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Signal Festival opens Milan Cais's *Gate of Imagination*. SOHN, Róisín Murphy and Röyksopp to play at the Afterparties presented by glo™

Award-winning visual artist and musician Milan Cais is creating an audiovisual installation, *Gate of Imagination*, for the fourteenth edition of Signal Festival. The monumental work brings together sculpture, architecture and digital art, and the public will help shape it through an interactive part of the project. *Gate of Imagination* is one of the artistic interpretations of this year's central festival theme, *Dream On! Dreams and Visions*; the patron of the installation is glo™. Signal Festival is also unveiling the programme of the official Afterparties presented by glo™, which will take place at Prague's SaSaZu club. SOHN, Two Lanes, Róisín Murphy and Röyksopp will perform there. This year's Signal Festival takes place in Prague from 15 to 18 October 2026.

Milan Cais unveiled *Gate of Imagination* yesterday, 23 July, during the *JOIN THE CIRCLE* event at Prague's Žofín. During the interactive presentation, **visitors were able to influence the audiovisual content of the project**. All they had to do was “step” into the projection environment and choose, from among moving fractals and words, those that felt closest to them at that moment and resonated with their dreams and visions. **The selected combinations of words will then serve as the material for the installation's final audiovisual content**, which will come to life during the October festival.

The installation will take the form of **a geometric structure with a glossy black surface that will mirror its surroundings during the day**. Two conical incisions in the object will create openings leading to circular projection surfaces. The Signal Festival organisers will reveal the location of the installation in early September.

“By day, Gate of Imagination will come across as a mysterious object contrasting with its surroundings, but after dark it will come alive through image, light and sound. From the very beginning I designed it to communicate with the architecture of the site while at the same time creating a striking contrast with it. That tension between the two is, for me, an important part of the whole work,” says **the author of the installation, Milan Cais**.

This year too, the Signal Festival experience will be extended by **the exclusive Afterparties presented by glo™**. Every evening **at Prague's SaSaZu club from Friday 16 to Sunday 18 October** will bring a unique atmosphere thanks to a blend of music, digital art and technology. The Friday programme opens with **British producer, composer and singer SOHN**, who has built an international reputation on an emotive fusion of electronics, piano and minimalist production. Alongside his own work, he has also collaborated with artists such as Lana Del Rey, BANKS, Kwabs and Rhye. The same evening will also feature **the German brother duo Two Lanes**, who combine acoustic piano with analogue synthesisers and melodic electronica. Their distinctive sound has won them audiences all over the world, and their work has passed **300 million streams** on streaming platforms.

Saturday evening will belong to Irish singer, songwriter and producer Róisín Murphy, one of the most distinctive figures on the contemporary electronic and dance music scene. A former member of the cult duo Moloko, she has earned a reputation over her solo career as an exceptional performer with an unmistakable voice and an extravagant visual aesthetic. Her sixth solo album *Hit Parade*, produced by DJ Koze, drew enthusiastic responses from critics and fans alike.

The Signal Festival Afterparties presented by glo™ series **culminates** on Sunday 18 October with a performance by the Norwegian electronic duo Röyksopp, who for more than two decades have ranked among the most respected names on the European electronic scene.

Tickets for the Afterparties presented by glo™ will be **available through the Goout ticketing network from 6 p.m. on 29 July 2026**. The organiser recommends securing tickets early – given last year's demand, capacity may not be enough for everyone. This year's Signal Festival 2026 takes place in Prague from 15 to 18 October 2026.

About Signal Festival:

Signal is a festival of digital and creative culture. It brings together contemporary visual art, urban space and modern technology. It has become the most visited cultural event in the Czech Republic. The programme is made up of renowned international and Czech artists working in visual art and light design. Signal Festival is one of the largest producers of contemporary art in the country. It supports the youngest Czech creators and organises accompanying programmes for professional audiences. It collaborates with a wide range of international festivals and cultural institutions. In 2025, the Signal Festival organisers opened Signal Space, the largest gallery of digital art in the Czech Republic, which presents contemporary digital and interdisciplinary art all year round through exhibitions, installations and an accompanying programme. Signal Festival 2026 takes place from 15 to 18 October 2026.

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