

CHRIS MCQUEEN.

GUITARIST

- Snarky Puppy, 2005-Present
- Oso Closo, 2005-2010
- Myron Butler & Levi (formerly Kirk Franklin's God's Property), November 2007-Present
- Cover bands: (Austin area) Hot Sauce; (Dallas area) Ice House, The Bill Tillman Band, JR Byrd Band, The Project, Tuxedo Junction, 2005-Present
- Churches: (Austin area) Shoreline Church; (Dallas area) St John Baptist Church, Riverwalk Fellowship Church, Grace Fellowship Church, 2004-Present
- The Dallas Theater Center's production of *The Who's "Tommy"*, September 2008
- Guest artist for the Denton High School Percussion Ensemble's final concert, March 2008
- Guest artist for the Westlake High School Jazz Band's final concert, May 2006
- The UNT One O'Clock Lab Band, Fall 2005-Spring 2006

MULTI-INSTRUMENTALIST

Guitarrón, Mandolin, Electric Bass, Ukulele, Drums/Drum Programming

TRANSCRIBER

Transcribing and chart writing for cover bands, churches, weddings, recording sessions, and clients, 2004-Present

ARRANGER/COMPOSER

- "Opposites Attract", entry for 2009 Nikon Video Contest, December 2009
- "Fast Food Panic", jingle for video game *Fast Food Panic*, September 2009
- "Oso Closo Burrito", \$10,000 winning jingle for the 2009 MyChipotle Video Contest, July 2009
- *Today is Beauty's Birthday*, Oso Closo album, string and wind arrangements, June 2009
- "Ya Es Hora", Spanish TV ad, July 2008
- "Good Cars, Happy People", Volkswagen jingle entry, February 2008
- *Rest*, Oso Closo album, string arrangements, September 2006
- "Foe Destroyer", big band piece, commissioned by Westlake High School, recorded by the UNT One O'Clock Lab Band on *Lab 2006*, published by Walrus Music, Spring 2006
- "En Route", big band piece, published by Walrus Music, Spring 2002
- Soundtracks for independent and student films: *Mental Disturbance* (2002), *Vigilante Justice* (2003), *Roy the Inventor* (2005)

GUITAR INSTRUCTOR

- From home, more than 50 students, 2000-Present
- Southlake Music Academy in Southlake TX, 2006-2008, part-time 2008-2010
- Lonestar Music Academy in Flower Mound TX, 2007-2008, part-time 2008-2010

DISCOGRAPHY

- 1998 – Deep, Wide, and Forever (RedHeaded Stepchild), guitar, vocals
- 2005 – Counter-part: Jazz Chamber, Vol. 1 (Chris McQueen Trio), guitar, composer “Blossoming” and “Reverend”
- 2006 – Fairplay: Jazz Chamber, Vol. 2 (Ross Pederson Trio), guitar, composer “Fairplay”, arranger “All of You”
- 2006 – A Collection of Signs (UNT L5 Electric Guitar Ensemble), guitar, composer “A Collection of Signs”
- 2006 – Lab 2006 (UNT One O’Clock Lab Band), guitar, composer “Foe Destroyer”
- 2006 – The Only Constant (Snarky Puppy, SiTMoM Records), guitar
- 2007 – The World is Getting Smaller (Snarky Puppy, SiTMoM Records), guitar, composer “Fair Play”
- 2007 – Rest (Oso Closo, SiTMoM Records), guitar, co-composer all songs, arranger all strings
- 2008 – Bring Us the Bright (Snarky Puppy, SiTMoM Records), guitar
- 2009 – Avenue ‘C’ Jazz (UNT Two O’Clock Lab Band), guitar
- 2009 – Today is Beauty’s Birthday (Oso Closo), guitar, background vocals, co-composer all songs, arranger all strings and winds
- 2010 – Tell Your Friends (Snarky Puppy, Rodeadope Records), guitar
- 2010 – Revealed... Live in Dallas (Myron Butler & Levi, EMI Gospel Records), guitar
- 2011 – The Day Happiness Found Me (Jenifer Jackson), guitar, background vocals

MEDIA

- Proficient in Photoshop CS, CS5, Finale 2007, Sibelius 4, Dreamweaver CS5
- Digital photography, Nikon D-50
- Live sound
- Poster, t-shirt, album and web design, 1997-Present
- Music recording and mixing in home studio for self and other clients, 1994-Present

EDUCATION

- Bachelor’s Degree in Jazz Studies, University of North Texas, 2006
- Jazz guitar scholarship through UNT College of Music, 2002-2006
- UNT Meritorious Award for National Merit students, 2002-2006
- UNT Honors Student with a 3.973 out of 4.0 GPA