OFFICIAL ARTIST MATERIALS

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BIOGRAPHY

Jiang Wei was born in 1982 in a small village in Qinggang County, Heilongjiang, China, and moved to Harbin with his parents at around ten. An independent musician and composer, he founded bRoKeN in 2000 and moved to Beijing in 2003. He returned to Heilongjiang in 2010, briefly considering leaving music, before returning to Beijing in 2013. He has toured China annually since 2016.

ARTIST STATEMENT

Limitations are central to my work. I choose hardware synthesizers for their limitations rather than their power. Instead of browsing thousands of presets, I prefer to use human creativity to drive an instrument with limited functions. I am drawn to randomness and the sonic character of instruments. I dislike overly polished music, but do not deliberately manufacture roughness.

What I seek is not the unlimited potential of the tool, but human creativity within limitations.

PROJECTS

bRoKeN / 2000–present	Alternative rock. Vocalist and songwriter.
PUPA / 2025	Ten-track solo electronic album, composed and produced independently in 2024.
Darkfield / 2025–present	Experimental electronics with rock foundations; hardware and band instrumentation.
Solo hardware live	In development.

SELECTED DISCOGRAPHY

2005	bRoKeN	翅膀.方向	Album
2014	bRoKeN	给你的歌	Single
2015	bRoKeN	通利福尼亚	EP
2025	Jiang Wei	PUPA	Album
2026	Darkfield	定风波	Album
2026	bRoKeN	对齐	Single

SELECTED LIVE

2000	Harbin — bRoKeN debut
2005 & 2021	MIDI Music Festival
2016–present	Annual China tours
April 2025	UK — London, Manchester, Glasgow
2026	China — Ten-city tour