

Official Community Hosts Intimate Industry Gathering during SXSW London

Showcasing the Future of Artist Self-Management and Direct-to-Fan Connectivity

LONDON , LONDON , UNITED KINGDOM, June 10, 2025 /EINPresswire.com/ -- Official Community—the platform empowering artists through selfmanagement and direct audience engagement—hosted a private networking event at The Tannery @ JJ Studios in Shoreditch as part of the inaugural SXSW London. The evening brought together leading voices from the music, tech, and finance industries to explore the future of artist-first platforms.



The Official Community Team

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"Launching at SXSW London is more than a milestone—it's a statement," said Ron Thomson, CEO of Official Community. "This new platform is built to empower artists with direct control over their fan relationships and revenue, and there's no better place to debut it than at a global gathering of creators and innovators."

Official Community is pioneering a new model that puts creators in control. By providing artists with the tools to manage their digital assets, own their data, and connect with fans without intermediaries, the platform is redefining how creators sustain and grow their careers. Its suite of tools supports everything from content distribution and fan subscriptions to event ticketing and community management—enabling artist self-management and direct fan-to-fan interaction and connectivity.

"Artists need more than just visibility; they need meaningful engagement with their audience," Thomson added. "SXSW London is the perfect place to spark conversations about the future of the creator economy," said Cliff Fluet, strategic advisor to Official Community. "This platform represents a real shift—putting power back into the hands of artists, enabling them to build stronger, more direct relationships with fans while creating new opportunities for sustainable income."

The event created a relaxed and collaborative environment where guests could learn firsthand about Official Community's vision and impact. Hosting the evening were Ron Thomson and key members of the Official Community team, including Tim Prior (Head of International Business Development), Lily Videnova (Head of Product Design), and Cliff Fluet (Senior Industry Advisor). The company is headquartered in Toronto and serves a growing international network of artists and partners.

This London gathering represents another milestone in Official Community's mission to support a new era of artist self-management—centered on transparency, ownership, and meaningful fan relationships.

For more information, visit <u>www.officialcommunity.com</u>

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