

# COLLEEN GABOUREL

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## EDUCATION

- Minor in music from Oregon State University (OSU)
- Classical piano studies with Oliver Poida and Rebecca Jeffers
- Jazz and classical saxophone (alto and tenor) studies with Jeff Homan and Dan Schauffler
- Drum studies with Roger Allen
- Voice studies with Lourdene Haley
- Piano Master Class with Steinway concert pianist Alexandra Sostmann (May 2011)

## EXPERIENCE

- Gabourel (solo artist) 2020 - present
  - Songwriter, arranger, producer, instrumentalist, vocalist
  - Performances
    - Amplify: Amp-Live Concert Series
    - New Women Space Virtual Open Mic
    - OSU Pride Center Virtual Open Mic
- Clouds of Neptune (band) 2014 - 2017
  - Keyboard, tenor saxophone, and backup vocals
  - Clouds LP (2017): <http://cloudsofneptune.bandcamp.com>
- OSU Wind Symphony directed by Dr. Jason Silveira and Dr. Dana Biggs 2014-2015
  - Tenor Saxophone
- OSU Summer University Chorale directed by Dr. Steven Zielke 2014
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Soprano
- Sessions Vocalist produced by Niell Thornton 2012-2013
  - Recorded lead vocals on three demos
- Music Minister- Living Water Choir directed by John Bentz 2011-2015
  - Singer, drummer, and back up pianist for the student mass at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Corvallis OR.
- Colleen Johnson Senior Recital 2011
  - An evening of classical piano solos performed by Colleen Gabourel Johnson at the Valley Catholic Auditorium.
- The Fedora Project (band) 2010
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Alto saxophone
  - Performances:
    - Rose Festival Battle of the Bands- 2<sup>nd</sup> place winner
    - Water Front Park Rose Festival Concert
    - Lake Oswego Arts Festival with the Crazy 8s
- The Vermahorns (band) 2009
  - Alto Saxophone
  - Performances:
    - Crystal Ballroom opening for and playing with the Crazy 8s
    - Lake Oswego Arts Festival opening for and playing with the Crazy 8s
    - Rose Festival Battle of the Bands-3<sup>rd</sup> place winner
    - Hillsboro Waste Management Company Function
  - Recording Sessions:

- Recorded one single with Backline Records
- Valley Catholic Jazz Band directed by Dan Schauffler 2008-2011
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Alto Saxophone
- Valley Catholic Concert Band- directed by Dan Schauffler 2007-2011
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Alto Saxophone until 2010, then 1<sup>st</sup> Tenor Saxophone
- Music Minister-St. Pius X Youth Choir directed by Tim McCarthy 2006-2012
  - 1<sup>st</sup> alto (vocals), drummer, and back up accompanist for the Youth Mass at St. Pius X Catholic Church in Portland OR.

#### **AWARDS AND ACHEIVMENTS**

- Oregon Music Teachers Association Award Syllabus Level X 2011
- Cecilian Award for Excellence in Music at Valley Catholic High School 2011
- Oregon Music Education Association solo competition- Alto Saxophone score of I- 2008
- National Federation of Music Club's Gold Cup for Junior Festival