

Jake Hoffman

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PROFILE

Musician with 16+ years experience in performing and teaching Bass, Guitar, Vocals and Percussion, including performance at Bamboozle Music Festival and guest teaching at New York University. Organized, punctual problem-solver and skilled collaborator.

EXPERIENCE

Musician — 2008 - Present

- Expert at Bass Guitar, Electric Guitar, Vocals, Acoustic Guitar. Proficient at Drums.
- Played festivals Bamboozle Music Festival, UnityFest, Russtival, and venues such as Count Basie Theater, Arlene's Grocery, Mercury Lounge.
- Recorded multiple LPs, EPs, and singles. Most played song reaching 57,000+ listens on Spotify.
- Experienced in many genres including rock, blues, funk, metal, singer/songwriter, country on all instruments.

Musician for Hire, Freelance — 2012 - Present

- Hired for both live gigs and studio session work for Bass, Guitar, Drums, and Vocals.

Guest Instructor, New York University, New York, NY — 2020 - Present

- Invited four times to be a guest instructor at New York University's "Experimental Music" program. Brought in to demonstrate and discuss songwriting, melody, and conventionality vs unconventionality in songwriting.

Music Teacher, Freelance — 2017 - Present

- Teach guitar, bass, drums and vocals to all ages both privately and in Valley Music Center in Long Valley, NJ.

Rock Climbing Instructor — 2018 - 2022

- Taught climbing students from ages 8 to 55 at Gravity Vault Flemington and MetroRock Bushwhack & Williamsburg

Video Production Assistant and Camera Operator, Zipline Media, New York, NY — 2021 - Present

- Worked with Technical Director Matthew Cerisano on documentary focusing on commercial jingles, currently in production. Interviewed Elliot Randall, guitarist of Steely Dan.
- Camera operator for live concerts, promotional videos, music videos and short films. Experience with Sony A7s and FX6.

Inventor, Active Products LLC, Washington, NJ — 2013 - 2016

- At 12 years old, Invented a toy called Wall Coaster and brought the toy to market and sold at Toys 'R' Us, Mastermind Toys, and hundreds of independent toy stores across USA, Canada, and Europe.

EDUCATION

Berklee College of Music

- Advanced Music Studies Certificate
- General Music Studies Certificate
- Music Business Certificate
- Victor Wooten's Center for Music and Nature

PROFESSIONAL WORK

- "Let It Grow" Live - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MCFallokdvo>
- Park This Car EP - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XqYa7piWa7c>
- "Didn't Like Me Back" Music Video <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FtEezwyxfYQ>

SOCIAL MEDIA

- <https://www.instagram.com/hoffmansusername/>

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