

Summer Swee-Singh

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EDUCATION

University of California, Berkeley: B.A. Legal Studies, Music Minor (2010)

University of Cambridge, Pembroke-King's Programme: Arts Journalism, Political Philosophy (2010)

Vivian Webb School: High School Diploma (2007), Senior Class President (2006-07), Dean's List

CREDITS AND REPERTOIRE

Self-employed / Freelancer (Summer Swee-Singh) – Studio & Touring Pianist / Keyboardist, Composer, Music Director, Music Arranger (Piano / Band / String / Orchestral), Orchestrator, Backing Vocalist, String Contractor, Project Manager, Ensemble Leader, Piano Consultant, Piano & Music Theory Teacher, Writer & Interviewer

- Notable Studio Credits (*alphabetical by artist first name*)
 - Anthony Green** — Co-composer, Pianist, String Arranger, String Contractor (album, 2018); Composer, Pianist, Flutist, Violinist, String Contractor, Featured Artist (album, 2019); **Alex Siegel** – Co-composer [viola, cello, & flute], Flutist, String Contractor (single, unreleased); **Chief Keef** – Pianist (Trap Symphony, 2018); **Eric Bazilian & Danny Black** – Co-composer, Keyboardist, Flutist (single, unreleased); **GRP** – Original Project, Band Leader, Keyboards & Piano, Composer, Producer, Session Musician Contractor (singles, 2019 – present, ongoing); **Jaе Deal** – Pianist, Orchestral Contractor (audio-visual project, unreleased); **KSHMR** – Keyboardist, Co-composer (Splice pack and singles, 2019); **Naia Izumi** – Pianist, Celeste, Keys (album, 2021); **Polyphia** – Pianist, Co-composer (single, 2022); YouTube Collaboration – Pianist, Flutist, String Arranger & Contractor (single & video, 2018); **Psychic Barber** – Keyboardist, Co-composer (single, 2019); **Rob Scallon** – Pianist/Keys, String Arranger & Contractor, Conductor (single, 2022 – present, ongoing); **Roddy Ricch** – Keyboardist (Trap Symphony, 2019); **Thunder Jackson** – String Arranger, String Contractor (single, 2020); **Until the Ribbon Breaks** – Pianist, Composer/Arranger, String Contractor, Featured Artist (single, 2018)
- Notable Touring and Live Performance Credits (*reverse chronological order*)
 - **Kings Elliot** (August – December 2022): Keyboardist and SPD triggers; sole hired gun musician on stage with opening act artist on 7-week US/CAN stadium tour, opening for Macklemore & Imagine Dragons; highlights include playing Fenway Park and Allegiant Stadium (crowd of over 50,000). Also, private event gigs for BMG backing Kings Elliot in Dec. 2022.
 - **GRP** (June 2022 – Present): Keyboardist, Music Director, Band Leader, String Contractor (original music)
 - **Naia Izumi** (January 2019 – Present): Keyboardist and Rhodes; NAMM 2019 & 2020, Sony Sessions 2021, World Expo Dubai 2020 performance (December 2021 in Dubai, UAE), etc.
 - **Keiynan Lonsdale** (November 2021 – Present): Keyboardist for Keiynan's headline show at Los Globos
 - **Dayseeker / Rory Rodriguez** (January 2020): Keyboardist for charity show at
 - **Roddy Ricch** (November 2019): Keyboardist for Trap Symphony show at The Peppermint Club
 - **Bebe Rexha** (October 2019): Pianist on **The Ellen Show** ("You Can't Stop the Girl")
 - **Mothé** (August 2021 – May 2022): Keyboardist for shows at The Echo and The Moroccan Lounge
 - **Love, Alexa** (June 2019): Keyboardist for Love, Alexa's set at Echo Park Rising Festival
 - **Ariel Bellvalaire** (February 2019): Keyboardist for showcase
 - **Chon** (December 2018): Keyboardist, String Arranger & Contractor, Backing Vocalist, Conductor, Music Director – Headline Tour
 - **Anthony Green** (July 2018): Keyboardist, Flutist, String Arranger, String Contractor – Headline Tour
 - **Circa Survive** (November 2017): Keyboardist, String Arranger, String Contractor – Co-headline Tour
 - **Alexandra Shipp** (January 2017): Keyboardist for Winter NAMM show and Long Beach headline show
 - **Summer Swee-Singh** (2013 – Present): Pianist, Arranger – Dubutantes duo at TEDxUCSD2013 and Pianist, Arranger at TEDxCambridgeUniversity2014; notable celebrity weddings and corporate events
 - **Honors String Sinfonia / Webb Schools Orchestra** (2003 – 2007): Pianist and violinist (violin II section)
- Founder, Sole Writer, Contributor, & Interviewer of www.aapimusicians.com and @aapimusicians Instagram

- Summer Swee-Singh & the Heartstrings (@sssheartstrings):
 Founder, ensemble leader, conductor, recruiter, and sole pianist of an ethnically-diverse, all-female orchestral ensemble with a roster of top violinists, violists, cellists, double bassists, harpists, and flutists. Recruiter and contractor of string players across the country for studio and touring work with bases in LA, ATX, NYC.
- JAMS (@wemakejams):
 Co-founder, music director, keyboardist / pianist, orchestral arranger, and string contractor of an all-female backing band for hire. Coordinated Ultimate Ears in-ear monitors endorsement for JAMS.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Kings Elliot US/CAN Stadium Tour: Aug. – Sept. 2022 (opening for Macklemore and Imagine Dragons); largest crowd of 50,000+ at Allegiant Stadium. Other notable venues: Fenway Park, T-Mobile Center, etc.
- Played keyboard in and music directed a violin-bass-keyboard trio alongside bassist Anna Sentina and violinist Miren Edelstein; played the National Anthem for a record-breaking, sold-out NWSL game between SD Wave FC and Angel City FC: Sept. 2022 (sold-out game audience of 32,000 at Snapdragon Stadium).
- Recipient of the *Young Alumni Rising Star Award for 2022* – The Webb Schools
- Voted TKE (Nu Chapter – UC Berkeley) Sweetheart: 2009
- 1st Place in Local Claremont Region; 2nd place in Southern California Regional - Dan Stover Music Competition 2007, represented Claremont Sunrise Rotary – performed Chopin’s *Fantasia Impromptu*
- Vivian Webb Chapel Pianist: 2005 – 2007
- Musical pit orchestra pianist for The Webb Schools: 2006 (“Fiddler on the Roof”), 2007 (“Company”)
- Pianist and violinist (2nd violin section) for Honors String Sinfonia and Webb Orchestra: 2003 – 2007
- VWS Senior Class President: 2006 – 2007
- Received a 5 on the AP Music Theory Examination (highest score): 2006
- Passed the Advanced Level (highest) of the MTAC Certificate of Merit exam for piano with a 98% on the written theory portion: 2004
- Performed as a solo pianist for the ACSI National Teachers convention for a crowd of 10,000 people: 2003
- Came in 23rd place at the ACSI National Spelling Bee: 2002
- Passed Yamaha Music School Level 5 Examination, earning a Piano Teaching Certificate at age 12: 2001