

## ACME STUDIOS PRESS RELEASE

# AUDIO FORENSICS

*An exhibition by nine artists who work with sound*

IMT, Cambridge Heath Road, London E2

Thursday 27 – Sunday 30 November 2008

Exhibition opening hours: 12:00-18:00

Private View: 27 November 18:00-21:00

Symposium: 30 November 15:00-18:00

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Acme artist in residence Jan Hendrickse is one of nine artists who work with sound, taking part in a new show in East London this November. *Audio Forensics* at IMT explores how sound can be re-evaluated in the context of an increasingly noisy world. The show presents the final work of the first MA Sound Arts graduates of London College of Communication, and runs from 27-30 November 2008.

For this show Jan has created a 'sonic sculpture' that uses electric fans to generate air currents and vibrations which are modified by contact and acoustic microphones.

Also exhibiting are Libero Colimberti, Simone Izzi, Nitin Lachhani, Luc Messinezis, Maria Papadomanolaki, Vytis Purnas, Mark Shorey and Mark Wright. Other works in the show explore interactions with sound that are often overlooked, such as the effect of sonic frequencies on the body in Shorey's work; Messinezis's collection of sonic curiosities is an audio equivalent to the Wunderkammer. The exhibition provides a comprehensive enquiry into how sound, and its manipulation, influences our experience and understanding of our environment.

On Sunday 30 November there is a symposium featuring keynote speakers Ben Borthwick, Assistant Curator at Tate Modern, and Steven Connor, Professor of Modern Literature and Theory at Birkbeck. See [www.imagemusictext.com/news](http://www.imagemusictext.com/news) for further details.

The exhibition is co-curated by ELECTRA and IMT.

### **About Jan Hendrickse**

Jan Hendrickse, a sound artist from London has recently been selected as artist in residence for Acme's new studio development in Leven Road, London E14, and begins his residency at the end of 2008. He originally trained as a classical musician, and now works increasingly as a sound artist and composer.

**About Acme:** Acme Studios provides affordable studios, work/live space, residencies and awards for artists and is the UK's leading development agency for artists' space. Further information at [www.acme.org.uk](http://www.acme.org.uk).

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*Tube:* Bethnal Green, *Bus:* 26, 48, 55, 196, 254, 309, 388, 394, D3 & D6

*Train:* Cambridge Heath Road

*Parking:* Time-restricted parking on Cambridge Heath Road and all day parking on Parmiter Street. Parking spaces available for disabled drivers / blue badge holders.

**Note to Editors:**

Jan Hendrickse is also performing with the Academy of St Martin in the Fields and Jiangsu festival of Chinese culture at St Botolph's Church, Colchester Essex on Sunday 16 November at 7.30pm. Tickets £7/£5. Booking/info: 01206 282917 or email [vic@colchester.gov.uk](mailto:vic@colchester.gov.uk)

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