

SPEEDMEETINGS SUBSCRIPTION FORM

COMPANY : **NOVA et VETERA**

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Describe your company in a few words :

Currently based in Medellín and Bogotá, Santiago Gardeazábal is a multifaceted cultural promoter, producer, manager, agent, and founder of the company Nova et Vetera. Nova has produced over 100 concerts in Colombia, featuring artists such as John Zorn and Mike Patton, for the first time in the region. He was the founder of El Anónimo, one of the most renowned cultural spots in Bogotá for adventurous programming, producing over 1200 concerts in 11 years, and contributing to the exposure of local bands such as Meridian Brothers, Bomba Estéreo and Velandia y la Tigra. He produced Juan Pablo Carreño's cinema concert Garras de Oro in March 2015 with the French ensemble Le Balcon. An advocate for Colombian music, Santiago initiated different concert series in some of the most prestigious concert halls in his country. He is the creator of Colombia Raíz, a series to showcase underexposed traditional music from all corners of Colombia, to the historic Teatro Colón of Bogotá. He also created a new series, where three distinguished international modern music string quartets (Arditti, Jack and Voce) released works by Colombian composers of recent generations. Nova et Vetera brought the John Zorn Masada Marathon to Latin America for the first time, an event that took place in Bogotá in October 2015. Santiago has been an essential link between international and Colombian artists, fostering exchanges between musicians of different scenes from all over the world. He is currently representing some of the most exciting new talents from abroad in Colombia and from Colombia to other countries.

Which project would you like to present during your speedmeeting sessions :

In 2016 Nova et Vetera will work in different projects as :

1. Contemporary Music Festival : Quintet Hubbub, Michael Levinas, Estreilla Quartet, Ensemble Itineraire, Ryoji Ikeda, I.C.P Orquesta, John Zorn, Haydee Schwartz
2. String Quartet second season : commissions for colombian composers will be performed by Jack Quartet, Lutoslawsky Quartet, Quatuor Bela, Aviv String Quartet among others.
3. Premiere for Three thousand Rivers Opera by Angolean composer Victor Gama: Lisbonne, Gulbenkian Foundation May and Teatro Colón in Bogotá. July 2016.
4. Bestia Festival : Swans, Simulacrum Trio, Cleric, Secret Chiefs