

Cambridge Jazz Festival Press Release

Robin Nolan headlines Cambridge Jazz Festival's Django Day

Robin Nolan, world-renowned gypsy jazz star headlines Cambridge's first Djangofest 25 November 2018 with the Robin Nolan Trio

Robin, one of the world's most respected guitarists and educators in this style, was discovered by George Harrison whilst busking in Amsterdam in the '90s. He has since headlined all the world's major gypsy jazz festivals, including Django Amsterdam, France's Django Reinhardt Festival, and DjangoFest Northwest in the USA. Robin has recently released *Sin City*, an album inspired by the songs of AC/DC, and has presented this material to great acclaim in festivals around the world this year. This is a rare chance to catch Robin in the UK and a coup for the Cambridge Jazz Festival, representing Cambridge's biggest celebration of the music of Django Reinhardt in recent times.

The Robin Nolan Trio concert is the main event in a day-long program featuring a number of other associated events:

- **Robin Nolan Trio & support from Django's Tiger** 16:30-19:15 St Andrew's Church, St Andrew's St. Tickets: <http://bit.ly/2hKNiVJ>
- **Talk: The Musical Legacy of Django Reinhardt** (Robin Nolan, Mike Massey, Damian Glasfurd-Brown) 16:00-16:30 St Andrew's Church, St Andrew's St. FREE
- **Guitar Workshop with Robin Nolan** 10:30-13:00 Music Recital Room, Anglia Ruskin University. Tickets: <http://bit.ly/2zhRZA8>
- **Swing Dancing Workshop with Cambridge Lindyhoppers** 14:00-15:30 St Columba's Church Hall, Downing St. Tickets: <http://bit.ly/2j6vhVb>

This type of swing music is ideal for dancing lindyhop, balboa and collegiate shag. Dancers are welcome, and space will be provided for dancing during the performances. Gypsy jazz thrives on jam sessions: there is a jam session from 8.30 in The Geldart pub.



Robin Nolan Trio Live in France

Links

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