

# BRISTEIL

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Bristeil is a unique independent band in the intelligent rock style! The first music video [out now!](#)

The band has an extensive [back catalogue](#) goes from the mostly English indie-rock and power-pop *Hair Peace Salon* times. Since 1998 this band was on stage with a worthy success story, but in the mid of 2013 its frontman *Aleh Vial* (guitar, vocal) and *Alex Stepanovich* (drums) decided to



make a new music chapter by themselves. Shortly after that two other members joined to Bristeil: *Max Bykau* (lead guitar) and *Gena Lukashanets* (bass).

The band name follows Eric Johnson's song "*Bristol Shore*" and a collaboration between *Aleh Vial* and the world-famous musician and producer *Tricky* from *Bristol, UK*. Musicians just have corrected band's name to "Bristeil" in order to not get lost among countless web-links.

*"Bristeil, perhaps, is a some definite place, perhaps, there is good, but the one thing is exactly clear to us: MUSIC and SOUL are into that,"* so musicians say about their band name.

In May, 2014 Bristeil released their first EP called "*Cyruńnia Svietu*" (Barbershop of the World into English). This record represents music results of six months work. All four tracks were written in Belarusian – the native language for all musicians. Two tracks on this EP are covers: "*Videa Huńni*" of "*Video Games*" by Lana Del Rey, "*Pa-za Časam*" of "*Out Of Time*" by Hair Peace Salon.

*"Cyruńnia Svietu is a tribute to Hair Peace Salon, because all ideas for music and lyrics on this record came from the Hair Peace Salon times",* remembers the band leader *Aleh Vial*.

EP "*Cyruńnia Svietu*" received some positive journalists reviews and good feedback from listeners. For example, one of the famous music portals in Belarus, Tuzin.fm called this release like *"pleasant, unstrained, lively, intelligent music... a beautiful and worthy debut that is deserved the highest rating"*.

In September 2014 the first music video on the new single "*Muzyka Hučyc'*" (Music Sounds into English) as the *Tricky's "Unfinished Track"* contest winner song was released based on a live studio session footage.

In November 2014 Tuzin.fm [nominated](#) Bristeil to the "**Opening of the Year**" award.

Since April 2015 Bristeil is an [ambassador](#) of The Will Gray Blueprint foundation.

The band is planning to release a lot of new music things soon.

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To stream and download our music materials, please use the following links:

[bristeil.bandcamp.com](http://bristeil.bandcamp.com)

[soundcloud.com/bristeil](https://soundcloud.com/bristeil)

[youtube.com/bristeil](https://youtube.com/bristeil)

## Discography:

2014 – *Cyruńnia Svietu* (EP)

**Bristeil band is:**

*Aleh Vial* lead vocal, guitar

 [@AlehVialic](https://twitter.com/AlehVialic)

 [/vialic](https://www.instagram.com/vialic)

*Max Bykau* lead guitar, backing vocal

 [/maks\\_bukau](https://www.instagram.com/maks_bukau)

*Gena Lukashanets* bass

*Alex Stepanovich* drums

**Technical rider:**

1. Monitor line 1 (guitarist, bassist), monitor line 2 (drummer);
2. 2x vocal microphones on booms + 2x 220V inputs on stage;
3. 1 input for acoustic guitar (D-box);
4. 2x guitar combo (vacuum tube amp, not less than 40W) + instrument microphones, (5+5)x 220V inputs on stage;
5. Bass combo (not less than 40W) or 1 input for a bass combo (D-box) + 5x 220V inputs on stage;
6. Drums kit equipped with microphones: kick drum + tom, floor tom, hi-hat stand, snare stand, 3x cymbal stands, drummer seat, additional 5x 220V inputs for drummer, carpet under drums (2x3 m<sup>2</sup>);
7. Dressing room with 2x 220V inputs;
8. We would be appreciative for potables drinking water, fresh and taste sandwiches.



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[twitter.com/bristeil](https://twitter.com/bristeil)

[youtube.com/bristeil](https://youtube.com/bristeil)

[instagram.com/bristeil](https://instagram.com/bristeil)

Social fans links:

[vk.com/bristeil](https://vk.com/bristeil)

[facebook.com/groups/bristeil](https://facebook.com/groups/bristeil)

Wikipedia:

[wikipedia.org/wiki/bristeil](https://wikipedia.org/wiki/bristeil)

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