

THE HYBRIS

RELEASE SINGLE 'IMPOSTOR SYNDROME'

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For fans of: Foo Fighters, Billy Talent, My Chemical Romance



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COLOGNE/NICE/L.A. - Jan 13th, 2023. Formed in 2020, THE HYBRIS spent the next years writing and producing their debut album 'Music, Vol. 1', which was released in June 2022. It is a truly international project, the trio lives in Germany, France and the US and writes and produces their music remotely.

"Impostor Syndrome" is the next output of the group, released on Jan 13th, 2023. The song is about a feeling many of us know - not being good enough. Not good enough in your job, not good enough for relationships, not good enough to create anything of value.

It's a dialogue with a well-meaning friend.

"Our music moves between pop, punk, indie rock and alternative rock, I think it sounds some kind of retro. The songs are sometimes quite different, "Impostor Syndrome is a bit more punk than other songs of the band, but we still try to create a consistent, recognizable style. People quickly compare you with existing bands, critics have compared us to bands like Black Rebel Motorcycle Club, The Killers, Billy Talent or Foo Fighters – which is an incredible compliment for us." (Ringo)



ABOUT THE HYBRIS

The HYBRIS is an international Alternative Rock project of three friends. Originally all members lived in Germany, they know each other for many, many years. In the past they played in different combinations in various punk, rock, pop and hardcore bands. Then the trio was spread all over the world for professional or family reasons, today they live in Nice, in L.A. and in Cologne, but still – and more than ever – make music again. They write and produce everything on their own, in a joint virtual recording studio. Every member plays various instruments and contributes what the current piece of music needs.

And why this name? In Greek tragedy 'Hybris' stood for exaggerated self-pride, arrogance, excess of ambition causing the transgressor's ruin. The perfect headline for the age we live in.

Their lyrics often show political attitude – well, rock songs without attitude are crap, right? But why these silly masks? Isn't this mask thing worn out? THE HYBRIS creates their music as Ringo Rabbit, Beanie Bison and Malcolm Mandrill – three wannabe superheroes on a mission to save the world. “We felt like doing something ‘different’. At first it was a stupid idea, but meanwhile we think it is pretty cool.”

Some suspect, they want to make themselves more interesting than they really are. Others believe it is a smart move – since they're incredibly ugly in real life.

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