

METROPOLIS STUDIOS INFORMATION DECK 2025

Metropolis Studios, located in Chiswick, West London, is one of the world's most renowned recording facilities. It is celebrated for its cutting-edge technology, iconic history, and unparalleled service.

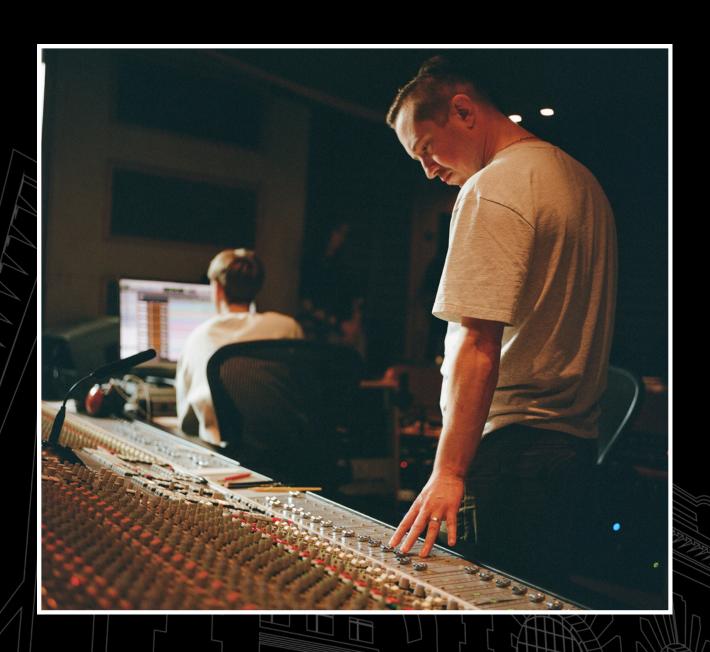
Established in 1989 in The Power House, a former Victorian power station transformed into a state-of-the-art recording studio, Metropolis has been at the forefront of music production since its inception. It plays a pivotal role in the music industry, with over 70% of the UK's Top 40 hits worked on within its walls.

The studio has hosted legendary artists such as Queen, Adele, The Rolling Stones, and Michael Jackson. Metropolis continues to cater to artists, producers, engineers, and brands worldwide, cementing its legacy as a cornerstone of music production.



RECORDING

Metropolis features four state-of-the-art recording studios equipped to handle various projects, including vocal recordings, string ensembles, writing camps, full band sessions, and everything in between. Each studio offers world-class acoustics, vintage and modern high-end microphones, cutting-edge preamps, and an extensive selection of instruments to ensure an unparalleled recording experience.

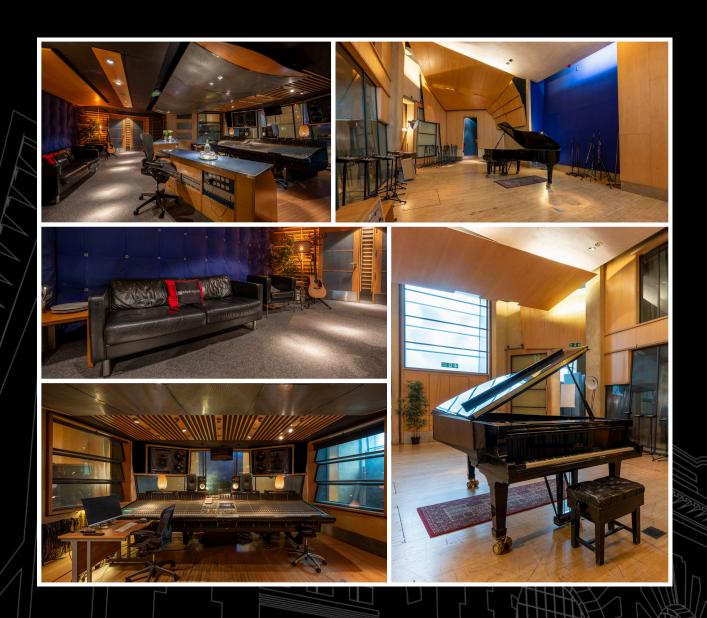




Overview: Studio A is the largest recording space at Metropolis, featuring a versatile live room ideal for orchestras, bands, choirs, and grand piano sessions. It also includes a dead booth and a stone room for diverse acoustic environments with separation.

Equipment: SSL 9072 J Series console, Genelec main monitoring, Fazioli F-228 Grand Piano

Features: Private upstairs lounge, kitchen, and restroom for client comfort.





Overview: Studio B offers an intimate setting, perfect for bands, grand piano sessions, small orchestral ensembles, and vocal recordings.

Equipment: SSL 4064 G Series console, Genelec main monitoring, Yamaha C7 Grand Piano.

Features: Two isolated areas, large private lounge with kitchen and restroom. The lounge can be integrated into the control room for flexibility.





Overview: A production and writing-focused room, Studio C is equipped with a synth rack, an upright piano, and abundant natural daylight. Ideal for tracking vocals, and writing sessions. It's been designed with quick workflow and creative flexibility at its heart.

Equipment: Custom SSL 6032 G Series console, PMC main monitoring, 'Synth wall', upright piano.

Features: Studio C's recent update was designed to make it the ultimate modern production room.





Overview: Studio E is an excellent space for vocal recordings, writing sessions, and mixing projects.

The room is bright with natural light and offers a collaborative, open-plan design.

Equipment: SSL XL 9072 K Series console, PMC main monitoring.

Features: Includes a large overdub booth with clear sightlines to the control room.





Overview: Studio X is the latest addition to our portfolio of modern Production Rooms, designed as a creative playground for artists & producers. Comprising of a control room & overdub booth.

Kitted out with all the latest audio interfaces, plugins and virtual instruments, clients can use our house Mac Studio (with Pro Tools, Logic, Ableton and FL Studio) or simply plug in and use your own.

Studio X is also equipped with modern and vintage synth options including a Wurlitzer 200a, and a series of electric and acoustic guitars ready to go. All our synths and software instruments can also be controlled from our custom-crafted producer workstation, featuring a built-in Doepher MIDI Controller Keyboard.





At Metropolis our expert engineers bring years of experience to craft balanced, dynamic, and emotionally engaging mixes that resonate with audiences. We can handle projects of any scale, from single tracks to full albums. Metropolis' engineers are experienced across many genres with credits including RAYE, Nova Twins, Elder Island, Ella Henderson, Ezra Collective, Maverick Saber, DRIIA, George Ezra and many more. The process ensures clarity, depth, and a polished sound tailored to the unique needs of every artist or producer.



IMMERSIVE RECORDING

Continuing their history of embracing new technology and innovations Metropolis Studios has pushed the envelope in the exciting new world of immersive audio. As well as a state-of-the-art immersive mixing suite (both Atmos and Sony 360) Metropolis has the world moved into immersive audio, with a focus on popular rather than classical music.

In early 2023, George Ezra collaborated with Metropolis Studios to re-record six tracks from his album Gold Rush Kid in Sony's 360 Reality Audio format. This project, titled Gold Rush Kid (Amazon Music Live), was released exclusively on Amazon Music Unlimited for three months. The tracks were re-recorded at Metropolis Studios to fully utilize the immersive audio technology, providing listeners with a new way to experience his music.



