

Cosmic Soul Collective is an evolving electro-funk collective from Helsinki, Finland. The founding members were Darth Phader and Riitta Leivo. They explored the intersection of Jazz and electronic dance music, and were then joined by Joachim Fomin, a conscious hip-hop poet. The trio was expanded to a quartet with world-rekowned trumpeter Mika Mylläri from MQM, and then to a quintet with pianist Tuula Pulkki joining.

The sound of Cosmic Soul Colletive is a modern blend of electronic and jazz influences geared toward dance audiences. Electronic rhythms of Darth Phader are joined by soul & jazz vocals, classical and jazz piano, avant-garde trumpet & hard-hitting lyrical flow of rhythmically accented poetry.

The collective keeps on expanding. New and featuring members may or may not be coming to a gig near you!