

Madeline Hall, Guitar

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EDUCATION

University of Western Ontario

Bachelor of Music, honors performance (classical guitar)

London, ON

Anticipated April 2024

PRIMARY TEACHERS

Wilma van Berkel

Classical guitar, University of Western Ontario

London, ON

2017 - present

MASTERCLASSES & LESSONS

Sharon Isbin	July-August 2023
Benjamin Verdery	July 2023
Julian Gray	July 2023
Antigoni Goni	June 2021
Eliot Fisk	June 2021
Bruce Holzman	June 2021
Emma Rush	July 2019

FESTIVALS AND INSTITUTES

Aspen Music Festival and School

Classical guitar four-week program

Aspen, CO

July - August 2023

Benjamin Verdery's Maui Masterclass

Classical guitar two-week program

Maui, HI

July 2023

Boston GuitarFest

Classical guitar festival and competition

Boston, MA

June 2021

COMPETITIONS & AWARDS

Marista Brookes Concerto Competition 2 nd prize winner: University of Western Ontario	January 2023
Paul W. Roberston Music Scholarship: University of Western Ontario	September 2021 & 2022
Doris Jackson Memorial Music Scholarship: University of Western Ontario	September 2022
Rose Bowl Grand Prize: Kiwanis Music Festival of London	April 2022
Open Classical Guitar Trophy: Kiwanis Music Festival of London	April 2022
Eliot Fisk Guitar Academy Prize: Boston GuitarFest Academy Competition	June 2021
Fourth Prize winner: Boston GuitarFest Academy Competition	June 2021
First Prize Winner (open level): Ontario Music Festivals Association Guitar Competition	May 2021
First Prize Winner: Quebec International Music Competition	April 2021
Best Contemporary Performance Award: Great Composers Competition Series	April 2021
Second Prize Winner: North International Music Competition	March 2021
First Prize Winner: Quebec International Music Competition	February 2021
First Prize Winner: Grand Metropolitan International Music Competition	January 2021
Western Scholarship of Excellence: University of Western Ontario	September 2020
First Prize Winner (senior division): Ontario Music Festivals Association Guitar Competition	May 2019
First Prize Winner (senior division): Ontario Music Festivals Association Guitar Competition	June 2018

SOLOIST WITH ORCHESTRA EXPERIENCE

London Community Orchestra M. Ponce, <i>Concierto del Sur</i> , cond. Len Ingrao	London, ON October 2023
London Symphonia M. Ponce, <i>Concierto del Sur</i> : I. Allegretto, cond. Ben Bolt-Martin	London, ON January 2023
First St. Andrew's Strings Orchestra L. Boccherini, <i>String Quintet in D Major, G.448</i> (string orchestra arrangement), cond. Igor Saika M. Arnold, <i>Serenade for Guitar and Strings</i> , cond. Igor Saika S. Meyers, <i>Cavatina</i> , cond. Igor Saika	London, ON June 2023 November 2021 January 2020

SELECTED SOLO AND CHAMBER PERFORMANCES

Aspen Music Festival Guitar Studio Recitals Performed solo guitar repertoire and guitar chamber music in four recitals at four performance venues located in the Aspen area	Aspen, CO August 2023
Advanced Guitarists' Recital at Ben Verdery's Maui Masterclass Invited by Benjamin Verdery to play twenty minutes of solo repertoire alongside three other guitarists in a concert showcasing advanced performers	Kula, HI July 2023
Fridays at 12:30 Concert Series at University of Western Ontario Performed Piazzolla's <i>History of the Tango</i> with Violinist Andrew Wan of the New Orford String Quartet and Montreal Symphony Orchestra	London, ON October 2022
Ottawa Guitar Society Young Artists Concert Series Performed a 45-minute recital consisting of contemporary solo guitar repertoire and an original composition for guitar, soprano saxophone, and percussion	Ottawa, ON February 2022
Quebec International Music Competition Gala Concert Featured in a concert consisting of the highest scoring musicians of the 2021 Quebec International Music Competition	Montreal, QC March 2021

WORK HISTORY

Canadian Broadcasting Corporation (CBC) Professionally recorded and filmed a performance in Toronto to be featured in the 2023 "30 Hot Classical Musicians Under 30" publication	Toronto, ON June 2023
London Arts Council Musician on the artist roster of the "London Arts Live" performance program	London, ON Jan 2023 - present
Jazz FM.91 Toronto Recorded three songs that aired on the radio program, <i>Jazzology</i>	Toronto, ON February 2023
Circle R Ranch Program Director of a summer camp for children ages 5-15	Delaware, ON 2018 - 2022
School of Music Arts Studio teacher: taught private guitar and piano lessons to students of all ages	London, ON 2019 - 2021
Original Kids Theatre Company Pit musician for musical theatre productions	London, ON 2019 - present

SELECTED ENSEMBLE EXPERIENCE

Aspen Music Festival Guitar Chamber Ensembles

Participated in a guitar quartet and guitar octet, coached by TY Zhang

Aspen, CO

July – August 2023

Maui-Honu Guitar Orchestra

Directed by Julian Gray, Benjamin Verdery, and Ian O’Sullivan

Maui, HI

July 2023

Western University Contemporary Music Studio

Classical and electric guitars, coached by Paul Frehner and Patricia Green

London, ON

September 2022 – April 2023

Western University Jazz Ensemble

Guitarist and rhythm section leader, directed by Kevin Watson

London, ON

September 2020 - present

Western University Jazz Combo

Guitarist, composer, and arranger, coached by Kevin Watson

London, ON

September 2020 - present