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POLLY SCATTERGOOD AND KATIE MELUA LAUNCH PODCAST 'THE DETAIL'



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"The Detail" is a new podcast by Polly Scattergood and Katie Melua, two recording artists travelling different paths within the music industry.

In this brand new insightful, educational, and entertaining podcast, Polly & Katie will be speaking with other musicians, composers and music industry professionals to explore *the detail* behind the art of song-writing and making records.

Polly and Katie have been friends for many years. Polly was signed by Daniel Miller at Mute Records in her early 20s and worked with the label for over a decade, releasing four critically acclaimed studio albums. She also runs her own label 'Future Paradise', where she works alongside the likes of Booka Shade, Mercury-nominated MAPS and techno producer Chris Liebing. Polly has just released a new EP 'In The Absence Of Light', which was written and produced with Glenn Kerrigan & "Bad Seed" Jim Scavunos.

Katie Melua is a multi-award-winning recording artist and songwriter who has been writing and recording since her late teens. Currently working on her 9th studio album, Katie is releasing a special [acoustic recording](#) of the acclaimed 'Album No. 8' this autumn.

"If you'd like to know more about the mystery of hit songs, how to stay inspired in a shifting industry landscape, and how to access your own creative spaces, then we have some deep and meaningful conversations with some legendary guests for you!"

The first episodes are:

Fran Healy: Lead singer and lyricist of the band Travis. Fran's episode explores working with intuition as a songwriter in an industrious music world.

Jim Scavunos: The ex-Nick Cave & the Bad Seeds drummer, multi-instrumentalist, record producer, and writer discusses starting a subculture magazine and creating music scenes.

Shura: The singer, songwriter and record producer offers advice on dealing with sudden success, mental health awareness, and the addictive charge of writing.

Bruce Woolley: Songwriter, producer, and one of the writers of Video Killed the Radio Star and Grace Jones' Slave To The Rhythm, Wooley discusses how to remain adaptable in an ever-changing industry.

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