

# JunYi Chow

*Composer, Pianist, Improviser*

## EDUCATION

**Jacobs School of Music, Indiana University**, Bloomington, Indiana, May 2013  
*Master of Music, Composition*

**Central Conservatory of Music**, Beijing, China, July 2011  
*Bachelor of Arts in Composition*

## HIGHLIGHTED EVENTS

**Residency at Banff Centre**, Alberta, Canada, September - October 2016

- Accepted to attend the Banff Musicians in Residence program at Banff Centre to create new work Concerto for Guanzi and Orchestra.

**Premiere of ‘Stories from an Island City’ Production**, Singapore, August 2016

- Commissioned by The TENG Ensemble to compose 10 new works named the Temasek Heritage series in recognition of Temasek, an investing company based in Singapore.

**Music for Dance Research Project**, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, May 2016

- Invited by Edinburgh based choreographer Janis Claxton to join research project with DPAC (Damansara Performing Arts Centre) Dance Company. Researched on music for improvisation dance during the month-long residency, and performed live improvisation music for final open rehearsal.

**2016 International Composers’ Summit**, Hong Kong, February 2016

- “Guanzi and Orchestra” a 3-minute full Chinese orchestra piece is selected as one of the six call-for-scores by Hong Kong Chinese Orchestra to attend the Summit as ‘a truly, unconditionally open invitation for original compositions’ and performed by Hong Kong Chinese Orchestra.

**Premiere of orchestral work “Serenade”**, New York, January 2015

- The premiere of orchestral work “Serenade” in New York by Spectrum Symphony Orchestra. Founded in 2001, Spectrum performs concerts that showcase music of living composers alongside the classic symphonic repertory.

**Commissioned by Malaysian Philharmonic Youth Orchestra**, Malaysia, December 2010

- World premiere of Orchestra piece “Getaran”, conducted by Kevin Field
- Tour performance at Kuantan, Penang and Kuala Lumpur

## AWARDS AND HONORS

**Finalist for The League of Composers/ISCM Composers’ Competition**, United States, 2014

**Brian M. Israel Prize 2014 Honorable Mention**, United States, 2014

**Alternate Regional Winner in SCI/ ASCAP Student Composition Commission Contest**, United States, 2013

**Finalist for 2013 ASCAP Foundation Morton Gould Young Composer Awards**, United States, 2013

**Singapore International Competition for Chinese Chamber Music Composition Winner**, 2012

**Beijing Modern Music Festival Young Composer Projects Winner**, China, 2012

**Taipei Chinese Orchestra International Composition Competition Second Prize**, Taiwan, 2010

**“Yan Huang” Award for Sheng Composition First Prize**, China, 2009

**Palatino Award for vocal and chorus music First Prize**, China, 2009

**Goethe South East Asian Young Composer Award’s 1<sup>st</sup> runner up**, Malaysia, 2009

**Malaysian Young Composer Award Winner**, Malaysia, 2009

## ORCHESTRAS/ ENSEMBLES I WORKED WITH

**Malaysian Philharmonic Youth Orchestra**, Malaysia  
**Vivo Experimental Orchestra**, Malaysia  
**La Voce Choir**, Malaysia  
**Teng Ensemble**, Singapore  
**Singapore Chinese Orchestra**, Singapore  
**Ding Yi Music Company**, Singapore  
**Hong Kong Chinese Orchestra**, Hong Kong  
**Taipei Chinese Orchestra**, Taiwan  
**Little Giant Chinese Chamber Orchestra**, Taiwan  
**Spectrum Symphony of New York**, United States  
**New Music Concerts Ensemble**, Canada  
**Ensemble Mosaik**, Germany

## MUSIC FESTIVALS

**Asian Composers League**, 2013-2015  
**Jogyakarta Contemporary Music Festival**, Indonesia, 2014  
**Taoyuan Traditional Music Festival**, Taiwan, 2014  
**The First Chinese Chamber Music Festival**, Singapore, 2013  
**China-ASEAN Nanning Music Week**, China, 2013-2015  
**Busan Choral Festival**, Korea, 2012  
**Beijing Huqin Arts Festival**, China, 2012  
**Ding Yi Company Composium**, Singapore, 2012  
**Beijing Modern Music Festival**, China, 2012  
**New Music Concert Series**, Toronto, Canada, 2011  
**Darmstadt International Summer Course for new music**, Germany, 2010  
**Kuala Lumpur Contemporary Music Festival**, Malaysia, 2009

## COMPOSITION TEACHERS

**P.Q. Phan**, Professor, Indiana University, Indiana, United States  
**Jian-Ping Tang**, Professor, Central Conservatory of Music, Beijing, China  
**Gang Chen**, Professor, Central Conservatory of Music, Beijing, China  
**Wen-Chen Qin**, Professor, Central Conservatory of Music, Beijing, China

## COMPOSER-IN-RESIDENCES

**Teng Company**, Singapore, [thetengcompany.com](http://thetengcompany.com)  
**Vivo Experimental Orchestra**, Malaysia, [vivomusicbox.com](http://vivomusicbox.com)

## AGENCY AND ORGANIZATIONS

**American Composers Alliance**, United States, 2013 – present, [www.composers.com](http://www.composers.com)  
**Broadcast Music, Inc.**, United States, 2013 – present, [www.bmi.com](http://www.bmi.com)  
**Society of Malaysian Contemporary Composers**, Malaysia, 2013 – present, [www.smcccomposers.com](http://www.smcccomposers.com)

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

<http://www.about.me/junyi.chow>  
<http://www.youtube.com/user/ahyichow870>  
<http://www.facebook.com/junyichowmusic>  
<https://www.soundcloud.com/junyichowmusic>