

MACKENZIE MYATT

VIOLINIST



My name is Mackenzie Myatt and I graduated from CVR in 2005. After graduating I studied Music (Performance- Classical Violin). I went on to study Education at McGill. In my free time I began performing in various musical projects, mainly a pop-rock group, where I

sang and played violin. I had never played this style of music before or even sang in front of others in my life, but I thought it would be a fun challenge. In 2014 I joined a band called John Jacob Magistry. With this band I have performed alongside some notable acts including Blue Rodeo and the Barr Brothers. We have played many venues and festivals including Osheaga and the Montreal Jazz Fest. Our songs are played on radio stations in and around Montreal, such as CHOM fm. We continue to perform and record new music on a regular basis. My advice to students would be to have an open mind when it comes to new opportunities, challenge yourself, and make sure to set aside time to do the things you love.