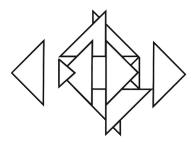
Student and General Testimonials



Jacob Seyer, Guitarist and Composer

2020 Student Testimonials

Jeremy Chang

"In just a few months working with Jacob, I was able to break through many walls and transition smoothly into a level where I can pay more attention to little details, tackle challenging music, and feel more connected to my guitar. That's because Jacob is not only a great guitarist, but also a great and kind mentor. I'm never afraid to ask him any questions, and Jacob is always there to inspire, to motivate, and to gently remind the details in guitar playing that are best not omitted."

Kevin Wang

"Jacob's music is multi-layered and complex, thus can be viewed from different stand points for different flavors. I often see music as different types of light. I see Jacob's music as a gentle flood light, capable of setting moods and atmospheres in an instant. Gentle is by no means weak, when needed the flood light can become aggressive and light up an entire room. Jacob is also an amazing teacher. If what you're playing ever feels a bit off, or you just can't get some details right, Jacob will help you iron 'em right out. Going from simple techniques to complex harmony analysis of a piece, Jacob is the ideal teacher to help you breakdown and understand all aspects of guitar music."

Joy Rajan

"I first met Jacob at the Vancouver International Guitar Festival 2018 and again in 2019. I was blown away by his style of music, his humour, and his overall kind spirit. I am so fortunate to be his student and to finally hear my calling to Fingerstyle Guitar. He's a great teacher and he even makes the essentials of music theory i.e. sight reading fun (that's skill right there lol). After a lot of not so great teachers I can say from my own experience Jacob's the best teacher I have ever had and I hope anyone reading this will come to support him in his music and/or learn from him."

Fei Liu

"My grade 3 daughter, Willa is currently studying guitar with Mr. Jacob Seyer. She is coming up to her second year for her lessons and has been with Jacob for a year now. What we both love about Jacob is that he is so passionate and enthusiastic when he teaches and he always gives Willa choices on the pieces she is learning. He is pleasant and fun and he is relevant with today's music and the kids and he gets positive results. He has also inspired my daughter in many ways. It is important to note that Jacob was great in both in class lessons and virtual classroom during Covid-19's distance learning. I highly recommend Jacob to anyone who wants their children to learn in an encouraging and fun environment. Thank you!"

Taya Liueng

- "After 2.5 years of learning and being bored with the acoustic guitar, I started taking lessons with Jacob, and he has challenged me to the point that I like playing guitar now. He is very insightful and adaptable to whatever questions and requests that I have. Jacob is awesome."

Amelia Moreno

"Jacob is a very good guitar teacher. He's very passionate about music and enjoys his work. I enjoy his lessons because he's always calm. He always gives me positive feedback and once in a while, lets me choose songs that I know or like. He not only feels like a guitar teacher, he feels like a friend. He's been my guitar teacher for almost two years and I feel like I've really warmed up to him in those couple of years. I always learn a lot within each lesson and I always look forward to doing my lesson with him. I would recommend Jacob to anyone who wants to learn guitar."

General Testimonials

Itamar Erez, Composer

Vancouver, BC

7-29-2018

"Listening to Jacob Seyer's new CD 'Migration'.

Amazing guitar work, truly original approach to the acoustic guitar by this talented guitarist/composer based in Vancouver. The music is deep, multi-layered, and goes beyond the popular trends we now hear in acoustic (steel) guitar music...

Congratulations Jacob!!"

Théo Kazourian, Luthier

9-17-2018

"Jacob is a wonderful guitarist with so much sensitivity in his playing. I've hired him to demo my guitars at the Vancouver International Guitar Festival and he did manage to explore and show their full potential to the audience. I highly recommend his services. Thanks again Jacob!"

Cher Alcorn

Naz Music Publishing

10-5-2018

"We met Jacob recently at an event, and we were so captivated by his sound and amazing playing skills. His composition style is tremendously unique and powerful, and we are thrilled to partner with Jacob to begin building a customized business plan for his ground breaking projects!"

Juan Camilo Cortés Rendón

Retiro, Colombia

9-7-2018

"Gran Maestro de la guitarra y excelente persona. disfrutamos mucho de su talento en Colombia. fue un honor escucharlo"

"Great Master of guitar and excellent person. We very much enjoy your talent in Colombia. It was an honor to hear you."

Joshua T. Morelo, Guitarist,

Kansas City, MO

10-18-2018

"Jacob's music lets my mind wander through a warm weathered walk in nature. When listening to his music, the feeling arises of starting a journey without quite knowing where it will lead but knowing the end result is absolute bliss. Superb guitarist!"

Magnus Thomas,

Vancouver, BC

9-15-2018

"Im very greatful to have met Jacob here in Vancouver and was able to hear him playing a few times. His skills on the guitar are amazing and with his new album he brings a very refreshing new sound to the fingerstyle world.

Keep doing what you are doing Jacob! Great work!"

Vinny Linhares Guitarist,

Vancouver, BC

9-6-2018

"Mr. Jacob Seyer is a superb musician and guitar teacher, and now, in spite of his young age, is enriching the guitar literature with his awesome compositions. I am convinced that his contributions will be so vast and worthwhile, both for the guitar as well as for many lives whom have access to his works and/or musical services. I wish Jacob long life and all the best!"

David Sossa, Guitarist,

Vancouver, BC

10-6-2019

"I like your music for several reasons. First, it is very original and fresh. It is easy to understand and unpredictable, and I think that is very important. The cd you recorded is full of variety, not just regarding tempi, but also regarding phrasing and structure. In general, I think you are doing a great job as a composer and of course as a guitarist. When I listened to you in El Retiro, it felt like we were listening to a super top performer and I really think that's what you are."

Nathan Scheffler,

San Diego, CA

7-6-2019

"Watching Jacob perform brings the musician flare back into my life! As a professional musician, it can sometimes be a hard thing to push yourself in a practice room over and over. But after watching and listening to his performances, he makes me want to push myself even further and have as much fun as he portrays."

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