

Roboexotica Linz 2021: Open Call for automated bar culture

The Roboexotica calls for makers and artists who want to show their automated work at this year's festival in Linz, Austria.

What is the Roboexotica?

The first and leading festival on Cocktailrobotics. The festival has been held since 1999 in Vienna and now and then in San Francisco. From September 9 to 12, 2021, parallel to the Ars Electronica Festival, the cultural association [DH5](#) in cooperation with [monochrom](#) will bring Roboexotica to Linz for the first time.

Once a year, technophilic artists from all over the world come together at Roboexotica to present devices that mix cocktails, offer bar snacks, or celebrate bar culture in any other way. Through personal contact with the artists, their machines, and their products, the relationship between human and machine can be recalibrated. Far from industrial utilization and the imperatives of capital, a dash of humaneness still permeates the spirit of those machines.

The festival will be moderated by Johannes Grenzfurthner, transnational *Leitnerd* and founder of monochrom. Mitch Altman, inventor, hacker, and virtual reality pioneer will build a robot during the festival and be part of the panel discussion. As a supporting program, there will be a Nightline in the spirit of the festival and relevant panel discussions with human guests. As every year, the ACRA (Annual Cocktail Robot Award) will be awarded to the best works in various prestigious categories.

Past work for Roboexotica can be eyed here: <http://roboexotica.at/?exhibition2019>

Where will it be?

Roboexotica will take place at the premises of the cultural association DH5, located in the city center at Herrenstraße 5. An open workshop is part of the venue and allows small repairs on the machines if needed. A few participants will also work on new robots there during the festival.

DH5
Herrenstraße 5
4040 Linz
Austria

And When?

From 9 to 12 September 2021.

Thursday	18:00 - 24:00
Friday	16:00 - 24:00 (16:00 -19:00 Panel Discussion)
Saturday	16:00 - 24:00
Sunday	joint lunch for team and participants

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ROBOEXOTICA

ROBOTS
+
ART
+
DRINKS
=
VERY GOOD

MUSIC
+
TALKS
+
MORE DRINKS
=
EVEN BETTER

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