

# Kristian Dodd

Studying: BMus Creative Music Technology

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## Personal Profile

A conscientious, honest music technology student who enjoys new challenges. Flexible and confident working independently, or as part of a team and always willing to learn new skills. Friendly and polite with a ready sense of humour. A freelance sound designer and innovator, with various skills including music composition, marketing, music analysis, film production, and experimental audiovisual art.

## Key Skills

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| . Logic Pro X        | . Protools      | . Ableton Live     |
| . Adobe Premiere Pro | . Final Cut Pro | . Marketing        |
| . Adobe Photoshop    | . Live Events   | . Resolume         |
| . Traktor            | . Web Design    | . Musical Analysis |

## Education

(BMus)Creative Music Technology at The University of Huddersfield (2016- Present)

### First Year Modules

Computer Composition 1	(A)
Audiovision in Context	(A)
Recording 1	(A)
Composition 1	(B)
Introduction to Analysis	(D)
Introduction to Music Research	(D)

### Second Year Modules

Composition 2	(B)
Computer Composition 2	(A)
Explorations of World Music 1	(B)
Techniques of Music Analysis 1	(B)
Music for the Moving Image	(B)
Recording 2	(A)

### St Georges VA School (2014 /2016)

3 A level Passes:

Graphic Art	(B)
Music	(C)
Media Studies	(C)

**2014:** 10 GCSE passes, including: Music (A), English Language (B), English Literature (B), Maths (B), RS (B), D&T Graphic Products (B), Geography (B), Science (B), Additional Science (C), German (C)

**Music Theory:** Achieved Grade 6 on Piano with Merit and passed my Grade 5 Theory. (June 2015)

**Awards/ Achievements:** Arranged and conducted a piece for St George's Annual Inter House Music Competition. Awarded first place for leading the orchestra. (October 2015)

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## Industry Experience:

**HCMF:** Volunteered at the Huddersfield Contemporary Music Festival, helping set up microphones and sound systems for different events. (November 2017)

**Electric Spring Festival:** Performed at Electric Spring Festival, where I created soundscapes using foley as part of an art installation titled: 'Abiogenesis Begins with a Single Step on the Road to Nowhere'. (February 2017)

**Memphis:** Shadowed the Musical Director for the musical *Memphis*, where I learned how a director leads his orchestra during a musical. Gained experience using a sound desk. (June 2016)

**Molinare:** Worked as a runner for *Molinare*, a multimedia company based in Soho, London. Attended to guests within the company, delivering food and drink. Spent time in the studios, shadowing some of the producers, gaining valuable experience. (February 2016)

**Abbey Road Studios:** Visited Abbey Road Studios for the day and met film music composer Harry Gregson Williams and shadowed him recording, and leading the orchestra for a BBC documentary. (February 2015)

**Go Compose!:** A one day workshop at Purcell School of Music, Bushy. Worked with composer Simon Speare to produce a piece of music for three instruments. (August 2014)

## Work Experience

**Digital Marketing Intern:** Responsible for developing, implementing and managing marketing campaigns that promote Organic Studios London and its products and/or services. I played a major role in enhancing brand awareness within the digital space as well as driving website traffic and acquiring leads/customers. (July 2018- Present)

Goals achieved:

- . Built the company website
- . Organised and directed photoshoots
- . Edited short promotional films for clients
- . Designed logos and imagery for different social media accounts
- . Set up audio equipment for live recording sessions
- . Organised, promoted, and lead events in and around Hackney Wick

**Sales Assistant:** Working as a Sales Assistant for WineRack, Harpenden. Responsible for running the shop on my own for some shifts, using initiative, handled deliveries and restocking shelves. (June 2016- Present)

**Assistant Tennis Coach:** Assisted the Tennis Coach at Menace Sports Club, Harpenden with coaching at the camps run during each summer. Demonstrated strong and engaging communication skills to motivate and encourage (2011- 2014)

## Interests

Computer Composition, Erased Tapes Records, Music Trends, Podcasts and Meditation.

## References

Available on request.