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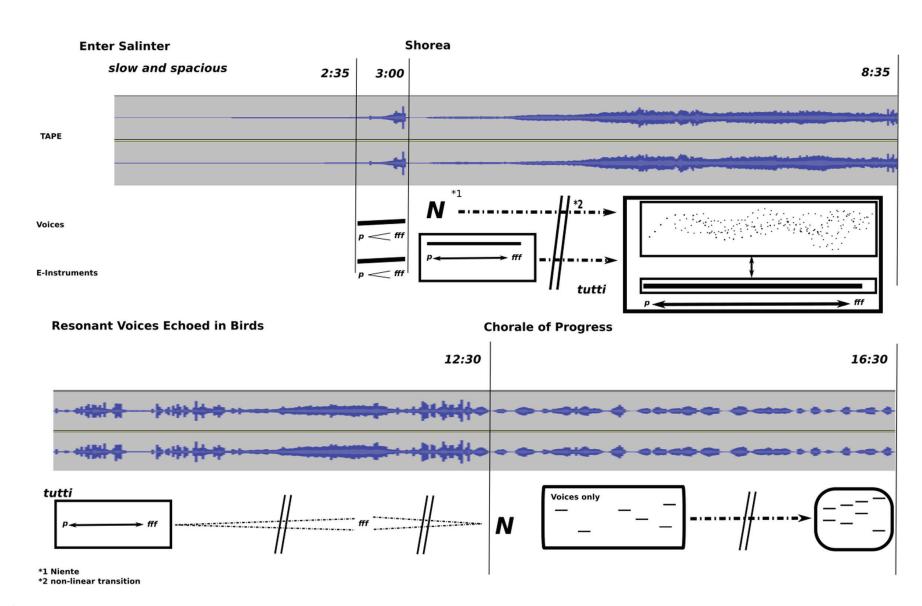
for sphere, strombophone, voices, traditional instruments and tape

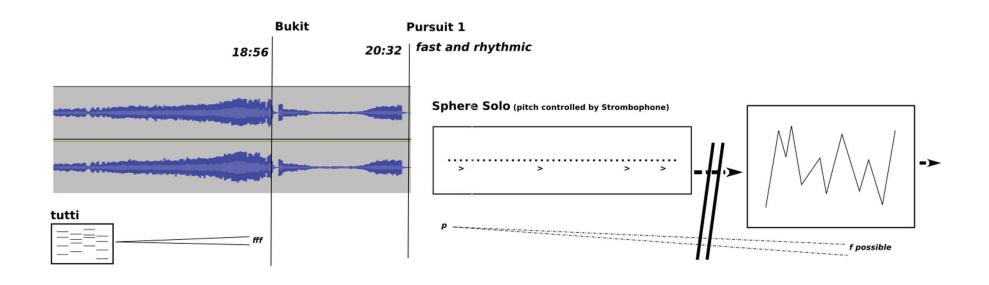
Dirk Stromberg

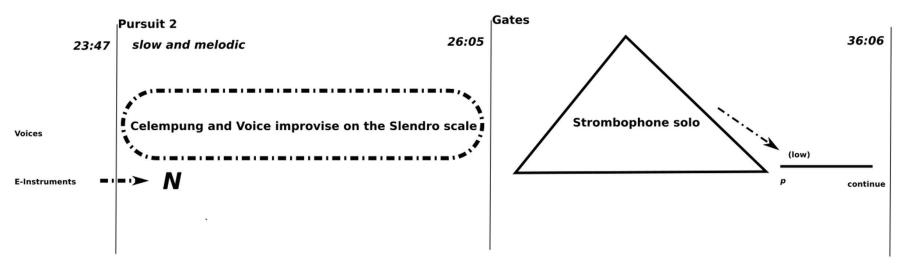
**Robert Casteels** 

#### 2015:time:space: | Singapore @ ArtScience Museum

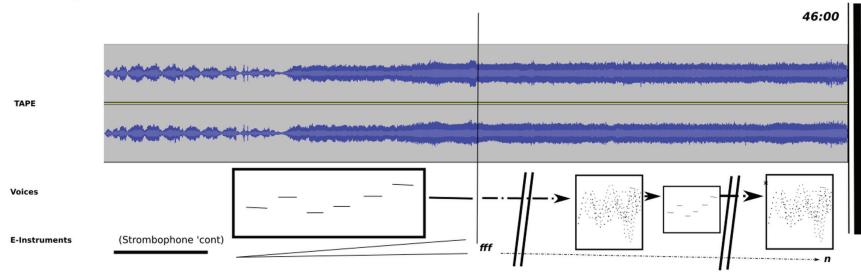
The first performance took place on 09-07-2015 in the Expression Gallery of the ArtScience Museum, Marina Bay Sands, Singapore with Dirk Johan Stromberg (phallophone player), Isaiah Koh (strombophonist), Robert Casteels (sphere player), Andrew Thomas (visual director), Thomas Manhart (celempung player and vocal artist) and Moira Loh (vocal artist).

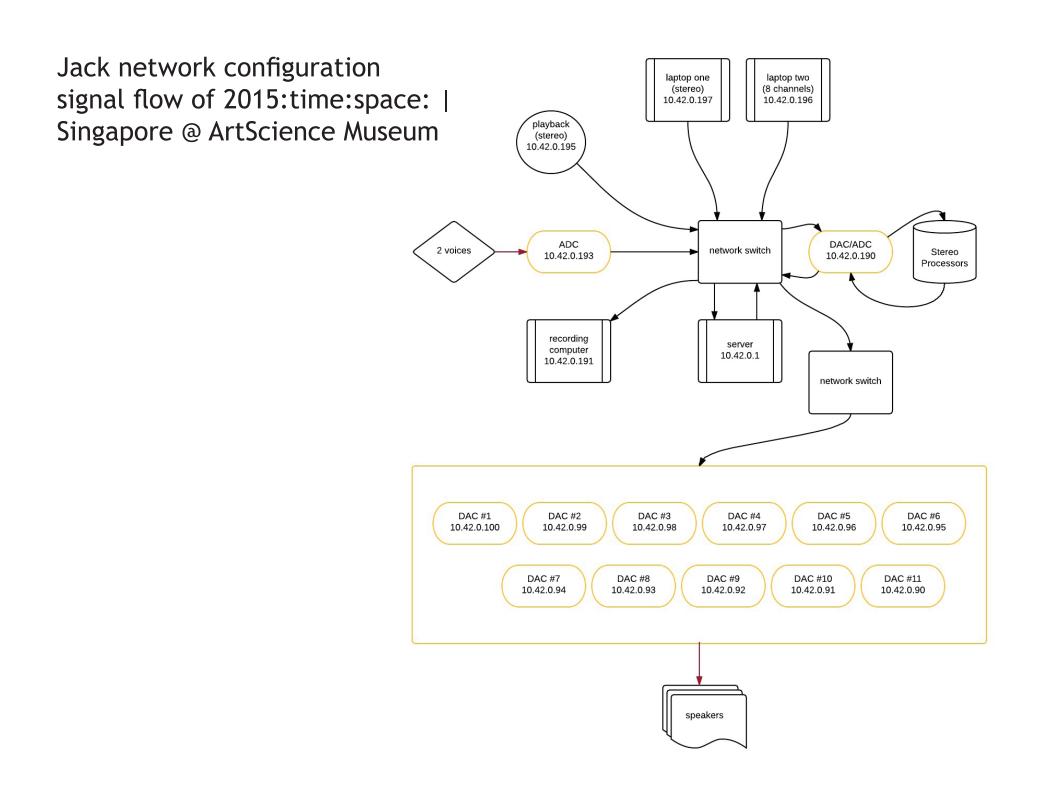






#### **Rising Tones**





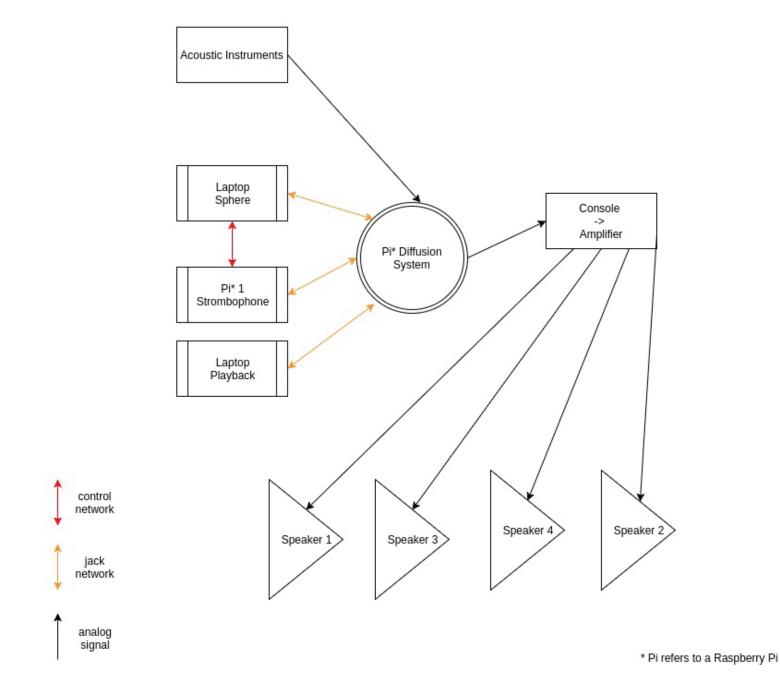
### 2015:time:space: | Vietnam @ Chula, Hanoi

The first performance took place on 21-11-2015 in Chula, Hanoi, Vietnam as part of the 7th Đuong Đai Festival with Robert Casteels (sphere), Dirk Johan Stromberg (strombophone and technical direction), An Phan (tranh), Đo Kien Cuong (oboe) and Đo Tuan (bamboo flute).

	Strombophone	Sphere	Tranh	Bamboo flute/ Percussion	Conductor/ Oboe	
Intro		-				
0'						
2'30"	Strombophone	Sphere		Flute		Long tones with nonlinear crescendo, off at 3"
3'15"		Sphere			Oboe	Squashing and flattening of sounds
6'						Sense of arrival diminuendo into 6'40"
6'30"						Crescendo into 8'48"
8'48"				Flute		Pointillism, sharp articulations, various colours
10'45"		Sphere				Long upward crescendo until 11'38", then off
11'50"	Strombophone			Flute		Long notes till 12'28"
Chorale of	Progress					
12'28"				Flute	Conductor conducts into phase	Flute only starts, playing out of phase from the tape
13'31"					-	
13'52"		Sphere	Tranh	Flute		
15'56"		Sphere	Tranh	Flute		= first soft tutti: long chords, together until 18'46"
18'46"						All stop
Pursuit 1		•				
		Sphere with pitch controlled by the Strombophone		Percussion		Percussion plays rhythmically Sphere joins after 20"
Pursuit 2						·
24'30"	Strombophone		Tranh			Tranh: in a sparse traditional style, slow, scalar

	Strombophone	Sphere	Tranh	Bamboo flute/ Percussion	Conductor/ Oboe	
Gates 1						
27'				Percussion	Oboe and conductor cues	Percussion plays syncopation and stops with tape
Gates 2						
29'30"	Strombophone solo					
Rising Tone	es					
33'30"	Strombophone	Sphere		Flute	Oboe	Slow ascending tones
1'			Tranh solo	Percussion		Tranh muted plucking Sparse percussion
4'21"	Strombophone	Sphere		Flute	Oboe	Gradually sparse sounds change into longer notes
6'21"	Strombophone	Sphere		Flute	Oboe	Long notes
7'56"						Climax of held notes
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9'	-	-	-	-	-	Only tape
9'40"		Sphere			Oboe	Articulations
10'30"	Strombophone					Articulations
12' to 17'				Flute		Nonlinear transition from articulations to long notes
17'	Strombophone	Sphere	Tranh	Flute	Oboe	High long notes
	Strombophone	Sphere	Tranh	Flute	Oboe	Slowly vanishing
18'						Tape only ends

## Signal flow of 2015:time:space: | Vietnam @ Chula, Hanoi



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