Subject: Calling a professional

Posted by drake on Mon, 13 May 2019 18:20:54 GMT

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You've spent a good sum of money on a system and followed all the necessary steps during installation but still feel like it doesn't sound good. Would you then call an expert? I would use the services of a professional if in the long run, I ended up getting value for money.

Subject: Re: Calling a professional

Posted by Wayne Parham on Mon, 13 May 2019 20:27:22 GMT

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The problem is that most home theater installers aren't experts. They're usually somewhat technical, but mostly just enough to know basically what to connect and where. Some can do basic calibrations, like setting channel levels. But they're not usually engineers and most aren't particularly knowledgeable in acoustics.

So unless you're just having trouble doing a basic setup, you will want to do some research to find a firm that understands room acoustics.

Subject: Re: Calling a professional

Posted by lilbill on Mon, 20 May 2019 09:23:12 GMT

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I agree with you Wayne and most times hiring the services of a firm will cost an arm and a leg. In most instances, I prefer to just search for anything I want on YouTube. There are plenty of tutorials that anyone keen on learning will find useful.

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Posted by Miami on Sun, 17 Nov 2019 18:00:31 GMT

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Posted by Kingfish on Tue, 19 Nov 2019 02:41:06 GMT

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Posted by lilbill on Sun, 05 Apr 2020 08:26:23 GMT

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If you have an ear for music and fix one or two set-ups, referrals will have you overwhelmed with no one wanting to see your qualifications. I think anyone can be good at this by checking out a few YouTube tutorials.

Subject: Re: Calling a professional

Posted by Helen on Sat, 18 Oct 2025 09:40:58 GMT

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I know that this post have been a long time ago but from the reads, I understand that when I have a projector that stopped working, two things will be involved. Firstly, I will take it back to the store but if the problem encountered isn't much, I can call a professional to look into it.