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production podcasts formats

**AVONSIDE . studio**

[www.Avonside.Studio](https://www.avonside.studio/)

**Technical skills**

* Proficient in Adobe Audition, Adobe Premiere Rush, Headliner, & Weebly
* Working knowledge of Myriad playout & Cleanfeed
* Live, As Live studio recording and home studio pre-records
* Podcast hosting & distribution to planned social media schedule
* Post-production & mastering for broadcast
* Proficient in remote working with un-techsavvy people using Zoom & tape sync

**Production skills**

* 6 years production of comedy panel show including location recording
* Radio drama direction and recording on location & studio with professional, amateur and child actors. Awarded First for Radio Drama in BA Hons degree
* Pitching documentary, podcast, formats to national & local radio
* Research, development, scripting, talent booking, contracts, budgeting
* Segment production: interviewing artists, professionals & activists

**People skills**

* Project management using Trello, Google drive and social media co-working
* Artist mentoring and facilitating groups in voluntary sector
* 27 years’ clinical experience as Dramatherapist, Counsellor and trainer working in health, education and social care settings

**Awards**

2019 Charles Parker Prize for Best Student Radio Feature - winner [*The Flapper*](https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/m00075jc)

2020 Charles Parker prize for Best Student Radio Feature - runner up [*The Map of Keynsham*](https://soundcloud.com/bruce-guthrie-1/the-map-of-keynsham-2)

**Education**

2019 **MA Radio Documentary**, University of the West of England.

2010 **Diploma in Counselling** Re.Vision Centre for Psychosynthesis.

1993 **Advanced Diploma in the use of Movement & Drama in Therapy (Sesame)**

Central School of Speech & Drama, University of London.  
1989 **BA Hons Drama & Theatre Studies**Royal Holloway & Bedford New College, University of London.

**Broadcast & Commissioned**

***Rulebreakers*** (BBC World Service, August 2020)

Assistant producer on 28-minute profile of Lauri Love, the computer hacker who successfully fought extradition to the US on the grounds of its unsafe treatment of people with disabilities.

***I Say A Little Prayer*** (in development)

5-minute reflections on guiding mottos, quotations and prayers.

<https://soundcloud.com/bruce-guthrie-1/sets/i-say-a-little-prayer>

***Croydon Handbag*** (Museum of Croydon, Summer 2020)

*'We're off to see a man about a handbag'* 4 queer nuns meet an 84-year-old LGBT activist

<https://soundcloud.com/bruce-guthrie-1/croydon-handbag>

***The Map of Keynsham*** (BBC Radio 4 Extra, Summer 2020)

2020 Charles Parker Prize Runner-up

What really happened to a much-loved illuminated town map and my childhood sense of place?

<https://soundcloud.com/bruce-guthrie-1/the-map-of-keynsham-2>

***The Novel Game podcast*** (7 eps, April 2020)

Comedy panel format with Robin Ince, Fenella Fudge, Marian Pashley & Stuart Flynn.

<https://anchor.fm/avonsidestudio>

Extra content show with studio guests, interviews & archive

<https://www.mixcloud.com/AvonsideStudio/>

***Culture Shock*** (Ujima Radio in Bristol, April 2019 to present)

Co-producer & presenter on 2-hour live arts and culture magazine with BAME focus. <https://www.mixcloud.com/Ujima_Culture_Shock/>

***12 Communities, 1 Bristol*** (BCfm in Bristol, August 2019)

Hillfields 100. Documentary celebrating 100 years of council housing in Bristol.

<https://soundcloud.com/bruce-guthrie-1/bcfm-hillfields-documentary>

***New Storytellers – The Flapper* (**BBC Radio 4, July 2019)

A memorial to a much-missed matriarch told through a single household object. One of the five winners of the 2019 Charles Parker prize.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/m00075jc>

***Shroukie: Dancing Queer*** (Ujima Radio, February 2019)

Profile of refugee electronics engineer who performs as a bearded belly dancer to raise funds for queer rights back home

<https://soundcloud.com/bruce-guthrie-1/shroukie-dancing-queer>

***Mental Health Matters*** (Radio Reverb in Brighton, 12 x 30m, January to December 2018)

Producer/Presenter on monthly local magazine. Topics included Relationship Counselling, Challenging Psychiatric diagnosis, Toxic masculinity

<https://soundcloud.com/bruce-guthrie-1/sets/mental-health-matters>

***The Dedication Game*** (Radio Reverb in Brighton, 12 x 30m, January to December 2018)

Host of formatted music and personal narrative show

<https://soundcloud.com/bruce-guthrie-1/sets/the-dedication-game>

**Testimonial**

Andy Cartwright, Soundscape Productions

