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Winter School: Speakers Announced



The **Winter School** is back at **RCSSD** from **January 24-28th**. There are five days of seminars and panel discussions, with each day following a theme, from Sound Effects, Music, Reinforcement, System Design to The Future! Find out more and register [here](#).

AGM

We will meet in the Richardson Room in the National Theatre at 4pm on January 6th for our AGM. All members are welcome. If you have any items you would like to add to the agenda please [email us](#).

Election

If you are interested in joining the board, or running for the position of Chair, Secretary or Treasurer please fill in this [online form](#). The board acts as an advisory and oversight body for the day to day running of the ASD. Nominations will open on the 1st of January and close on the 15th of January. Online voting will commence in February if an election is required.

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PLASA is back in Glasgow from January 18-19th. There are lots of [seminars](#) already confirmed including talks from d&b, Shure and the ASD. Register your place free using this [link](#). We are also looking for volunteers to help run the stand and greet potential members. ASD members who join us on the stand receive up to a year's free membership as a thank you, [Email us](#) for more details.



The Hybrid Library has been updated with a wider range of sound effects, now with over 63,000 sound effects (345GB on a 1TB drive), free annual updates, and a 1 year trial of Basehead database software. Use the Partner Priority Code ASD to access a special discount price of \$1,495 (reg. \$3,995) through December 31st. Find out more on the [website](#).

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That Little Box



That Little Box have created a new GO Button. This new model has two USB ports to output MIDI simultaneously to two computers (eg a main and a backup), and an improved Go button. For a limited time you can get a £5 discount with the code MerryPanto. Check out the [website](#) for more information.

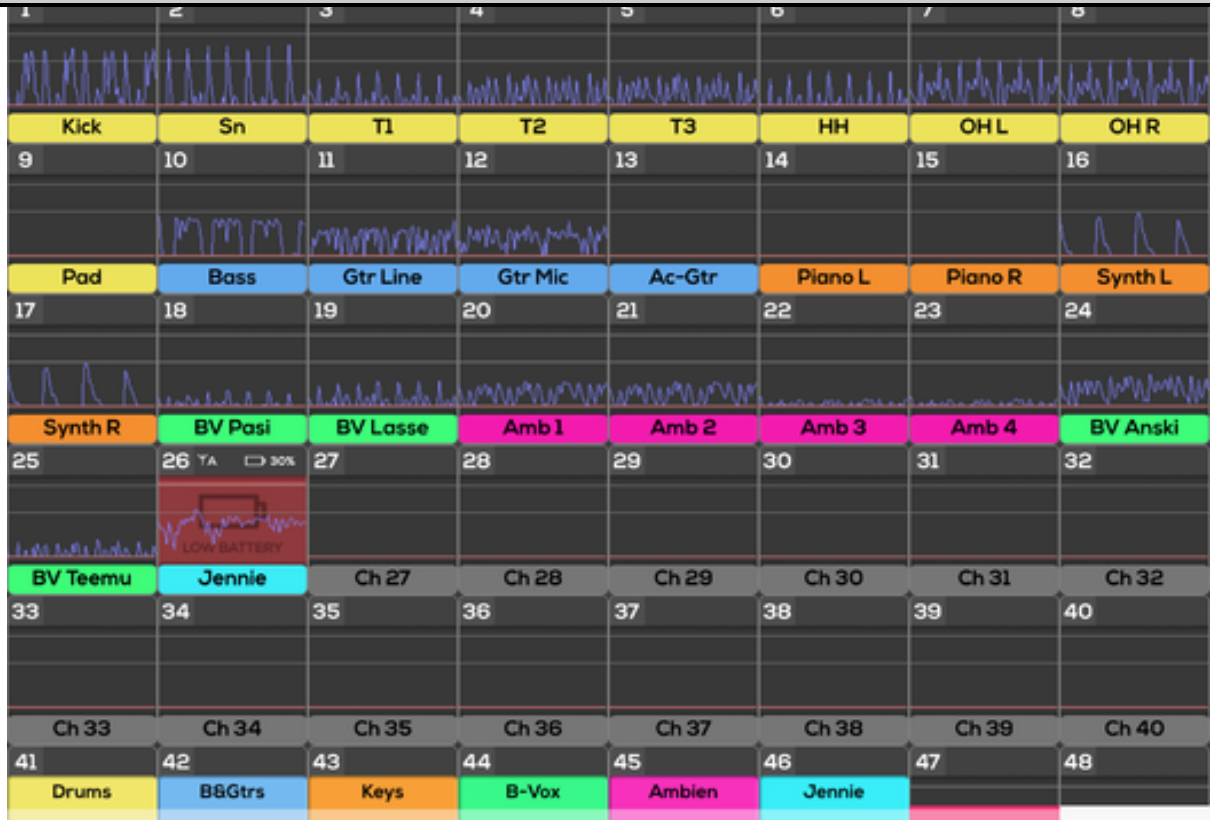
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This software provides a neat way to remotely monitor multiple audio sources (eg radio mics) with a neat algorithm for highlighting audio anomalies. Their [hwebsite](#) is currently down but you can find out more via their [Facebook](#) page.

A Sound Effect



Christmas has come early over at A Sound Effect; sign up to their newsletter and receive

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Interesting Reading

- The BBC used Dante, not copper wire to broadcast the US election this year. Read more about how this differed to their usual methods [here](#).
- Gareth Fry talks about his work on Harry Potter And The Cursed Child with Pro Sound News [here](#).
- Doctors have discovered a way to use sound waves to successfully operate deep within the brain. Read more about this interesting use of sound waves [here](#)

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