

A JOURNEY ROUND MY THEATRE



Graham Winteringham, architect of Birmingham Repertory Theatre, takes you on a guided soundwalk telling the story of how one of Birmingham's landmark buildings was built. Stream or download the walk to your own device or borrow a player and headphones at the box office.

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A soundwalk with architect Graham Winteringham commissioned by Birmingham Repertory Theatre.

A Journey Round My Theatre is a poetic amble through The REP's foyer areas narrated by architect Graham Winteringham, who is also my granddad. While it will keep you physically located in the front of house areas, we hope Graham's descriptions and the sounds included help imaginatively to transport you to the admin offices, workshop, dressing rooms and even the boards of the main house stage. We've included the voices of the people who work here and fragments of sounds captured from the daily life of The REP. As well as the more familiar sounds of back stage 'calls' and the laughter and applause of a delighted audience, there are sounds you might not expect to hear or associate with 'theatre': the photocopier running off rehearsal schedules, an iron steaming through 40 shirts in preparation for the evening show, the squeaky wheel on a rubbish trolley. This soundwalk is a tribute to the The REP but also to the man who designed it.

This soundwalk takes around 40 minutes and is best experienced on location in The REP listened to with a pair of decent headphones. Use the QR code or navigate to the URL below to stream the walk to your device. If you prefer, you can do this via The REP's free public wi-fi. Alternatively, you can borrow a player from the Box Office. Use the map below to help navigate around the foyer.

When you're ready to start, make your way to the Box Office and press play: Graham and I will meet you there.

Olivia Winteringham

Co-artistic director KILN

Graham Winteringham's granddaughter

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Sound design by Iain Armstrong

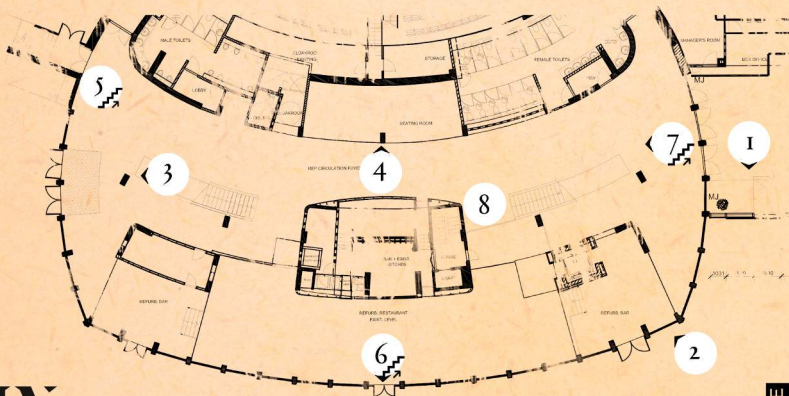
Narration by Graham Winteringham

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