

# THE MAKING OF A PODCASTER



## RESOURCE GUIDE

### Podcast Resources

#### Podcast Accelerator

Werk It Podcast Accelerator Contest

<https://www.werkitfestival.com/accelerator-rules>

WNYC Podcast Accelerator

<https://www.wnyc.org/story/welcome-wnyc-podcast-accelerator>

#### Podcast Newsletters

PodMov Daily E-mail Newsletter

[PodcastMovement.com](http://PodcastMovement.com)

Transom

[www.Transom.org](http://www.Transom.org)

Hot Pod

Free and paid subscription versions

[hotpodnews.com](http://hotpodnews.com)

She Podcasts

[www.shepodcasts.com](http://www.shepodcasts.com)

#### Other

Podcast Garage

[www.podcastgarage.org](http://www.podcastgarage.org)

PRX

<https://googlecp.prx.org>

Podcasting 101 – 10 part instructional video series

#### Books

**Make Noise: A Creator's Guide to Podcasting and Great Audio Storytelling**

Author: Eric Nuzum

**Sound Reporting: The NPR Guide to Audio Reporting and Production**

Author: Jonathan Kern

**Out on the Wire: The Storytelling Secrets of the New Masters of Radio**

Author: Jessica Abel

#### Montgomery Community Media

[MCM Intro. to Podcasting Class](#)

[Podcast Studio Reservation Form](#)

[MCM Member Podcast Studio Policy](#)

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On June 16<sup>th</sup>, 2020, MCM member, Rachel Gorlin shared her journey of going from concept to execution of her first podcast at “The Making of a Podcaster” member event. Rachel Gorlin won the WNYC Podcast Accelerator Competition for her podcast “To Catch a Senator” which will chronicle the U.S. Sen. Robert Packwood scandal of the 1990’s.

### To Catch a Senator Podcast

[“Why politicians got away with sexual misconduct for so long”](#)

Washington Post Outlook section

November 10, 2017

By Rachel Gorlin

Saturday Night Live: [“The Packwood Diaries”](#)

Phil Hartman impersonation of Bob Packwood

[“Oregon Now Wonders Who Is Real Packwood”](#)

New York Times

December 8, 1992

By Timothy Egan

### Rachel Gorlin’s Podcast Picks

*In the Dark* - Minnesota Public Radio

*Slow Burn* – Slate

*White Lies* – NPR

*Invisibilia* – NPR

*Servant of Pod with Nick Quah* – LAist Studios

*Trump, Inc.* – WNYC Studios

*Werk It: The Podcast* – WNYC Studios

*Call Your Girlfriend* – Apple Podcasts, Spotify, callyourgirlfriend.com