

LIVE AT



LAUNCHES NEW CROSS-ISLAND MUSIC SERIES CONNECTING JERSEY AND GUERNSEY

International artists, heritage venues and cultural exchange come together across the Channel Islands this summer

A new live music platform connecting Jersey and Guernsey through internationally curated events is launching this summer with two major concerts taking place across the Channel Islands over two days.

For anyone keen to island-hop between the two, there will be an opportunity to enjoy both concerts following a partnership with Islands Unlimited.

Created by producer and festival director Benjamin Levy, LIVE AT aims to position the islands as a cultural bridge between the UK and France through premium live music experiences in exceptional heritage venues.

The series begins on Friday 17th July with legendary British jazz-funk group Shakatak performing at Jersey Opera House, followed by *Live at the Manor* at Sausmarez Manor on Saturday 18th July.

Supported in Guernsey by PWC as the main sponsor, Sure by beyon, Visit Guernsey and the Tourism Management Board, and in Jersey with the partnering with The Jersey Opera House, the initiative combines international touring artists, local talent, food culture and heritage settings to create a distinctive new cultural experience for the islands.

“The Channel Islands are uniquely positioned between Britain and France, and LIVE AT is about creating meaningful cultural connections through music,” says Benjamin Levy.

“We want to bring world-class artists to the islands while helping develop Guernsey and Jersey as exciting creative destinations.”

Exclusive Travel & Ticket Offers

Visitors travelling between the islands can take advantage of exclusive savings when booking their ferry travel alongside LIVE AT concert tickets.

Special Offers

- **Save £20** when booking ferry travel and **one concert ticket**.

- **Save £15 per concert ticket** when booking ferry travel and tickets for **both LIVE AT events**.

Discount codes will be provided following the purchase of ferry travel and can then be redeemed when booking tickets for **LIVE AT The Manor (Guernsey)** and **LIVE AT Jersey Opera House (Jersey)** via the dedicated ticketing links.

This initiative has been designed to encourage audiences to experience both events and to strengthen cultural connections between Guernsey and Jersey through a shared live music programme.

At the newly refurbished and recently reopened Jersey Opera House — one of the Channel Islands' most iconic cultural venues — audiences will have the opportunity to experience a truly special evening headlined by the legendary British jazz-funk group Shakatak, whose international career and timeless hits have made them absolute icons of the genre. This exceptional event celebrates the revival of the historic Opera House with a world-class musical experience in a spectacular setting.

At Sausmarez Manor, audiences will experience an open-air boutique festival featuring internationally recognised acts including Tortured Soul (USE) , legendary French funk collective Malka Family, French-Congolese singer-songwriter Claudia Isaki and Guernsey DJ Oliver Bolger.

Alongside the music, guests will enjoy local and French-inspired food, curated wines and a relaxed family-friendly atmosphere within one of Guernsey's most iconic heritage locations.

The LIVE AT initiative forms part of a broader long-term vision to strengthen cultural, tourism and creative connections between the Channel Islands, France and the UK.

Levy, founder of BL Music , Make music Live , and the Paris New York Heritage Festival in 6 countries , built 25 Festivals worldwide and has worked internationally for more than 30 years with artists including James Brown, Earth, Wind & Fire, Roy Ayers and Fred Wesley... more info : <https://blmusicprod.com/about/>



EVENT INFORMATION


LIVE AT presents: www.makemusiclive.gg



LIVE AT Jersey Opera House” presents Shakatak

 Jersey Opera House


 Friday 17 July 2026

 7:30 PM – 10:00 PM

[Shakatak at Jersey Opera House](#)



 Sausmarez Manor

 Saturday 18 July 2026

 4:00 PM – 10:30 PM

Tickets:

[LIVE AT Ticket Page](#)

International Line-Up

Tortured Soul

The Brooklyn-based collective has earned a global reputation for redefining house music through fully live instrumentation. Blending deep house, soul and live performance energy, Tortured Soul have performed more than 1,000 concerts worldwide and remain one of the most respected live acts on the international groove scene.

Malka Family

French funk legends Malka Family bring their explosive fusion of P-Funk, jazz and cosmic groove to Guernsey. Known for theatrical performances, powerful brass sections and cult status across Europe, the collective represents one of France's most iconic live funk experiences.

Claudia Isaki

London-based Claudia Isaki blends soul, indie rock and R&B influences into deeply personal and emotionally rich performances. Her appearance at the Manor introduces Channel Islands audiences to one of the most promising emerging voices on the contemporary UK-French scene.

Oliver Bolger

Opening the evening, Guernsey DJ Oliver Bolger will showcase the island's own creative energy through an eclectic warm-up inspired by jazz, soul, funk and underground dance music.

