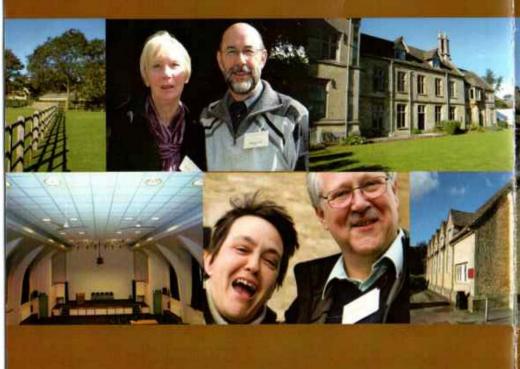




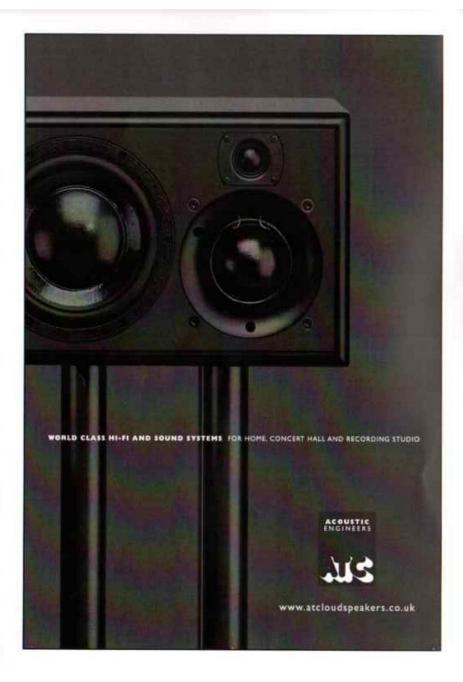
# 20th International Audio Visual Festival





Cirencester

14th to 16th September 2012



# The Royal Photographic Society 20th International Audio Visual Festival

#### Friday 14th September 2012

- 14.30 First Projection Session
- 19.30 for 20.00 Dinner

#### Saturday 15th September 2012

- 09.30 Second Projection Session
- 13.00 Lunch
- 14.30 Third Projection Session
- 19.30 for 20.00 "FESTIVAL GALA DINNER"

#### Sunday 16th September 2012

- 09.30 Fourth Projection Session
- 13.00 Lunch
- 14.30 Gala Presentation and Prize Giving
- 16.30 RPS AV Group A.G.M.

#### **International Jury**

Martin Fry (UK) Chairman of the Jury John Willett (UK) Jacques van de Weerdt (Belgium) Jean-Paul Petit (France)

#### **Festival Committee**

Chairman - Ian Bateman

Secretary - Tony Troman

Treasurer - Brian Jeffs

Technical - Keith Leedham & Dick Williams

Committee - Marilyn Leedham & Sylvia Williams



#### 20th Festival Statistics

Country	Quantity
UK	52
Australia	6
Belgium	1
France	6
Ireland	4
Italy	2
Netherlands	2
Norway	2
South Africa	7
Switzerland	3
USA	1

86 sequences entered 78 sequences accepted

Category	Quantity
Documentary & Tourism	41
Theme & Fiction	28
Music, Poetry & Song	11
Humour	6



#### August 2012

I am delighted to write an introduction for The 20th Royal Photographic Society International Audio Visual Festival.

At a time of rapid change in the technologies available to Audio Visual workers; when the recording and transfer of images is available easily and at modest cost, I look forward to seeing the how they are being used at the highest level in developing the Audio Visual sequences of today. While Audio Visual originally incorporated still images and sound, presented as a narrative sequence, with the 'third' image from one image to the next allowing creativity and a degree of pace and interest; now we can incorporate short sequences of moving image and sound produced on the same equipment, and they can be shown on a variety of different equipment.

It is a far cry from my own early efforts in the Audio Visual field. As a photographer, producing sound to the same quality as the images was the first hurdle, but the main problem was the complexity of equipment necessary to produce and show work, and the transport required to move it to where the show was to be held!

I would like to thank the Royal Photographic Society's Audio Visual Group and the International Audio Visual Festival Committee for their work in organising this Festival, without whom we would have no Festival. All are volunteers.

I would also like to thank all the entrants – they make the event. I look forward to joining you to see the sequences.

Roy Robertson HonFRPS President

#### The International Jury

#### Martin Fry



Martin gained his FRPS using 4 projectors, and since the digital age has embraced this new art form. He's gained numerous International awards as well as runner-up at both the National and International on two occasions each. Martin is a well known National judge in all areas of photography and a past member on the RPS Distinction panel. He loves photographing the beauty of his native Gloucestershire and the spectacular Cornish landscape, and producing magical third-images.

#### John Willett



John has been in the sound business for many years. He was with REW Pro-Audio in the late 70's/early 80's and also freelanced at LBC Radio in London, winning a local radio prize in the UNDA Festival of Religious Broadcasting. He joined Hayden Laboratories, then moved to Sennheiser UK, staying with them until 2010. He is the Chairman of the British Sound Recording Association and President of the Fédération Internationale des Chasseurs de Sons (FICS).

#### Jacques van de Weerdt



Coming from a theatrical background, Jacques prefers to make sequences that build atmosphere with tense and dramatic story-lines. The topics he's chosen have been controversial, ranging from racism, the miners strike of the 1980's, genocide and a fatal mugging at Brussels railway station. Looking to the future, Jacques concludes that maybe the traditional art of 'diaporama' as we know it will die as the new techniques take over.

#### Jean-Paul Petit



Jean-Paul lives in the suburbs of Paris, where he is the organiser of "Objectif Image", a well known AV club that's been meeting twice a month since the 1980's. As well as producing sequences, the members enjoy discussing the technical aspects of AV, and also the emotional impact a sequence can have on the audience. Jean-Paul has been making sequences for many years, with the earliest success coming from "Pinball" in 1976. He is looking forward to seeing the entries, and is proud and privileged to be a member of the jury.

#### Friday 14th September at 14.30

#### **First Projection Session**

No	Title	Categ	ory	Author(s)	Countr	у
01	The Polygynist from Kij-Ki	j T	Johan N	ieman (F)	SA	
02	Lest we Forget	D	Joan Ryo	der-Rathband (F)	UK	
03	Leonard at Lissadell	D	Yvonne	Acheson (F)	IRE	
04	And if I Dared	T	Denys Q	uelever (F)	FR <	×
05	Lead Mining in Weardale	D	Peter Ap	ppleton (F)	UK	
06	Namibia	D	Dave Wi	lcox	UK 🛪	K
07	From Snow to Sea	D	Malcolm	& Jenny Gee	UK	
08	A Strange Beauty	D	John & J	ludith Hodgson	AUS	
09	What Might Have Been	T	James H	lamill	NI	
10	Pirates	Н	Carol &	Dave Gillow	UK	
		In	terval			
11	Our Beautiful Daughter Ar	nnie T	Eddie Sp	pence	UK	
12	If You Leave Me Now	M	Piet Huij	igens	NL	
13	The Jewel in the Crown	D	Kate Bro	own	UK	
14	Future Dreams - Living Th	nemes	T We	erner Hoffmann	SWI	
15	Early Morning at Taj Maha	al D	Barbara	Fleming	UK	
16	This Land	D	Raymon	d Hughes	NI	
17	Gnossienne No 1	M	Malcolm	Imhoff	UK	
18	The Hope	D	Barb But	tler	AUS	
19	Modi (S)	Т	Christian	n Hendrickx	BEL	

H Bob Bishop & Carole Bourton (F) UK

The Window Cleaner

#### Saturday 15th September at 09.30

#### Second Projection Session

#### Title Author(s) Category Country D Robert Albright UK Flight of Light M Ines Roberts USA D Howard Bagshaw Ride to the Wall UK

SA

UK

#### Memory of Trees Monsignor Benedict's Vision D Adrian Murphy (F) 25

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Betrayal

Lake Of Tears T Erhard Hobrecker SWI The Ascent of Skiddaw T John Holt UK

M Adri Van Oudheusden

T John Hodgson Five Bells AUS 28 M Brian Jeffs UK 29 Yellowstone - The Sacred Land UK

An Honourable Man D Keith Storey & Ron Davies

#### Interval

31	The Magic Touch	T	Colin Balls	UK
32	Speed Painting on the Costa	Br	ava D Ian Bateman	uk
33	Land of Cold Coasts	М	Bill Bruce	NOR
34	For the Sake of Example	Т	Keith Leedham	UK
35	Is Feidir Linn	D	Lilian Webb (F)	IRE
36	Vanishing Point	T	Bernard Turnbull	UK
37	A Very Special Job	D	Sheila Davies	UK
38	Memories in the Mist	Т	Mike Woolnough	UK
39	Lament of the High Country	D	Barb Butler	AUS
40	Balloon Fantasy	н	Andre Malet (F)	FR

(F) = First Time Entrant (S) = Summary of Text Enclosed

#### Saturday 15th September at 14.30

#### Third Projection Session

No	Title	Categ	ory	Author(s)	Country
41	Beewun	т	Patrick Ro	ottiers (F)	FR
42	Madeira Blooms	D	Malcolm 8	& Jenny Gee	UK
43	Clouds	D	Peter Alle	n	UK
44	Frozen in Time	D	Dick Willia	ams	UK
45	Paris	D	Sheila Ha	ycox	UK
46	An Eye for an Eye	М	Giacomo	Cicciotti	ITA
(47)	Le 203 ème Jour (S)	Т	Christian	& Danièle Brion	FR
48	Hot Water	D	Howard C	Gregory	UK
49	The Grief of Grytviken	D	Dave Wild	COX	UK
50	The Silver Spoon	Т	Jeff Morri	S	SA

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#### Interval

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51	Special	D	Jeff Mansell & Howard Bagshaw	UK
52	Work Makes Free	T	Gabriele Pinardi	ITA
53	End of an Industry	T	Barbie Lindsay	UK
54	Keiko's Springtimes	D	Jean-Pierre Simon	FR
55	The Gatekeeper	T	Brian Harvey	UK
56	The Man who saw the Futu	re	D Richard Brown	UK
57	The Enchanted Wood	Т	Brendan O'Sullivan (F)	IRE
58	Inspired by the Landscape	D	Suzanne Walker	UK
59	The Street	Н	Roger Mallison	UK

#### Categories: -

D = Documentary & Tourism M = Music, Poetry & Song

T = Theme & Fiction

H = Humour

#### Sunday 16th September at 09.30

#### **Fourth Projection Session**

No	Title	Category	Author(s)	Country	
60	Thomas	D	Linda & Edgar Gibbs		UK
61	My Valley	D	Carol Packwood (F)		AUS
62	The Children of Miss	sionvale M	Adri Van Oudheusden	1	SA
63	Art as Communicati	on - the Wo	rld of Coni Schmid		
		Т	Werner Hoffmann		SWI
64	A Glimpse into the I	ife of Rural	Asia D Sheila Hayo	cox	UK
65	Bethulie	D	Jeff Morris		SA
66	A Breath of Sea Air	D	Mike Kersting		UK
67	Time	т	Keith Leedham		UK
68	On the Beach	M	Bill Bruce		NOR
69	Little Ted's Birthday	Surprise	H Jill Bunting & Joh	n Smith	UK
		In	terval		
70	Grease, Gaskets & G	Gears D	Keith & Kate Brown		UK
71	The Stain in the Sno	T wo	Malcolm Imhoff		UK
72	This must never Oc	cur Again	D Piet Huijgens		NL
73	Abandoned	Т	Toni Ballotta (F)		SA
74	Arkadi	D	Judith Hodgson		AUS
75	Lest we Forget	D	Bob Bishop (F)		UK
76	Once upon a Time i	n Mallorca	D Eddie Spence		UK
77	A Visit to Staffa & F	ingle's Cave	D Chris Bate (F)		UK

#### Sunday 16th September at 14.30



#### **Gala Presentation & Prize Giving**

Grand Prix & RPS Gold Medal RPS AV Group Prize.	34 CEBHAM EF EXAMIE X
2nd Prize & RPS Silver Medal.	4 ROTTIORS BEEWEN *
3rd Prize & RPS Bronze Medal.	Of QUELLER PARCED X
Category Prizes: -	JEFFMANSER SPECIAL
* Best Documentary, Tourism, RPS F	
Best Theme & Fiction, RPS Ribbon	47 BANISCE BRION TRUSIEME JOUR
Best Music, Poetry & Song, RPS Ril	bbon 78 TORRIGHE CO TOURS .
Best Humour, RPS Ribbon	59 RUSCISON THE STREET *
Special Awards: -  Best Photography, Silver Salver & Creative Sound Track, FICS Medal  Best First Time Entrant, G & D Poll	& RPS Ribbon 19 16 BALL MON +
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4.46 GLACOMO CICCIOTT	( An GEFUS AN CIE
5.48 Howard Gogg	Hot Water
Audience Vote: -	THE DI CHERTON
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Session 2.	34 SE EXAMPLE L'ESTHAM
Session 3.	51 SPECIAL HOWARD BAGGIAN
Session 4.	60 THOMAS GROVE GUBBS



Fédération Internationale des Chasseurs de Sons The International Federation of Soundhunters International Tonjäger Fóderation

Welcome to the 20th RPS International Audio Visual Festival.

At each Festival the Fédération Internationale des Chasseurs de Sons (FICS) donates a "Jean Thevenot" medal for the presentation with the best sound. This medal is quite exclusive and is only presented at this Festival, at the International Amateur Recording Contest (IARC) to the overall winners in the Audio and Video/AV categories, and to a very few other select International Competitions. So the winner will be one of a very select few.

We started presenting the medal to encourage photographers to think about the sound in their AV and video presentations as we had seen so many potentially superb presentations ruined by poor sound. Fortunately, in recent years, we have seen a steady improvement in sound quality, which we hope will continue as, after all, sound is at least 50% of the presentation. Someone once said: "Recording sound without looking at the meters and monitoring the results is like framing a shot without looking in the viewfinder" which I think describes things quite well.

This year I will be a Judge here for the first time; so it will give me a chance to hear all the presentations, instead of just the winners on the last day. I'm looking forward to it.

I will say that anyone is also welcome to enter their presentations into the British Amateur Recording Contest or the equivalent contests in other European countries (or even direct to the International contest if there is no national contest in your country). Our contests are annual and have a different time limit, but it may be a good way to test a shorter presentation in the intervening year between RPS Festivals, or to re-work a presentation presented here for a different audience. One or two winners here have already done this and have walked away with success. Details are on the website: www.soundhunters.com

I hope you have an enjoyable weekend and wish success for your presentations, if you are not successful this year, then I wish you success in the next Festival.

John Willett FICS President



#### **Announcement of Special Events**

#### **Prestige Tour of International Speakers**

The Royal Photographic Society Audio-Visual Group are pleased to announce the forthcoming tour of two highly esteemed Audio Visual practitioners.

#### Jean-Paul Petit EFIAP from France Jacques van de Weerdt from Belgium

Both Jean-Paul and Jacques are jury members here at Cirencester.

Wednesday 19th September 2012 at 8.00 pm

Derrington Village Hall, Stafford. Contact :- howard.bagshaw@ntlworld.com

Friday 21st September 2012 at 7.30 pm

Wilmslow Guild, Cheshire. Contact:- hgandsw@talktalk.net

Sunday 23rd September 2012 at 10.00 am

Woosehill Community Hall, Wokingham. Contact:- gal30me@yahoo.com

#### **Previous Winners**

1	1976	London Le	Prisonnier de la Serenissime	N & M Pigeon	France
2	1977	London	Finlandia	John Dawkins	UK
3	1978	Bath	The Revelation of St. John	Doreen Pollock	UK
4	1980	Bath	Nowhere	N & M Pigeon	France
5	1982	Bath	Ways of the Wild	Alan Potts	UK
6	1984	Bath	The Song of the Merry Man	Norman Veal	UK
7	1986	Bath	Et s'il n'en resta que un	Jacques Muller	France
8	1988	Bristol	I. K. B.	Doug Mackrell	UK
9	1990	Bath	La Mouche D'Eusebe	Christian Brion	France
10	1992	Bath	Portrait of the Author W Jo	nes/C Balls/I Laing	UK
11	1994	Bath	The Rocks Remain	Mollie McConaghy	UK
12	1996	Cheltenham	De Boeckbinder	Eric Kellens	Belgium
13	1998	Cheltenham	Illusione Fatale	Boris Gradnik	Italy
14	2000	Cirencester	Diary of a Lost Soldier	Johan Werbrouck	Belgium
15	2002	Cirencester	Memories' Thief	Gabriele Pinardi	Italy
16	2004	Cirencester	Mission No 9 Jean-Pau	l Petit/Colin Balls	Fr/UK
17	2006	Cirencester	L'Oubli Ci	nristian Hendrickx	Belgium
18	2008	Cirencester	The Forest of Tane Muhuta	Erhard Hobrecker	Switz
19	2010	Cirencester	Migrant Mother	Howard Bagshaw	UK





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