

### PASIC® 2024 Exhibitor Sound Policy

#### When testing instruments in the PASIC Expo Hall:

- Artist performances and/or rehearsals at exhibitor booths are strictly prohibited.
- Instruments and sound equipment will not be played for more than 20 seconds continuously.
- Volume level for all instruments and sound equipment must be moderate (mf) or lower.
- There is to be NO instrument playing in the Demonstration Hall for the first 15 minutes of every hour (e.g. 9:00 AM to 9:15 AM).
- It is the responsibility of anyone wearing an "Exhibitor" badge to help enforce these policies within their booth, in addition to PAS sound monitors.

#### Failure to assist in the enforcement of the Sound Policy will result in the following:

- 1st Offense: Warning from sound monitors with reporting to PAS staff
- 2nd Offense: Meeting between PAS leadership and Exhibitor primary onsite contact
- 3rd Offense: Booth closed for remainder of day
- 4th Offense: Booth closed for remainder of PASIC

*Offenses are cumulative for the duration of the PASIC event. No refunds will be issued.*

#### The above-stated sound policy will be enforced and supported by the following measures:

- Sound monitors will be on duty in the exhibit hall during exhibition hours.
  - Sound monitors will be clearly identifiable with uniform clothing.
  - Sound monitors will be equipped with decibel meters and radios.
- Announcements regarding the sound policy will be broadcast over the public address system in the exhibit hall at regular intervals.

#### Additional measures include:

- Reminders about the sound policy will be disseminated to all exhibitors prior to the convention.
- Signage will be posted throughout the Expo Hall to remind both attendees and exhibitors of the policy.
- Sound monitors will include volunteers from PAS committees and staff.
- Demonstration Hall aisles of 20 feet or larger, when available.
- PAS will make every effort to be considerate of exhibitor booth selection preferences while also being mindful of the demonstration volume of specific instrument types.

It is the intention of the Percussive Arts Society to find a balance with all exhibitors to allow the best possible experience for the largest number of attendees. With everyone's cooperation, we can enjoy an environment that is acceptable for all and does not require punitive action by the Society against its members, either corporate or individual. Thank you for your support and effort to make PASIC® 2024 in Indianapolis another success.

I have read, understand, and agree to abide by the PASIC 2024 Sound Policy.

Contact Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



# Attendee Sound Policy

## **When testing instruments in the PASIC Expo Hall:**

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- Volume level for all instruments and equipment must be moderate (mf) or lower.
- There is to be NO instrument playing in the Demonstration Hall for the first 15 minutes of every hour (e.g., 9:00 AM to 9:15 AM).

## **Failure to adhere strictly to this policy will result in the following:**

- 1st Offense: Warning. Attendee's credential will be punched.
- 2nd Offense: 24-Hour Expulsion from the Exhibit Hall. Additional credential punch.
- 3rd Offense: Expulsion from the Exhibit Hall for the entire convention. 3rd credential punch.

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Failure to comply with this policy may result in permanent expulsion from the entire convention and possibly future Percussive Arts Society events. All decisions by PAS are final.

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- Sound monitors will be on duty in the exhibit hall during exhibition hours.
  - Sound monitors will be clearly identifiable with uniform clothing.
  - Sound monitors will be equipped with decibel meters.
- Announcements regarding the sound policy will be broadcast over the public address system in the exhibit hall at regular intervals.
- Signage will be posted throughout the Expo Hall to remind both attendees and exhibitors of the policy.