

Jenna Kopitske, drummer and pianist

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Resume

Performance Experience

- Waylon Nihipali, drummer of Nashville country band 2023-current
- Performed at Walla Walla Music Fest, Grand Naniloa Crown Room, Grand Wailea Molokini Gardens, Waikiki Beachcomer Hotel, Makawao Stampede Rodeo, Barking Sands Navy Base, Mauna Lani Resort and Stoney's Rockin' Country in Las Vegas
- Jonny T-Bird & the MP's, drummer of Milwaukee blues band 2019-2022
- Opened for Halestorm, YUNG BLEU, American Idol winner Chayce Beckham, Lilith Czar, Blanco Brown, Frank Bang of Buddy Guy and more
- Appleton Alliance Church, drummer of worship band 2021-current
- Played to click tracks/loops and read Nashville Number System charts
- University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, percussionist and pianist 2019-2022
- Performed in Symphonic Band, Wind Ensemble, Titan Steel, Percussion Ensemble, Symphony Orchestra, and Handbell Choir
- Jenna Kopitske, original new age-contemporary and blues pianist 2014-current
- Performed in Wisconsin at Mile of Music, Osthoff Resort, Paper Valley Hotel, Suicide Awareness Walk, Houdini Plaza, Riverview Gardens, Grand Meridian, Appleton Farmers Market, Dogtoberfest, Whistler's Knoll, weddings, nursing homes, and awards shows
- Appleton Rock School, drummer and keyboardist 2013-2019
- Performed in Wisconsin at Summerfest, Weidner Center, Appleton Performing Arts Center, Lambeau Field, Gibson Music Hall, Octoberfest, Electric City Experience, Cheesefest, WBAY-TV Cerebral Palsy Telethon, benefits and local coffee shops

Recording Projects

- "Losing Light" original new age-contemporary piano single by Jenna Kopitske 2022
- Recorded at home studio, mastered at Rock Garden Studio by Marc Golde

“Play Time” original blues album by Jonny T-Bird & the MP’s - Recorded drums, wurlitzer, organ, and auxiliary percussion at Hamtone Audio	2022
“Pride & Joy” sophomore original piano EP by Jenna Kopitske - Recorded at UW Oshkosh Studio by Chris Jewson and Nathan Edwards	2021
“Fighting Monsters” Christian rap single by Jon the Revalaytor - Tracked drums at Cherry Pit Studios	2019
“O Come All Ye Faithful” Christmas song by Tim Dorsey - Recorded drums at OpenwindO Recording Studio	2019
“Unheard Of” debut original piano EP by Jenna Kopitske - Mixed and mastered at OpenwindO Studios by Tim Dorsey	2018

Honors/Awards

Nominee for Pianist of the Year, Wisconsin Area Music Industry	2024
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Student Award for Excellence TV Episodic Entertainment Program, Titan TV	2023
Shepherd Express Best of Milwaukee Awards, Finalist for Best Blues Band	2023
Honors Recitalist Award and Scholarship, University of Wisconsin Oshkosh	2022
Oshkosh Fine Arts Association Scholarship	2022
Bill Tesch Music Scholarship, Boogie and the Yoyo’z	2019
Endowment of Music Excellence, University of Wisconsin Oshkosh	2019
Rising Star in Art Award, James Thaldorf	2019
Nell M. Menn Music Scholarship, Community Foundation For The Fox Valley	2019
Nominee for Rising Star of the Year, Wisconsin Area Music Industry	2018-2019

Education

University of Wisconsin Oshkosh-Bachelor of Music September 2019-May 2023
 Music Industry Major: Music Business Emphasis
 Percussion studies with Dr. Alison Shaw and Marisol Kuborn
 Graduation May 2023