

Der Mystik says:

Speaking of guitars.. Which is the track where Shadowfall played the guitar, but he was not mentioned in the title of it? And it was released recently or maybe he was I don't remember.

Shadowfall says:

There are a couple coming up... but the only tracks so far that I have played guitar on that have been released were on "The Ten Phases Of Di" album.

Der Mystik says:

ahh ok.. oops

Shadowfall says:

Coming soon though.

Der Mystik says:

14) There was another release, not by Dynamic Emotion, nor by Cj Peeton, but one artist that is not participating in this interview, which I picked as the tune of July. The song's title is "Sudden Fall", it was also released by Elliptical Recordings, and it was produced by "Orange". So Di and Stack, wouldn't you agree that "Sudden Fall" is a magical progressive tune? And what can you tell us about "Orange"?

Di says:

Absolutely!! Victor does amazing work and he started out here as well

His first release with us was "Exclusive Thoughts" with Moi on Vox and then from there he branched off and became the Prog producer you hear today. Orange has evolved beautifully in his art, and I am always pleased to hear what he creates next.

Shadowfall says:

Orange has gone through an amazing metamorphosis as an artist, from almost strictly uplifting to where he is now.... "Sudden Fall" is the true maturation of Victor as an artist... we can't wait to hear what comes next.

Di says:

The bass line in "Sudden Fall" is Hypnotizing for me!

Der Mystik says:

Everything in that song is hypnotizing.

It's damn good.. perfect to be my number 1 tune for July. Der Mystik recommends it.

Shadowfall says:

And is every bit as hypnotic.

Di says:

Actually "Bounty" is next .

You'll love that one too, but no letting the cat out yet, we're still gathering remixers for that one.

Dynamic Emotion says:

And remixes for bounty is coming.

Di says:

But of course.

Shadowfall says:

Thanks for the recommendation... a very nice choice .

Der Mystik says:

15) Stack, Oboist, Guitar Player, Audio Engineer, Dj/Producer, did I leave anything out?

Anything that you'd like to promote? , (oh yeah did I mention that Stack produces under "Shadowfall" alias? haha) what is your most recent stuff? Tell us a bit about this side of you as of now.

Shadowfall says:

I am doing a few remixes to get my electronic jones up... the latest actual being a roktronik remix of an upcoming Cj Peeton single release.

Der Mystik says:

whoohooo

Cj Peeton says:

yeah. It sounds really well.

Shadowfall says:

thx bro

Der Mystik says:

You played it at Cosmic Eclipse last week or so right?

Cj Peeton says:

2 weeks ago

I think

Shadowfall says:

It was about two weeks ago.

Der Mystik says:

That is correct.

Shadowfall says:

And everyone seemed to like it quite a lot

so I am pretty excited about that one.

Der Mystik says:

I'm glad for ya! It is time for the Fall of Shadows to rise.

Di says:

hehe ,nice intro ,gotta do it.

Shadowfall says:

the Fall of Shadows..... hmmm sounds like a good EP title

Der Mystik says:

there you go.. 20 bucks for the idea bud.

haha

Everybody laughs

Di says:

HE pays.

Der Mystik says:

16) Di aka Aeriah, Dj, Vocalist, Producer, Comedian... Jingle Maker, President/CEO of Elliptical & Andromeda, Web Designer, Actress, Playboy Bunny... no I'm kidding in the last one. Diana, you are like a piñata, full of many little things.

As a vocalist, you've worked with respected producers such as "Orjan Nilsen", "Angel Ace", "Robert Vadney" and Cj Peeton who is with us in this interview, would you like to tell us both of you (Cj and Aeriah) what is the name of the track, what can we expect from this title and if it is available at the stores right now?

Cj Peeton says:

:D

the title is a good question

Di says:

Haha no its not released yet, I'm still working on it.

Cj Peeton says:

idontknowwhatthellcanbethetitle .

I think that was it

Der Mystik says:

:)

Dynamic Emotion says:

make it shortly)) like abbreviature

Di says:

Yeah we haven't actually gotten that far yet cause I've been too busy with other productions - but CJ sent over an amazing piece.

Dynamic Emotion says:

:D

Di says:

hehe

Der Mystik says:

makeanyonereaditbeforebuyingitandseewhathappens.

Dynamic Emotion says:

:D

Cj Peeton says:

:D

Di says:

HAHAHAHA "Love's Tapestry" is the title - fyi CJ haha

Cj Peeton says:

cool

Shadowfall says:

ah ha!!! An exclusive news break!!

Di says:

haha CJ is now finding this out btw

ha

Der Mystik says:

And it was right here at Honorable Mentions.

Di says:

:D

Der Mystik says:

17) Di, as a vocalist or as a producer, who other artists would you like to work with? And why?

Di says:

Jaren no doubt - she is a great talent and seems like a real person not a cheek kisser - I like her mentality and her style which reminds me a lot of what I did when I was singing folk and rock ballads. Fame doesn't seem to have taken over her head - and she doesn't kiss ass to get released so I have a lot of respect for her in that.

Dynamic Emotion says:

kiss ass for release

Di says:

yap

Der Mystik says:

We don't want to get to that

Shadowfall says:

There are many who do "whatever it takes"

Der Mystik says:

I'm sure we all know who we are talking about

Di says:

yaaaas we do

LOL

Cj Peeton says:

yesa lot of artists

Der Mystik says:

So Jaren, I don't know who is Jaren but I will find out soon

any others?

Di says:

You will love her work, she is VERY good.

Shadowfall says:

When you do, you will find her to be a tremendous vocalist

Dynamic Emotion says:

I like Jaren's Vocal work too

Der Mystik says:

What is her style.

Shadowfall says:

She is a trancer.

Dynamic Emotion says:

She sings for trance artists .

Shadowfall says:

mezzo soprano.

Der Mystik says:

amazing

Di says:

Morgan Page & Lizzie is good

I like her tone

Dynamic Emotion says:

Jaren is Cerf Metiska wife

<http://www.discogs.com/artist/Jaren> .

Der Mystik says:

So far you've mentioned vocalists, so I think your priorities now are to collaborate (if possible), with your role as a producer then?

Di says:

No vocals are my main love; production is something I need a lot of work on, but my partner Blufeld will allow me to continue on with that passion. As far as producers, you know I like who I work with now actually. They never cease to amaze me, but if I had to choose someone out of the vast family we're a part of I would have to say Markus Schulz. Not only is he is a great guy personally but I really respect his work, he is a wonderful musician.

Shadowfall says:

That would be a wonderful collab.

Di says:

Indeed

Cj Peeton says:

Yes he is great.

Shadowfall says:

Absolutely.

Di says:

But my boys always come through for me, so I don't have to look far. :D

Cj Peeton says:

:D

We keep you always busy .

Di says:

Yes you guy do CJ, and I'll be doing a full array of tracks with my newest guy Blufeld. We're working on an Album and a single called "Serene" right now.

Der Mystik says:

so.. Who is Blufeld?

Di says:

He is a producer that I met through Sovve (a Progressive Trance Artist that has done some great remixes for us). Blufeld heard my track with Douglas Hazelwood "Since I've Missed You", and liked the sound of my voice and thought it would fit perfectly with his style and contacted me on my MySpace. We then began talking on MSN. He is from the South UK area and we are going to be doing a full collab called Blufeld & Di present "Overflow" I will actually be able to have hands on with him in the production area.

Der Mystik says:

So the plans are for several tracks then?.

Di says:

Yes

Shadowfall says:

A full album

Di says:

8 to 9

Der Mystik says:

Wow!

Di says:

We'll be talking to him tonight on CE - how's that for a segue?

Der Mystik says:

So Blufeld style is mostly progressive? or what?

Di says:

Yes, He sent me some amazing tracks - very soulful and emotional so this is going to be a damn fine release I think.

Shadowfall says:

He also produces trance under the name of Solarized.

Di says:

Actually he has many that I can't remember right now - he has a few names he uses for his different moods and styles.

Der Mystik says:

Well.. I'm wishing you the best of luck with this challenging project Di, let's hit the next question shall we?.

Cj Peeton says:

yaa

Der Mystik says:

Yuriy has to leave for the day, so we all thank Yuriy for joining us today.

Dynamic Emotion says:

Thnx to U Der Mystik.

Di says:

bye sweetie

Dynamic Emotion says:

I enjoy the interview Bye all .

Shadowfall says:

take care Yuriy.

Cj Peeton says:

take care mate.

Der Mystik says:

Ok, back to Cosmic Eclipse

I have tuned in to listen and I can tell everyone that is reading this right now, this show is not like the regular continuous 2 hour mix set, but it is done like the FM Radio shows, there is quality Trance music involved, laughs, Music Industry news, little gossips and phone interviews.

Di says:

yay woot woot

Der Mystik says:

18) They also often invite "Janice", who is she? or what she does? is unknown, but she is always in for good a laugh. When was Cosmic Eclipse created? Has it always been live?.

Shadowfall says:

Cosmic Eclipse is on its 62nd episode now, and has always been live.

Di says:

We love Janise Bobanis.

Der Mystik says:

Me too.

Cj Peeton says:

yes we do .

Di says:

hehe

Shadowfall says:

The character of Janis was actually created to do traffic at the FM station we were at, and everyone loved her so much that we brought her along for the ride on CE. Her "bong water recipes" are a great part of what makes CE a different kind of entertaining program.

Der Mystik says:

So she is not an actual person, but someone playing her.

Di says:

lol

Shadowfall says:

Someone yes

hehe

Di says:

She is my 85 year old alter ego and probably what I would be like if I was single - rich and old.

Shadowfall says:

Janis is only 75 .

Der Mystik says:

hahaha

Di says:

oh right lol

Der Mystik says:

Cosmic Eclipse, ladies and gents, is the show that should be syndicated to every single net station in the world. Look at me I never tune in for shows not until CE.

Cj Peeton says:

That's true.

Di says:

CE started as Stack n Di In Overdrive - and evolved into what we do today - always interaction with the listeners on MSN or the chat room - always live and always fun times.

Shadowfall says:

We wanted to do a show that showcased our releases and our media partners in a way that was not stuffy and could hold interest.... CE was a way for us to do what we love to do, personality radio while still giving support.

Der Mystik says:

The question is...would Stack and DI be interested in syndicating it?

Di says:

It is actually .

Shadowfall says:

We already are, and would love to expand.

Der Mystik says:

Where?

Di says:

We're on FM Sierras - Pirate FM - ProClubbinFm

- Friday Harbor FM – and New FM

Der Mystik says:

Are these real FM Radios?

Or net as well?

Di says:

yes

FM and Inet

Shadowfall says:

FM Sierras is in La Calera Argentina with Cordoba coverage, Friday Harbor is in Buenos Aires and Linclon... both FM. Pirate FM is also both in Chios Island Greece and New FM is in Salta.

Der Mystik says:

You've talked about the possibility of expanding the length of the show, but that would be an issue for FM programming.

Shadowfall says:

It could be an issue yes for all but FM Sierras

The Future [Last Segment]

19) To all, Di, Shadowfall and Cj Peeton. Where do you see yourselves in 10 years?

Di says:

Dead haha

Shadowfall says:

haha

Cj Peeton says:

nooo way

Di says:

lol

Der Mystik says:

haha

Di says:

You first CJ we have to think on this one

Der Mystik says:

If the 2012 myth is truth... yeah

Cj Peeton says:

My way is very simple. Life without music is nothing, so I will keep doing the same.

Shadowfall says:

I echo that

Der Mystik says:

No echoes allowed :P.

Di says:

Traveling I hope, still singing God willing, and hearing the most amazing music I have ever heard as the technology evolves. EPT and ADR will be on the top of the heap and everyone will be gigging, living life comfortably and smiling the whole time.

Shadowfall says:

Music has always been a part of my life.... I can't see myself doing anything that was not music related... I would like to think that we would be still doing what we are doing now, but maybe on a much larger scale.

Der Mystik says:

fair enough.

20) You've mentioned gigging, any Gigs planned for the near future?

Shadowfall says:

There have been offers, but nothing concrete as of yet... but we are looking to do many things.

Cj Peeton says:

I have a few gigs in this year, but all of them just little clubs.

Di says:

As far as we know we'll be touring with Orjan Nilsen for his Album release. Stack will be playing Guitar and I'll be singing of course. Not yet confirmed but from what Orjan said its going to happen. I'll be singing on the opening intro track for the release and Stack will be doing guitar work.

Cj Peeton says:

I will look forward to that .

Di says:

Me too

Der Mystik says:

That is great news, and totally news worthy.

Shadowfall says:

So will we... it will be amazing.

Di says:

:D

Cj Peeton says:

hopefully you'll come to Europe for a gigthen I can go there .

Di says:

I hope so too.

Shadowfall says:

We hope so to... we have so many friends we have yet to meet.

Der Mystik says:

Hopefully you'll come to LA or Vegas, this time I will not miss it like I missed Robert Vadney's performance at Las Vegas, last month.

Di says:

Yeah it was amazing

I cried .

Der Mystik says:

haha

I would have freaked out. Cause he did play one of your songs right?

Di says:

I did when he played his remix of my song "And So It Goes"

It was just incredible yes, I was crying like a little baby.

Cj Peeton says:

:D

"And So It Goes"

Shadowfall says:

yes.... "And So It Goes" is going to be Di's first release as a producer, and I think it is amazing.

Di says:

Robert calls it - She's Slow But She Goes. That's always a saying I say to him haha.

Der Mystik says:

haha

speaking of future.

Der Mystik says:

21) Will we see another Vadney's release at Andromeda/Ellipticall?

Di says:

You never know - Paul has him pretty busy but he never forgets his roots or his family so... it's possible. Anything is possible where Vadney is concerned,

He's full of surprises. :D

Der Mystik says:

yeah.. Another piñata

Shadowfall says:

To say the least.

Di says:

lol yes

Der Mystik says:

hehe

Two last questions to close this feature

22) Shadowfall mentioned to do what you are doing on a larger scale, that is in every field I suppose, so what is the next big step for Andromeda to get to that point?

Shadowfall says:

I would think the next big step depends mostly on others.... since we are already pumping out what we feel is very good product, the support from others will make all the difference.

Di says:

Getting the love we have from Beatport is helping as well so... we hope that continues. They've been great about featuring our releases lately A LOT so we hope that continues and means good things

Der Mystik says:

ok

And it will continue as long as you keep it up, you are doing a terrific job.

Shadowfall says:

We appreciate it a lot, hearing that from someone we respect means a great deal.

Di says:

Yes thank you for your support as well Der Mystik, it is much appreciated. :D

My imagery friend

Der Mystik says:

You sound like Janis

Di says:

:D Not Moi

Der Mystik says:

Hahahaha ok last question to close this amazing feature.

Di says:

I'm plugged I have time for a Di interview now .

Der Mystik says:

You guys are so much fun.. But the editing is gonna be a *beep* if we keep on going. (Just kidding).

Di says:

lol

Cj Peeton says:

We just keep busy .

Di says:

Copy paste in Word dude typos gone.

Cj Peeton says:

We like to keep people busy .

Di says:

yaaaas

Der Mystik says:

23) Your space, anything that you'd like to promote, say or shout at, this is your shot.

Di says:

I have to thank my new partner Blufeld (David) for letting me do this project with him, and for it being his idea. I'm really looking forward to having a hands on part in the music and everything is going to be on an even level with this album so it should be a lot of fun not to mention a stunning piece of work.

I thank Stack daily for all kinds of things so I don't have to mention him. And Der Mystik – you already know I thank Rob for getting me to sing again - that's an obvious one haha.

Shadowfall says:

:D. He said promote .

Der Mystik says:

Yes. Your mom, your dad.. skip that , this is not the grammy

Everybody laughs.

Cj Peeton says:

I want to say thx to everyone who gave help to me in my lifeThe list would be soooooooooo freaking long so just thx guys .

Shadowfall says:

I would love for everyone to hear Cosmic Eclipse just one time... every Monday and Wednesday at 8:00pm Chicago time....

Also I would also like for all to look forward to my remix of "And So It Goes" my Cj roktronik remix.... and a couple of upcoming remixes I have coming on Peak Hour Music too....

I would also like to thank Di for her constant inspiration.

Di says:

oh stop it just promote,

Promote.

All laughing again

Shadowfall says:

ok... promoting

haha

Di says:

We actually have so many to thank for some reasons more than others and for different reasons as well, but all in all every critique and every minute of love has all come together in what we call our family, so on that "note" we love them all and we would be very unhappy people without them in our lives.

Shadowfall says:

Cosmic Eclipse is a must though (are you paying attention Sirius/XM?).

Di says:

lol

Way to be a whore Stack ;p

Cj Peeton says:

Listen the weekly fun 1-2U have to .

Di says:

haha

Der Mystik says:

ok.. Actually a last question...

24) Don't you all love Der Mystik?

Di says:

But of course - and your release "America's Magic EP" on ADR was amazing.

Shadowfall says:

Cj still has to be a whore.

Der Mystik says:

haha

Di says:

You're having too much fun Der Mystik

haha

Cj Peeton says:

:D

Shadowfall says:

To be honest, I love everything I have heard from Der Mystik... would love to work with you sometime.

Di says:

You can hear America's Magic in most of my sets .

Shadowfall says:

And on CE.

Cj Peeton says:

And U will in my show .

Shadowfall says:

YAY

Der Mystik says:

Ok guys, thank you for your time, energy and laughs. This was an exclusive interview with a part of the Andromeda Recordings family. I hope you enjoyed the read, and see you in the next one.