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Artist: Alexander Church
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ALEXANDER CHURCH

Track 01. HEDONIA 06:24
Track 02. GOOD VS PURPOSE 05:50
Track 03. EUIDAMONIA 05:25
Track 04. INNER CHILD 05:48

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Alexander Church offers up the inaugural release on his configurations imprint this January, comprising four originals from the Northern-England based artist.

Alex Church : *"Configurations of self is a series of music and media produced by Alexander Church. The rationale behind the series is based on each piece of music representing emotional responses to the processes feelings and self-awareness of studying psychology and counselling and becoming more aware of the multiple defences behaviours and personality traits I have. Each release will be themed around a particular part of my academic journey and include media to accompany the music*

" The first four configurations were written as part of the process notes post sessions as I worked on a trainee counselling placement at Yorkshire Cancer Support. Working with clients who suffer from cancer has a profound effect on me and providing them a safe place to speak openly about what is going on for them is a truly humbling experience. All images and video related with this release are of rural locations that I like to visit as a means of escapism and self- care."

'Hedonia' leads on the package with dreamy ethereal textures, plucked synths and swirling resonant licks all ebbing and flowing amongst one another whilst a soft, dynamic rhythm further fuels the ever-unfolding groove. 'Good vs Purpose' follows next with bubbling arpeggio lines, chuggy bass and a shuffled drum groove.

Opening the flip-side is 'Euidamonia', stripping things back this time to focus on winding bell chimes, hypnotic synth flourishes and a driving low end before 'Inner Child' rounds out the package, shifting focus to a pulsating bass groove, modulating drums and a vacillating chord sequence.

Alexander Church's 'Configurations001' is out January 2019.

Tracklist:

1. Hedonia
2. Good vs Purpose
3. Euidamonia
4. Inner Child

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