

# Brianna Chang

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Website & Portfolio

## PROFILE

Composer, instrumentalist, and producer passionate about creating modern and genre-bending blend of music in film, television, and music. I am drawn to adding my own personal touch and style through my experiences playing classical violin and piano in an orchestra, and in my free time you will find me playing around and trying experimental new ideas to my compositions.

## EDUCATION

Berklee College of Music 2020-2024

BM in Contemporary Writing and Production

- Berklee College Dean's List (2020-2024)
- Award in *Against The Grain Artistic Scholarship* (2024)
- Cum Laude

**Relevant Coursework:** Strings & Woodwind Ensemble Writing, Advanced Production for Writers, Writing & Production for Music Library, Mix Concepts and Application for Writers, Collab Studies and Music Production, Sequencing & Production Techniques, Film Scoring for Composers

## EXPERIENCE

### *Treacherous Studios*

Studio Intern

Los Angeles, CA

June 2024- August 2024

- Assisted with setting up and breaking down recording sessions, studio equipment, and organizing files to ensure a smooth operating session
- Supported recording engineers and producers during sessions, providing technical assistance and ensuring a clean studio environment
- Organized and performed studio tasks such as maintaining studio schedule, completing tasks physical and digital, and providing technical assistance
- Gained a hands-on experience with industry-standard software and hardware, collaboration and insight with industry professionals and artists

### *Cadenza String Orchestra*

(Concert Mistress)

Temecula, CA

October 2018 - December 2023

- Involved in a Non-profit organization with 40+ musicians utilizing a wide repertoire of styles and techniques that reflect a deep understanding of genres
- Appointed as Concert mistress and helped lead a group of violinists that allowed leadership abilities to unexpected changes in live performances
- Competed in the Sum Cum Laude International Music Festival and placed 2nd ensuring a mastery of hardwork and resilient motives

### *Boston Conservatory at Berklee*

Productions Assistant

Boston, MA

February 2023- Present

- Provided detail oriented productions assistant with a proven ability to coordinate logistics and support production teams
- Assisting costume designers, directors, camera operators and crew members to help prepare technical and lighting support for students, staff, and faculty
- Demonstrated capability in multitasking and problem-solving in fast-paced production environments showcasing strong work ethics and coordination

### *Gig Performer*

(Vocal Trio)

Temecula, CA

October 2020- Present

- Dynamic performer that is comfortable in working in a collaborative setting with self accompanied of keyboard, guitar, cajon, and vocals
- Adaptable in fast paced environment with experience in playing in diverse venues ranging from intimate local clubs to large music festivals
- Collaborative trio member skilled in live performances, audience engagement, musical arrangements, and improvisations on the spot

### *Featured second place pianist in The Fresh Enterprise*

(Pianist)

Temecula, CA

March 2020

- Awarded second place in solo classical piano at the *Temecula Sunrise Rotary Music Competition* with 20+ competitors and 4-5 state judges
- Featured in online article *The Fresh Enterprise* with first, second, third winners and two honorable mentions demonstrating strong stage performance

### *Musician, St. Martha Catholic Church*

(Solo Violinist)

Temecula, CA

January 2020 - Present

- Served as a solo violin accompaniment in Mass gatherings for 3-4 hours weekly, emphasizing the skills to adding expressive and unique elements
- Improvised and creatively adapted to different musical situations, showcasing the capacity to think quickly and perform spontaneously
- Demonstrated proficiency in ensemble playing and solo performances, while also accompanying choirs and other instrumentalists

### *Violin and piano Music Tutor*

Temecula, CA

- Assisted children while maintaining high grades in school November 2020 -August 2021
- Officiated weekly lessons for children ages 5-16 years old in levels beginner to intermediate remotely and in person for 3-4 hours

## SKILLS

### DAW/ NOTATION SOFTWARE

- Logic Pro X, Pro Tools, Finale, MuseScore, Garageband, MultiTrack,

### GENERAL SOFTWARE

- Microsoft Office 365, Google Suite, Adobe Acrobat, Slack, Discord, Google Sheets

### SOCIAL MEDIA

- Instagram, TikTok, Twitter, YouTube, Pinterest, Facebook, Linked In, Snapchat