



Simon Whiting

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Drum Tutor

Instruments

Drums

Biography

Simon's first introduction to drums was when his parents took him to see two jazz drummers play at his local theatre. Since then he has been hooked on music and drumming. Simon's interest in developing his knowledge in music has seen him complete a degree at Christ Church University as well as gain a masters from the Guildhall School of Music and Drama. He also studied individually with some of the UK's best drum tutors including Bob Armstrong, Allan Cox and Louie Palmer. Simon is also a keen studio engineer and has recently set up the playback service at YMS.

Interests and Hobbies

Simon's interests include seeing live music and shows as well as cooking and running.

Something you won't know

Simon has run the Paris and Brighton marathons!

Professional Performance Work

Having studied a wide variety of music he has forged a diverse career performing in musicals, Pantomimes, Big bands, film soundtracks, function work and original rock/pop groups. His most recent work includes performing in the pantomime sleeping beauty (Churchill Theatre, Bromley) as well as regularly performing with his function band The Boogie Knights and his Jazz trio.

Teaching Experience

Simon has been teaching at YMS for 6 years. During this time has also taught at various schools throughout Kent and London

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