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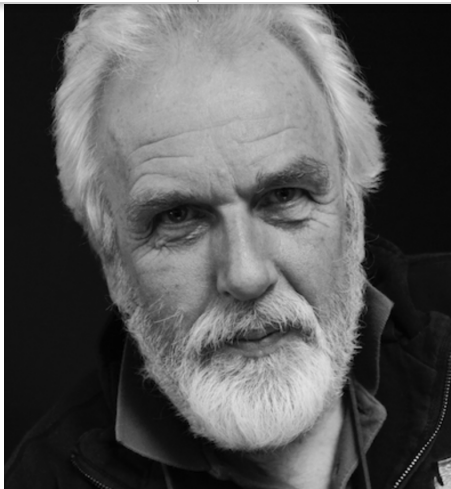**Winter School, Save the Date 6th-10th of January 2020**

January 6th 2020 marks the beginning of our third Winter School Event!
This week long celebration of innovation and learning in sound design and technology promises to be even more packed with exciting content, so save the date and stay tuned for more information on what the Winter School has in store.

Another date to save is for our **New Year Drinks**. We will be getting together on **January 10th**, after Winter School has finished for the day. The time and venue are yet to be decided, stay tuned for more details.

Seminar with John Leonard

To get you in the mood for Winter School, why not join John Leonard at RADA on November 12th as he introduces you to the history and techniques of ambisonic recording. Find out more and book your place via the [website](#).

From our friends

Last Chance to enter the Pumpkin Challenge!

You have just a few hours left to enter the Back Up Pumpkin Challenge over on Instagram.
Check out the latest entries and like your favourites by searching #backupPumpkinChallenge

Meyer Portable System Deployment Training

It's your last reminder to book your place with Meyer on November 12th in Bedford for a two day training seminar on Portable System deployment. Find out more about

Hardware, software and sounds

Rode NTG5 Boom Mic

[The NTG5](#) from Rode boasts a complete design overhaul, with circular acoustic ports replacing the linear slots found in other shotgun mics. It's shorter and lighter at only 76g, it also has a highly directional super-cardioid polar pattern and RF-bias technology and conformal coating to ensure it works well in all conditions.

Zoom F6

The Zoom F6 is the first professional field recorder to feature both 32-bit float recording and dual AD converters. With 6 inputs, time code, multiple power options and wireless control via the app, the F6 promises to be the only field recorder you'll need, regardless of the situation. Find out more [here](#).

SSL Origins Analogue Desk

As the latest in a long heritage of SSL mixing consoles, ORIGIN has traditional analogue studio workflow at its heart whilst providing the perfect partner for a modern DAW-driven hybrid production studio. Find out more via their [website](#).

Interesting reading

Richard Brooker has been interviewed for the Curtain Call Podcast. Hear his interview and lots of other great editions here.

We were sent an email this week from the lovely people at The Bertha DocHouse, a cinema for documentaries in Bloomsbury. Two films worth checking out are Making Waves and Forman V Forman

Want to waste some time watching silly sound related videos on YouTube? Head to the Museum of Portable Sound's page and find out, amongst other things, what a thunderclap actually is.

ASD Benefits

Vehicle Breakdown Cover from startrescue.co.uk

Do you want one less thing to worry about before your next road trip? Then why not take a look at this breakdown cover benefit from startrescue.co.uk – and make certain you have breakdown cover in place if your eligible vehicle breaks down.*
Log in and check out the ASD Benefits page for more details.

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