## FRANCESCA LONGRIGG WITH BEN CHAPMAN



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## EP now available on iTunes and Spotify

- 1. Rain 5.01
- 2. Spirit (Summer Haze) 3.12
- 3. Ping Pong 3.48

Francesca Longrigg is an accomplished singer songwriter who has released her own albums 'Dark' and 'True Noise' alongside a multitude of collaborations both in London and New York, including with the Canadian act Delerium, the reggae artist Floyd Lloyd and Keith Le Blanc from Tackhead.

One of her collaborators is the DJ Ben Chapman, and the two, being long term friends and admirers of each other's work, combined forces to make the new EP entitled PODD.

In PODD, Francesca combines her sultry vocals with Ben Chapman's groove orientated production to create a fresh chill out sound, with an atmospheric mix of classic song writing weaving through Ben's driving beats.

The EP begins with the upbeat but heartfelt 'Rain' and is followed by the song 'Spirit (Summer Haze)'. 'Spirit' is a bouncy rhythmic track with very quirky lyrics and a catchy melody. Finally 'Ping Pong', the most atmospheric and melancholy track, finishes off this unique and haunting body of work.

After years of DJing in and around London, Ben made the move to studios as a Tape Op at the Point in Victoria, where he worked with and for a multitude of different artists.

Whilst he was working there he met with the rap artist Silver Bullet and went on to produce the tracks 'Bring Forth The Guillotine' and '20 Seconds To Comply'.

Ben became very much in demand as part the new breed of technology based dance producers and remixers, with Mixmag quoting him as 'doing more mixes than Mr Kipling'.

## Discogs link:

www.discogs.com/artist/14788-Ben-Chapman

Ben has always nurtured his own projects too, performing with others and under many different monikers e.g. 108 Grand, Ramshackle and of course PODD!