VIVIAN PÉREZ
& Luz D’Habana

Afro-Cuban Jazz • Original Music • Stockholm



ARTIST PROFILE

Cuban pianist, composer and bandleader **Vivian Pérez** leads Luz D’Habana, an Afro-Cuban jazz project founded in Havana in 2013 and now based in Stockholm. Her original music brings Cuban and Afro-Cuban rhythmic traditions into dialogue with jazz improvisation and contemporary influences. Piano is at the centre of the ensemble sound, supported by a five-piece format built around guitar, bass, drums and percussion.

CURRENT LINE-UP

Vivian Pérez — Piano, composer, bandleader & artistic director
Felipe Robles — Guitar
Juan Patricio Mendoza — Bass
Víctor Badel — Percussion
Mikael Nilsson — Drums

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VIVIAN PÉREZ
Pianist • Composer • Bandleader

Master's Degree in Music, Universitat Politècnica de València. Licenciatura en Música, specialisation in Dirección Musical de Sonido, Instituto Superior de Arte (ISA), Havana.

LIVE & FESTIVAL PROFILE

Vivian Pérez & Luz D'Habana performs original Afro-Cuban jazz in a concert format that moves between intricate rhythmic interplay, open improvisation, lyrical piano passages and direct, danceable energy. The ensemble has developed its live profile through festivals, cultural events and jazz venues in Sweden and internationally.

SELECTED HIGHLIGHTS

- Stockholm Kulturfestival 2026
- Global Sound Festival
- Selam Festival
- Stockholm Stadsteatern

ARTISTIC DIRECTION

The repertoire is centred on Vivian Pérez's original compositions. Current artistic development explores new ways of integrating Afro-Cuban rhythmic language, piano, improvisation and percussion, including the creative role of batá drums within a contemporary ensemble.



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