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Carsten Höller X Fondazione Prada Present 'Schizophrenic' Night Club for Miami Art Basel Week



the installation will be experienced as a real night club, presenting two combatting spaces image courtesy of fondazione prada

Conceptual artist Carsten Höller *highlights* miami art basel week in a three-night-only collaboration with milan-based arts institution, Fondazione Prada. Titled 'the prada double club miami', the piece is set in a 1920's film studio complex, formerly an ice factory, and comprises of an internal club and an outdoor tropical garden.

The installation continues höller's investigation into two-sidedness and will be experienced by invited guests as a fully functioning nightclub; a live-act that sees a temporary dance hall of two sparring designs: one grey and colorless and the other brightly hued. 'I want guests to feel like they are the only element of color in the monochromatic side that has only greys, blacks and whites, as if a foreign element in a black and white movie', explains Höller. 'and to feel pale in the hyper-polychromatic other side, where the tropics hit a bit too hard.'

Each space is dedicated to showcasing talent, the nightclub hosting international live music acts and DJs, and the tropical garden offering a range of caribbean and south american diasporas from miami. Each performer embodies the oppositional concept behind the project itself with guests and clubbers crossing permeable boundaries to venture into a double dimension and what the collaboration phrase as a 'schizophrenic' journey.