

**10th Annual
Welcome to 1979 Recording Summit
November 9, 10, and 11, 2018**

Friday, November 9th

- 2:30pm-5pm **Technical Behind The Scenes Tour of Ryman Auditorium**
(w/King Williams - spots limited, preregistration required)
- 7-8:30pm **Early Bird Registration**
Sign ups include free Summit T-shirts
- 8-10pm **Direct To Disc Session Kick Off Party**
Featuring **The Texas Gentlemen**
Live recording session to a vinyl master, records will be pressed and available the very next day! Your very own copy is included in the registration fee. (Do **NOT** Miss This)
Finger food provided, please **BYOB**

Saturday, November 10th

- 9:00-11am **Registration-** Lobby Office
- 9:00-11am **Coffee & Donuts Reception**
Provided by Millikin University
- 9:30-9:45am **Opening Statements**
- 9:45-11:15 **Put Your Mix to the Test (Control Room)**
Bring your own music and our panel of world class mix engineers will listen critically and give feedback.
(David Thoener, Ben Surratt, Fabrice Dupont, Vance Powell)
- 9:45-11:15 **Starting & Growing Your Own Business (Live Room)**
The nuts and bolts of starting your own business. Yes, it's fun-but can be a little overwhelming at times. Discuss the behind the scenes moves to start and grow your business.
(Ryan Lewis , Yoli Mara, Kim Rosen, Joshua van der Stam)

- 11:30-1pm **The Story of Rupert Neve Designs (Control Room)**
w/Rupert Neve via Skype & Josh Thomas of Rupert Neve Designs
- 11:30-1pm **In Depth Plating Demonstration (Plating Department)**
Want to learn more about how stampers for vinyl pressing are made? Here's your chance! Isaac will walk you through the electroplating process, from the time a lacquer arrives until a stamper is ready to ship to a pressing plant.
Isaac Finley
- 1-2:30pm **LUNCH BREAK**
- 2:45-4:15pm **This Or That**
What is the difference between a Warm EQ and a Vintage Pultec? A Heritage 1073 vs vintage Neve 1073? A Stamchild vs vintage Fairchild? A tape plug in vs Mara Machine? Let's find out together! (Jon Pines, Brian Forraker, Morgan Jahnig & more TBA!)
- 2:45-4:15pm **Open Discussion about Marketing Yourself (Live Room)**
This is a non-panel, open round discussion about different ways people market themselves in different parts of the country, and at different budget levels. What works? What doesn't work? What doesn't work for some may work for others- so bring some ideas! (Hosted by Chris Dauray, Dustin Blocker, Kristin Watson)
- 2:45-4:15pm **Cutting & Plating Demonstration (Meet in Vinyl Mastering Suite)**
Limited to 6 People, Sign Up Online.
- 4:30-6pm **Decades (Control Room)**
A unique look into producing and engineer across different decades. How careers were built, self promotion, techniques, etc.
(Jeff Balding, Gena Johnson, Missy Thangs & more TBA)
- 6-8pm **DINNER BREAK**
- 8-10pm **Listening Party (Control Room)**
We will listen to Pearl Jam's smash hit Ten followed by a candid interview/ Q & A with David Hillis, who recorded it. David will be interviewed by Susan Rogers

Sunday, November 11th

- 9:00-11am **Coffee & Donuts Reception**
- 9:45-11:15 **The Neuroaesthetics of Engineering and Mixing (Control Room)**
How do engineers know what a "good" sound is? How do mixers know when a mix is done or producers know when they have the right take? Neuroaesthetics is the science of beauty or perfection. This talk will examine the mental templates of "goodness" and how modern brain science explores music creators' and consumers' judgments.
(Susan Rogers)
- 9:45-11:15 **Speed Mentoring (Live Room)**
Six of our esteemed panelists will talk to small groups of attendees answering questions and offering suggestions on a wide range of topics.
(Mark Rubel, Shani Ghandi, Chris Dauray, more panelists TBA)
- 11:30-1pm **Sunday Morning Story Time (Control Room)**
This year's panelists were chosen because they have some of our all time favorite stories. As always, this panel is not to be missed.
(Boo Mitchell, Susan Rogers, Fabrice Dupont, more panelists TBA)
- 1-2:30pm **LUNCH BREAK**
- 2:45-4:15pm **Mastering (Control Room)**
Send your mixes in ahead of time, several mixes will be randomly chosen and mastered by our panelists prior to the panel, then discussed.
(Kim Rosen, Cameron Henry, Pete Lyman & Ryan Smith)
- 2:45-4:15pm **Tape Machine Calibration Lesson (Mara Machines Shop)**
Join Will Tyson (from Mara Machines) for an in-depth tape machine calibration lesson. "MaraTapeCal", a calibration app for iOS will be featured, please download app ahead of time to maximize your experience.
- 4:30-6pm **Inside the Engineer's Studio (Control Room)**
Our take on "Inside the Actors' Studio". First our panelists will share how they got started, listen to some of their favorite music, then we will ask them the traditional "10 Questions".
(David Hillis, Yoli Mara, more panelists TBA)

**All Panelists subject to change