

KRISTOFER MADDIGAN

PERCUSSION • DRUMSET • COMPOSITION

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SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

PRINCIPAL PERCUSSION

National Ballet of Canada
2015 – ongoing

THIRD PERCUSSION

National Ballet of Canada
2009 – 2014

THIRD PERCUSSION

Regina Symphony Orchestra
2002 – 2008

FREELANCE (SELECTED)

The Toronto Symphony Orchestra • The Canadian Opera Company • The Hannaford Street Silverband • The Toronto Mendelssohn Choir • The Thunder Bay Symphony Orchestra • The Toronto Wind Orchestra • The Oakville Symphony Orchestra • The Peterborough Symphony Orchestra • The Cathedral Bluffs Symphony Orchestra • The Toronto Concert Orchestra • The Pax Christie Chorale • Devah String Quartet

FORMAL EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO

2013 - 2014
Principal Instructor
Terry Clarke

Jazz Performance

GLENN GOULD SCHOOL

2007 - 2009
Principal Instructors
John Rudolph & David Kent

Artists Diploma • Percussion

UNIVERSITY OF REGINA

2001 - 2005
Principal Instructor
Bruce Brander

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Music

COMPOSITIONS (SELECTED)

CUPHEAD

Soundtrack – Steam/XBox-One Indie
Video Game, Studio MDHR

Release Date: 2017

MY VIRTUAL DREAM

Nuit Blanche Installation & Recording

2013 - ongoing

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SOLO RECITALS

University of Toronto Jazz Drumset Recital	2014
Glenn Gould School Graduating Recital	2009
Glenn Gould School Artist's Diploma Recital	2008
Graduating Percussion Recital	2005
Junior Percussion Recital	2004

MUSICAL THEATRE & TOURS (SELECTED)

Once on this Island ActingUp Stage – Toronto	2014
Alice's Adventures in Wonderland National Ballet – Kennedy Centre, Washington DC	2014
Assassins Birdland Theatre & Talk is Free – Toronto	2011
Just So Regina Globe Theatre	2006
Sleeping Beauty Royal Winnipeg Ballet – Western Canada Tour	2003

AFFILIATIONS

Percussive Arts Society 2002-Present	
American Federation of Musicians (AFM Local 149) 2002-Present	

SEMINARS & OTHER TRAINING

Private Arrangement Lessons John Herberman	2014 - ongoing Toronto, ON
Private Brazilian Percussion Lessons Alan Heatherington	2014 - ongoing Toronto, ON
Private Drum Instruction With Curtis Andrews, Ledzi Agudzemegah, Oliver Torgboh, Awal Alhassan	2013 Ghana, West Africa
Camp Medeski, Martin and Wood John Medeski, Billy Martin, Chris Wood	2012 Catskills, NY
Private jazz keyboard and harmony lessons Brian Rudolf	2011 – 2012 Toronto, ON
Private jazz drum set lessons Jim Blackley	2010 – 2013 Barrie, ON
National Youth Orchestra of Canada Conducted by Maestro Yaov Talmi	2007 London, ON

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SEMINARS & OTHER TRAINING CONTD

Percussive Arts Society International Conference	2005 Columbus, OH
Silver Creek Summer Music Seminar Nexus Percussion- Bob Becker, William Cahn, Robin Engleman, Garry Kvistad, Russell Hartenberger	August 2004 Toronto, ON
Leigh Howard Stevens Summer Marimba Seminar Leigh Howard Stevens, She-e Wu	2003 Ocean Grove, NJ

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

As a freelance percussionist and drummer, I have had the opportunity to play with many orchestral, jazz, rock and chamber music groups in and around Toronto, and have also worked with international artists such as Petula Clark, The Drifters, Ian Finkle, and Erasure's Andy Bell.

With the National Ballet of Canada Orchestra I have also participated in the soundtrack of the CBC documentary '*Romeos & Juliets*' which aired in the summer of 2012.

I spent the summers from 2007 to 2011 playing drum set and Latin percussion on various cruise ships in the waters of Alaska, South America, The South Pacific, and The Mediterranean.

With my own band *Lazerblade*, we wrote, recorded and released the full length album 'Message to Earth' in 2006, which coincided with a main stage appearance at the Regina Folk Festival.

I have also composed for and performed in a number of large scale multimedia events, notably 'Crossfiring: The Claybank Project', in Claybank, Saskatchewan; 'Cool Moves' in Regina, Saskatchewan; and most recently 'My Virtual Dream' at Scotiabank's Nuit Blanche in Toronto.