

Bjooks THE MINIMOOG BOOK



Kim Bjørn, founder of Danish independent book publisher Bjooks, has officially revealed that their latest project, THE MINIMOOG BOOK, will be launched later this month on Kickstarter. “THE MINIMOOG BOOK is our most vital project yet, documenting and delving deep into the iconic electronic instrument that has shaped generations of musicians and songs.” Bjørn shared. “We’re deeply privileged to bring this beautiful book to Kickstarter for our loyal readers and enthusiasts everywhere. Your support in making this labor of love a reality will mean the world to our small team.”

This comprehensive work chronicles the Minimoog’s entire journey - from its prototypes and the very first Model D #1001 through the Minimoog Voyager models and into the present day. Opening with a foreword from prolific Rush frontman Geddy Lee, *THE MINIMOOG BOOK* presents more than a decade’s worth of research-turned-storytelling by author, esteemed journalist, and music historian JoE Silva. “When I started digging into the history of the Minimoog back in 2010,” Silva noted, “I quickly realized how universal it was. I was continuously stumbling upon artist after artist or another famous piece of music that used it. It was pretty clear right away how important the instrument became once it came out...”

Readers can expect exclusive interviews and features with legendary musicians like Keith Emerson, Rick Wakeman, Chick Corea, Tony Visconti (David Bowie), George Duke, Anne Dudley (Art of Noise), Bernie Worrell, Devo, Kraftwerk, Air, J Dilla, Gary Numan, and many others - as well as some of today’s most respected songwriters and multi-instrumentalists, such as Greg Kurstin (Adele), Yumiko Ohno (Buffalo

Daughter), Mac DeMarco, and more.

THE MINIMOOG BOOK features exquisite and detailed photography - much of it brand new - as well as schematics, historical promotional materials, engineering interviews, illustrated sound patches, and over 70 artist features. It is the perfect coffee table book and keepsake for lovers of synthesizers, music history, illustration, photography, and timeless books of all kinds.

Bjørn's mission with Bbooks is to create exciting, informative, and beautiful books about music technology, artists, and makers. With existing titles that intimately focus on musical instrument giants like Moog, Roland, and Korg, the publisher is thrilled to bring new inspiration to long-time Bbooks fans and newcomers with this release. THE MINIMOOG BOOK will be available for pre-order on Kickstarter later in April. Early supporters will get access to special perks and insider info like never-before-seen photos, behind-the-scenes content, a special edition of the book, and more.

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