

Learn more about the sound of music across cultures in this exciting Masterclass by AVID Online

Music has no language. It traverses boundaries, becoming a powerful art that is universally understood. No matter which language you speak in, you will get a complete auditory experience when there is a balance of harmony, melody and rhythms. One probably sits back, enjoys, appreciates the tunes of their favourite artists.

But what goes into admiring a song? How does one engage with sound beyond the scope of its highs, drops, grooves and beats? For one to effectively understand and analyse the musical and sonic elements in a composition, one needs to develop their listening skills. The true joy of listening to music then lies in experiencing the composition as a whole.

The **Guildhall School of Music and Drama, Furtados, Indian Music Experience Museum, Royal Opera House, Mumbai** and **Avid Learning** presents **Across Cultures: A Historical Journey of Sound through the Ages**, a live virtual Masterclass – led by *Opera and Jazz Singer Sandeep Gurrapadi* – who will mentor our participants on the fundamentals of engaging with music. He will be employing a multifaceted approach through critically listening to sounds.

The participants, through Sandeep's guidance, will develop and refine their musical ear as they critically listen to music across cultures, genres and time. He will break down musical ideas and draw parallels between cultures using traditional listening examples in this highly interactive session.

The Masterclass aims to create an experience of sound, that is not bound by geographical boundaries, and western perspectives. Taking a global approach, it will trace the journey of sound across varied traditions, cultures and genres.

Why miss out on this immersive experience? Join us to develop your ear for music and much more!

Event Details:

Across Cultures: A Historical Journey of Sound through the Ages

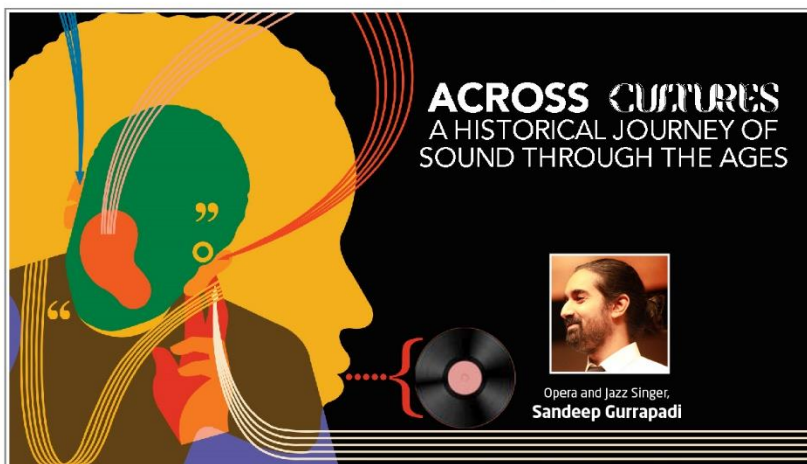
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Where: Live Session on Zoom

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About the Faculty

Sandeep Gurrapadi is an American opera singer and educator based in London of Indian origin and has worked extensively throughout the UK, Europe, China and America. Despite his relative young age - in 2019 he was invited to perform as a soloist at the Beijing National Stadium in the Dialogue for Asian Civilisations Conference for the Chinese President – Also In 2019 Sandeep premiered operas at the Tête a Tête, Grimeborn and London Festival of American Music – which included the lead role in the premiere of famed composer Odaline De La Martinez's opera 'Imoinda'. Sandeep is currently a Doctoral researcher with the prestigious Guildhall School of Music and Drama in London. For Further Information: www.sandeepgurrapadi.com

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