

SIA'S THIS IS ACTING AVAILABLE TODAY 1/29 EVERYWHERE



What the press is saying about THIS IS ACTING:

"On 'Alive' and 'Space Between,' Sia sings bloody murder in a way that surpasses her performances on even the more lyrically painful tracks she's written for herself in the past. In the end, it feels totally apt that no one but Sia should sing these songs. The record cements an effect she's been having on pop music ever since she began writing for major stars in 2009...they push the limits of your expectations, eschewing perfection in favor of representing the emotions at the heart of the song with unapologetic rawness.

– **The Fader**

"a fascinating study in what it's like to live life imagining yourself in someone else's artistic shoes...if this is acting, it's the kind of performance that hits as hard as life itself." - **Rolling Stone**

"Sia's unabashed aim is uplift, and her feel for sing-along-until-your-neighbor-bangs-on-the-radiator hooks rarely falters."- **Entertainment Weekly**

"Sia's most prized songs aren't just exercises in craftsmanship; they find some emotional truth." - **NY Times**

"Sia's pop anthems will have the other artist she originally wrote them for...kicking themselves for letting them get away. It swings from the marching 'Reaper' to the flying 'Unstoppable,' in which she preens, 'I'll win every single game.' Exactly." – **Us Weekly**

"She conveys liberty, stamina, agony, yearning, and devotion...an album filled with riveting pomp and circumstance." - **Consequence of Sound**

"Sia isn't so much a recording artist, she's a recording art movement....By day, she is a guiding force for more extroverted major-label superstars; by night she's defying their existence by singing the same songs in a way the commercial landscape never realized it was ready for."- **Spin Magazine**

(New York – January 29, 2015) Singer/songwriter/producer/massive hitmaker **Sia** today releases her highly-anticipated new album **THIS IS ACTING** (Monkey Puzzle Records/RCA Records).

Sia performed on "The Tonight Show Starring Jimmy Fallon" ([click here](#) to watch) and this morning on "Good Morning America" ([click here](#) to watch) and will be performing on "The Ellen DeGeneres Show" on 2/2. Sia has previously performed the album's first single "[Alive](#)" on [Saturday Night Live](#), [The Voice](#), and [The Ellen DeGeneres Show](#) and is scheduled to perform her first full US live show in 5 years at Coachella.

Yesterday, **Sia** launched a custom Bitmoji to coincide with the release of her new album, where users can add Sia's signature iconic wig as their own personal avatar. Fans can share images of their Sia avatar on social media using #SiaThisIsBitmoji. Download the bitmoji app [HERE](#).

Sia worked with longtime collaborator/producer Greg Kurstin on ***THIS IS ACTING***, along with Adele, Kanye West, Jack Antonoff, Tobias Jesso, Jr., Jesse Shatkin, Christopher Braide, and many more (find full album credits below).

The video for "[Alive](#)" has enjoyed millions of views and stars 9 year old Japanese child actress/dancer Mahiro Takano. The video was directed by Sia and Daniel Askill, the same creative team behind the videos for "Chandelier," "Elastic Heart" and "Big Girls Cry." "Chandelier" crossed 1 billion views in December.

Sia recently released her *Alive Remixes* EP featuring tracks from Maya Jane Coles, AFSHeeN, Boehm, Cahill and Plastic Plates. The Plastic Plates remix has been climbing the HypeMachine charts, peaking at #2 on the Popular chart.

Sia released her #1 charting, critically-acclaimed, and gold-certified album ***1000 FORMS OF FEAR*** (Monkey Puzzle Records/RCA Records) in July 2014, which features her massive breakthrough singles "Chandelier" and "Elastic Heart." The groundbreaking video for "[Chandelier](#)" has enjoyed over an unprecedented 1 billion views and its follow-up video "[Elastic Heart](#)" with over 520 million views.

An astonishingly creative and uncompromising performer, Sia is also a highly prolific hit maker and songwriter, having penned several hit singles over the last few years for others. She has crafted songs for pop icons including Rihanna ("Diamonds"), Katy Perry ("Double Rainbow"), Britney Spears ("Perfume"), Kelly Clarkson ("Invisible"), Carly Rae Jepsen ("Making the Most of the Night"), Beyoncé ("Pretty Hurts") and Celine Dion ("Love Me Back To Life"), and many more. Sia has also been the featured vocalist on some of the most massive hits she has written for others including "Titanium" with David Guetta, "Beautiful Pain" with Eminem, and "Wild Ones" with Flo Rida. Additionally, Sia was nominated for a Golden Globe for the song "Opportunity" from the 2014 adaptation of the Broadway musical "Annie."

Link to video for "Alive": <http://smarturl.it/SiaAliveVid>

Album cover art and more available at www.rcarecordspress.com

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THIS IS ACTING track listing and credits:

Bird Set Free (written by Sia Furler, Greg Kurstin - prod. by Greg Kurstin)

Alive (written by Sia Furler, Adele, Tobias Jesso Jr. - prod. by Jesse Shatkin)

One Million Bullets (written by Sia Furler, Jesse Shatkin - prod. by Jesse Shatkin)

Move Your Body (written by Sia Furler, Greg Kurstin- prod. By Greg Kurstin)

Unstoppable (written by Sia Furler and Christopher Braide – prod. By Jesse Shatkin)

Cheap Thrills (written by Sia Furler and Greg Kustin - prod. by Greg Kurstin)

Reaper (written by Sia Furler, Kanye West, Noah Goldstein, Charles Misodi Njapa (88-Keys), and Dom \$olo- prod. by Kanye West, Dom \$olo, Noah Goldstein, 88-Keys, Jesse Shatkin, and Jake Sinclair)

House on Fire (written by Sia Furler and Jack Antonoff – prod. By Jesse Shatkin and Jack Antonoff. Additional production by Jake Sinclair)

Footprints (written by Sia Furler, Tyler Williams, Josh Valle, and Nikhil Seetharam- prod. By T-Minus w/additional production by Josh Valle, Nikhil Seetharam, and Jesse Shatkin)

Sweet Design (written by Sia Furler, Greg Kurstin, Mark Andrews, Robi Rosa, Joseph Longo, Tim Kelley, Bob Robinson, Desmond Child and Marquis Collins – produced by Greg Kurstin)

Broken Glass (written by Sia Furler, Jasper Leak, and Jesse Shatkin- prod. by Jesse Shatkin)

Space Between (written by Sia Furler and Christopher Braide- prod. by Cameron Deyell)

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