

Distribution Announcement

Henley Audio Present Roon Labs to the UK Market

The software experts make a new move into hardware.

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Henley Audio are delighted to announce a new distribution agreement with Roon Labs for the New York-based company's new venture into digital audio hardware solutions. As sole UK distributor for a wide variety of Hi-Fi equipment brands from across the globe, Henley Audio are thrilled to add another American partner to their ever-developing portfolio. Steve Silberman, VP of Sales for Roon Labs, says of the new distribution arrangement:

"Roon Labs is proud to be partnered with Henley Audio, an organization that understands and supports the needs of the specialist audio retailer. Henley Audio brings an unrivalled level of expertise and support to the marketplace. Roon's vast network of interoperable hardware partners requires a distributor with the agility and resources to work with a wide array of retailers and custom integration specialists. Laurence and his team are the exact fit for these requirements."

Managing Director of Henley Audio, Laurence Armstrong, said of the new relationship:

"We're thrilled to be working with Steve and the whole Roon Labs team. Roon has entered the hi-fi market with great success, and made a huge impact as the only viable solution for true high-fidelity multi-room audio without the need to be bound to a single manufacturer's hardware. We're delighted to help push the brand forward in the UK market, through our distribution of the Nucleus and Nucleus+ servers. We believe Roon gives audio lovers the freedom to choose the music and the hardware that suits their individual tastes and needs."

From March 2018, Henley Audio will be offering sales and support for all Roon Labs hardware enquiries in the UK and Ireland. Full technical information on the Nucleus and Nucleus+ is available now at www.henleyaudio.co.uk after a successful introduction to the UK market at the recent Bristol Sound & Vision Show 2018.

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About Roon Labs

Roon Labs was founded in January 2015 by a team that started working together ten years earlier. Their first company was Sooloos, which produced an embedded multi-room music server system with storage, audio playback, and touch-screen kiosk devices. Upon its launch in 2006, Sooloos received critical acclaim and became the gold standard in high-end audio systems. Sooloos was acquired by Meridian Audio in late 2008, where the team developed (among other things) a desktop music player for HP that has shipped on over 50 million PCs since its introduction.

The team at Roon Labs proudly state that "*music is very much in our DNA*", so on exiting Meridian at the beginning of 2015 the team were devoted to developing a world-class music experience in software. Roon launched as a desktop music app in May 2015 and won product of the year awards from Stereophile magazine, ComputerAudiophile.com, and Digital Audio Review. Only two years later, and Roon was supported by over 50 respected audio equipment manufacturers for streaming, storage and USB playback. With this increase in exposure, more people than ever are choosing to use Roon as the optimal front-end experience for their whole-home audio systems.



About Henley Audio

Everyone has a different interpretation of what good sound is, and at Henley Audio we're no different. We strive to bring customers the best possible selection of hi-fi equipment from a variety of international manufacturers.

Formed in 1997 as the result of a management buy-out of Ortofon UK, Henley Designs Ltd. (trading as Henley Audio) is one of the UK's premier distributors of quality hi-fi equipment. The brands we distribute are not only highly-regarded in their own right, but they also share a symbiotic relationship with other brands in our portfolio.

For more information, visit www.henleyaudio.co.uk

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