

# Technology in Trad

*Integrating Audio and Video Technology into Bodhrán Performance*

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## Class Meetings

*Saturdays, 1:30pm - 2:30pm Eastern Time (USA)*

- May 28: Kieran Leonard
- June 4: Andy Kruspe
  - Technology for Lessons - Audio and Video Options for an Enhanced Online Lesson Experience
- June 11: Matt Bell
  - Technology for Bodhrán
- June 18: Jeremy Wade
  - Video Production on a Budget
- June 25: Jeremy Wade
  - Audio Mixing and Video Editing Basics
- July 9: Dave Boyd
  - The Limitless Creative Potential of Effects and Processing for Bodhrán

## Overview

Are you interested in learning how to produce more-polished audio recordings of your bodhrán? Have you ever wondered what kind of equipment the pros use on stage and in the studio? What are some "best-practices" associated with documenting and analyzing your individual practice sessions? In this six-week interactive Zoom series, we will explore how audio and video technology can be used to enhance your musical experience within educational, live performance, and recording studio contexts. Along with your host, Jeremy Wade, you will have the opportunity to learn from several seasoned professionals - including Kieran Leonard, Andy Kruspe, Matthew Bell, and Dave Boyd - all of whom are excited to share their individual experiences with the recording arts.

All musicians are welcome! While some of the content will be specific to the bodhrán - such as details pertaining to microphone selection and equalization - many of our discussions may be easily generalized to any instrument.

## Google Drive

All participants will be added to a shared Google Drive folder containing all of the course documents and media, including synchronous Zoom meeting recordings.

## Zoom Details

Classes will take place in a recurring Zoom meeting labeled, "Kentucky Irish Music Academy - Saturday." The link will be the same every week EXCEPT for **June 4**. There may be some occasional overlap with another event/ class, but in these cases you will be directly sorted into a breakout room upon entry.