Solid Professor

Canberra-based minimal and bush techno curator—founder of Soliq Records, champion of Australia's psychedelic underground. □□□□

Biography

Solid Professor, also known by his Russian alias Капитан Солид (Kapitan Solid / Captain Solid), is a DJ, music enthusiast, and label founder based in Canberra, Australia, with Russian heritage.

With a passion for electronic dance music spanning over 20 years, he is the founder of Soliq Records, a psytech-inspired and influenced record label specializing in cutting-edge genre-bending psychedelic electronic dance music. Solid Professor is also a resident DJ at Deep Space Entertainment and primarily plays minimal techno, bush techno, and psychedelic techno.

After returning to the music scene following a lengthy break, he has become an active and dedicated contributor to the underground music community, playing at various bush doofs, festivals, club events, and underground parties across Australia. Beyond DJing, Solid Professor runs a music channel on YouTube called “SOLID Professor Music,” hosts the “Prog Is Bullshit” music podcast, interviews artists, films multi-cam DJ sets and performances at various locations, and produces video reports from events.

He also DJs under the alias Liquid Professor, focusing on downtempo and midtempo psychedelic electronic music, particularly psychill, psydub, psybass, psybreaks, and trip-hop. In 2025, he founded Bush Kulture, an arts, music, and entertainment collective promoting and supporting underground electronic music artists and the local scene.

Notable Releases

'2024' – Uncharted Sounds V/A, Vol. 2 (Compilation) – Soliq Records

'2023' – Various artist compilations and releases on Soliq Records

Notable DJ Sets:

'2024' – Guest Mix for The Lektronic Show on Kiss FM Radio

'2023' – Techno, Trains, Trucks & Cranes - Frisson Records Mix

'2021' – Filthy Penthouse - Dark Minimal Techno DJ Set

Full sets available at: https://www.youtube.com/@solidprofessormusic

Gigs & Festivals Played

Dragon Dreaming Festival (Australia)

RUST25 Festival

Soliq Records Stage Takeovers (various locations)

Loose Cannon's 33-hour DJ set event (Bush Kulture, 2025)

The Basement Canberra (Soliq Records pres Uncharted Sounds parties)

Various bush doofs, club events, and underground parties across Australia

News & Media Links

https://soundcloud.com/solidprofessor https://www.youtube.com/@solidprofessormusic https://www.instagram.com/solidprofessor_music https://www.facebook.com/solidprofessormusic https://kissfm.com.au/guest-mix/lektronic-show-guest-mixes-mana-fest-solid-professor-thu-30th-apr-1000am https://bmamag.com/2025/02/12/the-drop-the-worlds-longest-bush-rave-dj-set

Notes

Solid Professor is the founder of Soliq Records and Bush Kulture collective. He is a resident DJ at Deep Space Entertainment and also performs under the alias Liquid Professor for downtempo psychedelic sets. He runs the “Prog Is Bullshit” podcast and is heavily involved in videography for the underground electronic music scene, documenting multicam DJ sets and festival performances. His label Soliq Records launched the “Uncharted Sounds” compilation series, where each artist can only release one original track per volume, ensuring diversity across compilations.

Links to external sites or press kits

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