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Artist: **ROTHKAMM**  
 Album: *FB02 - Astronaut of Inner Space*  
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Having laid the cornerstone for sci-fi serialism with his early 21st century album "FB01"\*<sup>†</sup>, ROTHKAMM returns after 3 years of labor with "FB02", a *space drama* of Intuitive Future Oriented Retrograde Motion Music (IFORMM).

"FB02 - Astronaut of Inner Space" is a feast for the mind and the ears of anyone interested in the ancient past and utopian future of electronic music as this album manages the dialectic *coup d'état* of greatest accessibility AND infinite complexity. The former is achieved with traces of other-, or shall we say, inner-worldly microtonal melodies and the later through the meticulously researched psycho-cybernetic sound architectures that appear to obey the laws of a parallel universe.

ROTHKAMM premiered the work on Thursday, June 29, 2006 at exactly 9:04 PM on a Manhattan rooftop stage as a 3D view & sound TRIPHONY. Now, with this special CD kit designed for home use, YOU can replicate the experience!

ADVISORY: Headphones or 4.1 speaker installation are recommended for 3D effect. This *Bronze Edition* CD Kit fits in all clear standard jewel cases. *Silver Edition* includes case. *Gold Edition* (limit 33) comes with seal and key to hidden track.

**Frank . Holger @ Rothkamm .com**  
*Occupation:* Polymath *Age:* 41 *Sign:* Cancer  
*Date of Birth:* July 2nd (same as Herman Hesse)  
*Place of Birth:* Gütersloh, Germany (same as Hans Werner Henze) *Residence:* Manhattan (near the Cloisters) *Relations:* married to Nina Schneider, rare books librarian at NYPL.  
*Education:* Acting, Piano & Science of Harmony in Moers with a bit of Bionics & Philosophy in Berlin. *Things you may not know about him:* Appeared in Playboy (1991) *Favorite Haydn Symphony:* 94 *Currently reading:* Max Mathews's *The Technology of Computer Music*  
*On the TV:* Sponge Bob Square Pants *Web:* Rothkamm.com *Quote of the Moment:* "Serialism is the new Punk Rock"

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 † his ideas, his sounds – his music: relentless richness of expression and modulation that you wouldn't think possible.  
 Ingvar Loco Nordin SONOLOCO

- [+] a true worship with the machines.  
Coltraz SONHORS
- [+] highly cerebral - just listen in sheer amazement.  
Guy Montag KFJC
- [+] It's certainly great music.  
Frans de Waard VITAL WEEKLY
- [+] astonishing variety of unusual geometries and movements in the aural space.  
Massimo Ricci TOUCHING EXTREMES
- [+] truly unique digital music, sapping with an air of sci-fi.  
Randy Nordschow NEW MUSIC BOX
- [+] really great and very different than anything i have heard...  
Max Mathews
- [+] Stockhausen might have had such an abundance of sounds in mind when coming back from Paris.  
Gottfried Michael Koenig INSTITUUT VOOR SONOLOGIE
- [+] very starkly beautiful, unique yet connected to the tradition of classic(al) electronic music.  
John Kannenberg STASISFIELD
- [+] extremely listenable - extremely convincing.  
Chris Cutler RER
- [+] austerity gets balanced by a unique and sympathetic kinky-calculated foolishness.  
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