

STEVEN KLIER

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Experience

Production Songwriter | 2019-

Full Clip Music

- Completed 12 song “Indie Pop” album within 16 weeks with exceptionally positive feedback
- Album was accepted for commercial release
- Recorded full length album
- Mixed, mastered, and produced full length album
- Worked with producers at Full Clip Music to ensure songs were marketable and high quality

Video Post-Production Assistant | 2018-2019

Michigan Technological University

- Responsible for carefully syncing/editing/correcting audio recordings for recorded video interviews
- Responsible for light/color editing of video recordings

Sound Designer/Composer | 2016-2018

Husky Games Development

- Worked with teams of video game developers to create music and sound effects that fit the emotional tone of their video games.

Music Composer | 2015

Michigan Technological University

- Composed music for the Visual Performing Arts department play “Bengal Tiger at The Baghdad Zoo” using Logic Pro X and East West software instruments
- Worked with the director and sound designers to ensure the music fit their creative vision

Recording Engineer | 2015

Michigan Technological University

- Recorded a live performance of the Keweenaw Symphony Orchestra
- Mixed and mastered the recorded performance of the orchestra

Education

Michigan Technological University | 2013-2018

B.S. Audio Production and Technology

Minor in Music Composition

University of Massachusetts Lowell | 2019

Certificate Web Development

Awards and Acknowledgements

- Certificate of Merit for music written for the play “Bengal Tiger at The Baghdad Zoo”
- “Stukent” Mimic Pro Certificate of Completion for completing a six week long simulated digital marketing campaign

Events Attended

- Kennedy Center American College Theater Festival (2014, 2015)
- United States Institute for Theatre Technology (2017)
- Audio Engineering Society New York (2017)

Skills

- Comfortable using digital audio workstations such as Pro Tools, Logic Pro X, and Reaper
- Can compose music in many genres in a short amount of time
- Highly skilled at composing, improvising, and performing on the guitar
- Capable of performing on drums, keyboard, bass, and vocals
- Experienced in the recording, mixing, and mastering process
- Programming and web coding experience
- Knowledge of HTML, CSS, JavaScript, jQuery, Python, MySQL, and PHP
- Basic understanding of electrical engineering technology/mathematics
- Understanding/experience with digital marketing practices

Personal Projects

Highlight Reel- “So This Is Goodbye” EP | 2015-2017

- Fully composed a four song “Alternative Rock” EP
- Acted as producer for the EP
- Recorded and performed on the guitar
- Recorded and performed vocals

Steven Klier- “...In Retrospect” EP | 2016-2017

- Composed a three song “Contemporary Fingerstyle Acoustic” EP
- Mixed and mastered the EP
- Performed everything on the EP

RIVALS- “Summer Sweat” EP | 2016-2017

- Composed music to accompany the vocalist’s lyrics
- Acted as the producer for recording and mixing process
- Recorded and performed on the guitar

Highlight Reel- “Truther Seeker” Album | 2017-2018

- Composed and wrote full length “Progressive Rock” album
- Recorded and performed on guitar
- Recorded and performed vocals

Highlight Reel- Self Titled EP | 2019

- Composed a five song “Alternative Rock” EP
- Acted as producer for the EP
- Recorded and performed on the guitar
- Recorded and performed vocals

Interests/Extracurricular Activities

- Performing in the Michigan Tech Jazz band
- Attending local music events
- Gigging with my rock and jazz groups
- Songwriting/Composing
- Web coding/development
- Reading
- Weight Lifting
- Practicing new instruments