

# Jignesh Sheth

PROFESSIONAL  
MUSICIAN

## ABOUT

Professional musician, music composer, and multi-instrumentalist specializing in **tabla** and **guitar**. Disciple of tabla legend **Pt. Anindo Chatterjee** and **Pt. Divyang Vakil**. All-India-Radio grade tabla artist.

## SKILLS

### Instruments



TABLA



GUITAR



HARMONIUM



PIANO

### Music production

- ▶ Composing music
- ▶ Studio recording, editing, mixing, and mastering tracks



## OCCUPATION

### 2005–pr. PROFESSIONAL MUSICIAN

Concerts and music projects in India and abroad.

### 2011–pr. FOUNDER, DIRECTOR

Kalatman School of Dance & Music in Ahmedabad, India.

### 2021–2023 TABLA TEACHER

Moscow State Tchaikovsky Conservatory in Moscow, Russia.

### 2021–2023 TABLA TEACHER-CUM-PERFORMER

Jawaharlal Nehru Cultural Centre (ICCR), Embassy of India in Moscow, Russia.

## EDUCATION

### 2003–2005 M. P. A. WITH DISTINCTION

Saurashtra University – All-University Rank 1

### 1999–2003 B. P. A. WITH DISTINCTION

Bhavnagar University – All-University Rank 1

### 1999–2001 ALANKAR DEGREE

Bruhad Gujarat Sangeet Samiti

### 1996–1999 VISHARAD DEGREE (3 GOLD MEDALS)

Bruhad Gujarat Sangeet Samiti – All-Gujarat Rank 1



## NOTABLE ACTIVITIES



TABLA SOLO



TABLA ACC.



JUGAL-BANDHI



PERF. BY STUDENTS



ACC. FOR KATHAK



PIANO



GUITAR



COM-POSING



MASTER CLASS



PUBLIC SPEECH

2023



### "Musical Eurasia" Festival at "Kuzminki" Park, Moscow

Played tabla solo and represented Indian culture alongside 9 other countries.



### Vernissage of the exhibition "Incredible India. A Look from Russia" at "Tsaritsyno" Museum-Reserve, Moscow (on the photo)

Performed in the presence of the Moscow Government Minister, Deputy Minister of Culture of Russia, and other dignitaries and art lovers.



### "Namaste Moscow" Festival at the Embassy of India, Moscow

The event was attended by at least 4,000 people.







## International Day of Yoga 2023 at "Tsaritsyno" Museum-Reserve, Moscow

The event was attended by at least 4,000 people.



## "Taal Sandhya" Evening of Tabla Rhythms at the Embassy of India, Moscow

Tabla-centered event I initiated, organized and conducted. It included performances in collaboration with Russian artists (sitar, flute) as well as by my tabla students.



## Function on the occasion of the Republic Day of India at the 5-star hotel "The Carlton, Moscow"

Performed in the presence of several countries' Ambassadors, members of the Russian government and ministries, and other dignitaries.

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2022

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## Vernissage of the exhibition "Russia-India: the Garden of Friendship" at the Zurab Tsereteli Art Gallery, Moscow (on the photo)

My students and I performed at the gallery of the renowned Russian painter, sculptor and architect Zurab Tsereteli in his personal presence.







**Outreach tabla master class at the Children's Academy of Arts in the city of Cheboksary, Russia**



**Outreach tabla master class and concert at the Festival of India-Russia friendship in the city of Izhevsk, Russia**



**International scientific conference "Artistic heritage of A. N. Scriabin in the context of artistic culture of the XX-XXI centuries"**

Presented a talk on Russian composer and virtuoso pianist Alexander Scriabin and his connection with Indian music.



**Outreach tabla master class and concert at the ethnic multicultural festival "Krutushka" in the city of Kazan, Russia (on the photo)**

The festival was attended by at least 5,000 people.



**"DOSTI" event of India–Russia diplomatic relations at A. N. Scriabin Museum, Moscow**



**Outreach tabla master class and concert at the "Days of Indian Culture" Festival in the city of Samara, Russia**

Performed guitar in the Indian style along with sitar, tabla, and vocal in the presence of the Minister of Culture, Samara Region.



**International Day of Yoga 2022 at the Muzeon Park of Arts, Moscow**

The event was attended by at least 1,000 people.

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2021

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**"Sangeet Dhara" Concert at ZIL Cultural Center, Moscow (on the photo)**

Performed piano solo and tabla accompaniment for vocal in the presence of Irene Nelson, a renowned Russian pop-rock recording artist, songwriter and producer.





## **Outreach tabla master class and performance at Mordovia University in the city of Saransk, Russia**

Performed in the presence of the Ambassador of India to Russia.



## **Tabla solo and accompaniment performance at the Vedic Iskon Temple in the city of St. Petersburg, Russia**

Performed in the presence of the Consul General of India in St. Petersburg.



## **Tabla solo and accompaniment performance at the Consulate General of India in St. Petersburg, Russia**



## **"Sant Vaani" Music Concert at ZIL Cultural Center, Moscow**

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2020–2015

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## **Composed music for the 45-minute "Amrapali" Dance Drama Production for the Abhivyakti City Arts Project**



## **Sitar–Tabla Performance with sitarist Imran Khan at Asia and Pacific Museum in Warsaw, Poland**



## **Tabla accompaniment for sitar and tabla solo at a Concert of Bangla Music for Bangladesh Association in Stockholm, Sweden**



## **Guitar performance for contemporary Kathak production "Vismay + Chakit" by Kathak maestros Maulik Shah and Ishira Parikh in Ahmedabad, India**



Tabla performance with Czech Philharmonic Orchestra at "Galerie Rudolfinum" State Museum of Contemporary Art in Prague, Czech Republic (on the photo)



Tabla Solo and Kathak-Tabla performance with Anjani Parikh at Diwali celebration in Hamburg, Germany



Video Recording with Polish Musicians for Indian Government Project on Mahatma Gandhi "Musicians from over 100 countries perform on Mahatma Gandhi's 150th birth anniversary"



Performance with Czech World Music Orchestra at Radziejowice Palace Hotel Henryka Sienkiewicza, Warsaw, Poland



Recording session with a famous suka player Maria Pamianowska for her album





Mantra and Indian devotional concert with singer Manish Vyas in Romanel-sur-Lausanne and Lichtensteig, Switzerland



Tabla master class at Asia and Pacific Museum in Warsaw, Poland



Tabla solo and accompaniment for the famous Polish musician Maria Pamiamowska & her band in Olsztynek, Poland



Guitar accompaniment at "Soz a Ishq" Sufi Concert at Ellisbridge Gymkhana Club in Ahmedabad, India



Guitar and tabla performance as a member of the fusion band "Aahvaan" at Rajpath Club in Ahmedabad

Judge at a music competition at a PDPU University in Gandhinagar, India



Guitar accompaniment for Swarsetu Choir at the "Sur Poorva" festival of Choral Music and Instrumental Ensembles in Rajkot, India, organized by Sangeet Natak Akademi



Guitar accompaniment at the Anushthan Music Festival in Ahmedabad, India



Tabla accompaniment for Kathak maestro Maulik Shah for Doordarshan TV Channel



Fusion Band “Aahvaan” at Kankariya Carnival in Ahmedabad by Gujarat Government



Tabla accompaniment for Kathak maestro Maulik Shah during Hori Utsav festival for Doordarshan TV Channel



Guitar accompaniment for “Anushthan” Symphony Orchestra by famous musician Ashit Desai in Mumbai, India



Guitar accompaniment for Sugam Sangit TV show for Doordarshan Gujarat TV Channel



Tabla accompaniment with Kathak maestro Maulik Shah for Doordarshan TV Channel



Tabla accompaniment for Kathak at the Saptak Festival in Ahmedabad, India

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2014–2009

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Tabla accompaniment for Kathak maestro Maulik Shah for “National Programme Of Dance – Kathak” for Doordarshan Delhi TV Channel



Tabla accompaniment at “Nalanda Nrityotsav” festival in Mumbai, India





**Tabla accompaniment for vocal at the "Pt. Omkarnath Thakore Shashtriya Samaroh" in Surat, India**



**Tabla accompaniment with Kathak during the celebration of World Dance Day at Natarani Amphitheatre in Ahmedabad, India**



**Lead guitarist at a famous fusion band "TAAN" led by Rushi Vakil, the son of tabla guru Pt. Divyang Vakil**



**Tabla accompaniment for Kathak maestro Maulik Shah at "Vasantotsav" festival on the occasion of Pt. Birju Maharaj's birthday in his personal presence in New Delhi, India**



**Tabla accompaniment for Kathak maestro Maulik Shah at Kathak Kala Kendra during Kathak Festival in New Delhi, India**



**Tabla accompaniment for Kathak maestro Maulik Shah at the "Spirit of Spring" Festival organized by Indo Occidental Symbiosis and Academy of Indian Culture in Kolkata, India**



**Tabla accompaniment for Kathak maestro Maulik Shah at Haridas Samaroh in Mumbai, India**



**Tabla accompaniment for Kathak maestro Shri Maulik Shah at Kinkini Festival in Mumbai, India**



Tabla accompaniment for Kathak maestro Maulik Shah at Nrityanjali Dance Festival organized by Thanjavur Department of Tourism, Government of Tamil Nadu and Government of India, in Thanjavur, India

## MUSIC RELEASES



**JIJIVISHA — An Eternal Desire**  
*Album (Tabla)*  
2023



## SOCIAL MEDIA



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