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Website: hannahmusic.com

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2024

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Hannah Adhikari is currently a Composer, Collaborative and Event Pianist, YouTuber, and Full-Time Piano Teacher in her Studio of around 30 students. She regularly composes for herself, materials and piano solos for her Studio, and commissioned musical works. Adhikari's Composition "Around Me," was featured on violinist Serena Scibelli's album "Reflections," in 2021. She most recently released two Solo Piano Albums, "Childhood Memories" and "Trains of Thought" streaming now.

2022

Hannah Heaton Adhikari (b. 2000) is an active Pianist, award-winning Composer, and Private Piano teacher in the Columbus, MS area. She holds a Bachelor of Arts in Piano Performance and Composition from the Mississippi University for Women in Mississippi. Hannah is an involved member and performer of her works in the Composer Associations, BMI and NACUSA, and she actively pursues competitions, theory exams, and performance opportunities for her Piano Studio of around 30 students through her Music Teacher Association Memberships, MTNA and NFMCA. As a Pianist, Composer, & Teacher, Hannah is passionate about writing, teaching, and performing Music and her Compositions. Her main goal in life is to inspire the love of Music into all who listen to her music and to all in her Piano Studio. Learn more about Hannah and her music from her website: <https://hannahehmusic.wixsite.com/pianist>.

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2021

Hannah Heaton Adhikari (b. 2000) is a pianist, composer, and private piano teacher graduating in May of 2022 with a B.A. in Piano Performance at the Mississippi University for Women in Columbus, MS. She began playing the piano at age 8, composing at age 11, and teaching piano full time at age 20. She has continued to be an active member of BMI and NACUSA since 2019. In 2021, Hannah was named MTNA's Young Artist Composer in the state of Mississippi for the third year in a row since 2019. She won 1st place in the MTNA's Regional Southern Division for her tenor saxophone and violin duet "For Serena" in 2020. Her violin solo, "Around Me," was also featured in Serena Scibelli's album, "Reflections," to bring awareness to musicians during the COVID-19 Pandemic; the album, "Reflections," was released in 2021. Hannah is passionate about writing music for the piano and uses her composition skills and years of knowledge as a pianist as a tool to inspire a new generation of pianists in her Piano Studio of 14 students.

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2020

Hannah Heaton (b. 2000) is a pianist, composer, and private piano teacher studying a B.A. in Music at the MUW in Columbus, MS. She's an MTNA collegiate member and member of BMI Classical and NACUSA. She was named MTNA's Young Artist Composer in the state of Mississippi for her piano violin duet, "Out of Reach" in 2019. Her violin solo "Around Me" will be featured in Serena Scibelli's album, "Reflections," being released in 2020. <https://hannahehmusic.wixsite.com/pianist>

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2019

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2018

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