

Workshops and Talks

12.15 - 1.15pm | Composing in the Community A talk on writing for amateurs and student ensembles by Graham Fitkin.

1.30 - 2.30pm | Local Composers' Workshop

A trio from the Scottish Ensemble play through and discuss works for strings by local composers. Led by James Clapperton. Fee: £4

2.45 - 3.45pm | Works in Progress

A unique chance to observe a workshop of new works-in-progress, which are being written by spnm shortlisted composers. Led by James MacMillan with the Scottish Ensemble under their Artistic Director Jonathan Morton. As a result of the day, two composers will be invited to complete works for future public performance by the

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4.00 - 5.00pm | **Writing For... Piano** A talk and demonstration on how to write for piano by James MacMillan and James Clapperton.

One-to-One Composer Surgeries

Various times from midday onwards.

Your chance to discuss your work in a 20-minute session with James Clapperton or Graham Fitkin. Free of charge, but numbers are limited - advance booking ESSENTIAL.

Bookings

To book tickets and one-to-one surgery places please email info@sound-scotland.co.uk (or phone Holly Harris on 01330 825431).

> Save up to £6 by booking a SCORE! day pass, which gives you access to all the above for only £10.

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The Scottish Ensemble is a dynamic group of twelve string soloists, formed from some of the most highly respected new work, working with highly renowned composers.

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