

# POP PIANO FOR BEGINNERS



- Day/Dates:** 13th December 2021, Monday  
**Time:** 2pm - 6pm  
**Who Should Enrol:** School students aged 13 - 17 years old with basic piano practical knowledge (minimum ABRSM Grade 2)  
**Fees (RM):** 320

## ABOUT THE WORKSHOP

Students will learn basic piano playing methods in the Pop Music idiom, that include left-hand accompaniment and right-hand melodic reinforcement techniques. Students will also learn how to interpret lead sheets.

## BENEFITS

- At the end of the program, students would be able to:
- Perform solo piano pieces in the style of Pop music
  - Apply LH and RH playing techniques
  - Interpret lead sheet for solo piano

## EQUIPMENT NEEDED

- Laptop, Desktop or Mobile Device
- Speakers and a microphone (Built-in or External Microphone)
- A webcam
- A musical instrument (piano or keyboard)

| Time              | Activity   |
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| 2 pm - 3 pm       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Lecture: Lead Sheet vs Sheet Music</li><li>- Lecture: LH Triads and Voice Leading Considerations</li><li>- Lecture: Quarter-Note Comping Rhythms in Pop</li><li>- Lecture: RH Harmonization with 3rds and 6ths</li></ul> |
| 3 pm - 4 pm       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Break</li></ul>  |
| 4 pm - 5 pm       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Lecture: 1-5-1 LH Patterns and Variations</li><li>- Lecture: RH Melodic Harmonization with Triads</li><li>- Lecture: RH Octave Unison</li><li>- Lecture: Inner Movements with Fills</li></ul>                            |
| 5 pm - 5:30 pm    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Break</li></ul>  |
| 5:30 pm - 6:00 pm | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Lecture: Creating Basic Solo Piano Arrangements</li><li>- Activity: Review and Feedback of Students' Playing</li></ul>   |

## REGISTER NOW & ENJOY THE FOLLOWING DISCOUNTS

- Multiple Program Discount (More than 1 Program) – 20%
- Sibling Discount (More than 2pax) – 15%
- Group Discount (More than 5pax) – 20%
- Music History & Appreciation (All 4 Programs) – 25%
- Music Production (All 4 Programs) – 25%



## TEACHER INFO - Ali Aiman

Ali Aiman, an ICOM-Berklee alumni, plays the trumpet and piano and is a much sought after composer, arranger and music producer. He is the program coordinator for ICOM's music programs and also teaches performance classes & advanced commercial music subjects.