

Jason Valleau

Musician

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📍 Calgary Alberta

WORK EXPERIENCE

Professional Musician

The Polyjesters

📅 1999 - current

3 professional recordings, several extensive tours of the United States, Canada, England, and Japan, including the Epcot Centre at Disney World in Orlando, Florida, played extensively in France/Italy as a 4-year resident of Nice, France. Accompanied great Canadian musicians, i.e. Tommy Banks, Ian Thomas, Murray McLauchlan, Cindy Church, Lynn Miles, Charlie Major, James Hill

Professional Projects

📅 1995 - current

John Wort Hannam, Blake Reid Band, Ryland Moranz, Calgary Creative Arts Ensemble, André Wickenhieser, Tim Tamashiro, Jeremy Gignoux, Laila Biali
Several side musician jazz performances
Over 30 professional recordings
Jazz Quartet for 3 major cruise lines

Music & Hospitality Industry

Arts Administration

📅 2005 - 2019

National Music Centre – Programs Manager
JazzYYC Festival – Operations Manager
Mountain View Music Fest – Founder, A&E Director

Music Venue, Radio & Restaurant

📅 2009 – 2015

The Café Radio – Owner & Manager

CAREER SUMMARY

Multi-instrumentalist across several genres and time periods of music. 20 years arts administration experience and music event organization. Comfortable with analogue and digital technology on a stage, in an office, and in the classroom. Entrepreneur with business startup and operation experience. French A 2.3 level.

EDUCATION

University of Calgary

Bachelor of Education 2022
Bachelor of Music 1996

SECTOR EXPERTISE

Premier's Council on Culture
Arts Touring Alliance of Alberta
Carstairs Chamber of Commerce
Carstairs Economic Development
Sylvan Lake Jazz Fest Director
3rd Generation Canadian Musician