

# Rhodes<sup>®</sup>

## The Custom Keys Challenge

### Prizes

- **Grand Prize:** A Rhodes MK8 (Custom Shop or standard config)
- **2nd–5th Runners Up:** Full Rhodes Software Suite + Rhodes T-Shirt
- **6th–10th Runners Up:** Any 2 Rhodes Software products

### Key Dates

- **Launch Date:** October 7th
- **Submissions Close:** December 8th
- **Public Voting:** December 22 - January 19th
- **Winner Announced:** Week of 20th January

### Rules

- Entry must be original work created specifically for this competition.
- Rhodes sounds must form the primary basis of the soundtrack.
- Submissions outside the duration of the video will not be considered.
- Entrants must upload their work to YouTube with required hashtags and send the link to Rhodes.
- By entering, participants grant Rhodes permission to share their submission on Rhodes' official channels.
- Only one entry per participant.

### Formats & Requirements

- **Assets supplied by Rhodes:**
  - All entrants use the same official edit of the Rhodes Custom Shop trailer available via Rhodes Custom Keys page.
  - Reference click track. (It is not compulsory to use this BPM for compositions).
- **Audio:**
  - Must feature Rhodes sounds as the central sonic palette. (Rhodes MK8, Rhodes V8/V8 Pro or Anthology)
  - Additional textures, instruments (drums, bass, synth, guitar), foley, and effects permitted, but Rhodes should be the core.
  - **Note:** Submissions can be composed to any tempo, but the video was edited loosely to an 80bpm/160bpm reference track.

### Submission Process:

- Upload to YouTube with specific title + hashtags provided by Rhodes.
  - Title: **Rhodes Custom Keys Challenge Submission | [Entrants Name]**
  - Include hashtag: **#RhodesCustomKeys** in description.
- Submit link to submission via online form on Rhodes Custom Keys page.