

Martikyan Music Center

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Profile of the Organization

Not too long ago, in February 2015, Tigran Martikyan had a vision to build his own Music Institution, now called Martikyan Music Center! After one year of hard work, Mr. Martikyan was able to build his sophisticated, small theatre-like venue featuring custom designed furnishings, wall sculptures, and more--all selected and designed by Mr. Martikyan himself.

Since May 2016, Martikyan Music Center has opened its doors to the public and has been garnering much attention in the Pasadena community as well as nearby cities in California! Martikyan Music Center offers the best music instruction in piano. Piano lessons are offered and tailored based on your musical background and knowledge. Mr. Martikyan guides you through the creative musical journey in order to achieve the best results in your music! Without any doubt, your musical dreams come true at Martikyan Music Center!

Throughout the years, Mr. Martikyan has developed a unique vision and instructional philosophy that benefits students greatly, whether taught privately or in groups. Tigran Martikyan has worked with students ages seven to 65, with the firm belief that all students have the ability to master a musical talent. Mr. Martikyan believes the most essential part of teaching is to create a personal and encouraging relationship with each student, ensuring they learn the material adequately and properly at their own pace. Using his unique teaching tools such as the *Music Castle* and the *Baby Grand Piano*

Puzzle, along with his interactive game activities, Tigran Martikyan seeks to make musical education fun and inspirational. Mr. Martikyan also uses distinct teaching methods for adult students, tailoring their education to their abilities and personal goals.

One of the top priorities at Martikyan Music Center is to provide students with private piano lessons in classical, jazz, pop, blues, etc. In addition, the center hosts small piano recitals/concerts performed by its students and features instructor performances. In the very near future, Martikyan Music Center will be expanding its music program offerings to provide group instruction, individual lessons in violin, cello, guitar, woodwind, etc., and special musical performances by other artists. In addition to lessons and concerts, Martikyan Music Center will soon be holding music-related lectures, workshops, film screening, poetry readings, plays, etc. The space is also available for rentals! For details please call 626-616-3870.

About The Owner:

Tigran Martikyan began his musical education at age seven. His music has won several awards and praises and he has given a number of concerts across the US, Europe and Middle East, including his world premiere of "Piano Sextet" at Carnegie Hall in 2008. Mr. Martikyan extends his repertory beyond his beloved jazz; composing classical pieces as well as music for motion pictures and choreographies.

Tigran Martikyan's Honors and Awards

Finalist -Martial Solal International Jazz Piano Competition **2002 Paris, France**

2nd place - 4th international Soloist Competition **2002 Monaco, Monte Carlo**

1st Place-Hilton Head Jazz Society/ Tenth Annual Scholarship **1998-1999, Hilton Head Island, SC** Finalist - The 16th Annual Great American Jazz Piano Competition **1998 Jacksonville, FL**

Eight Honors Certificates in Recognition of Outstanding Concert Performance **1992-1994 Los Angeles, CA**

2nd Place - Composer and Songwriters' Competition **1988 Los Angeles, CA**