



Using free and mobile apps for online singing Solos, Rounds, and Partner Singing

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Overview

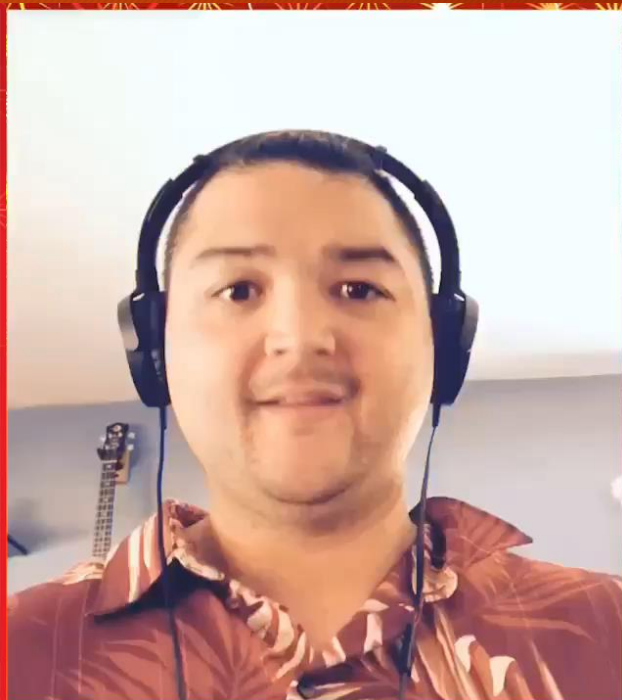
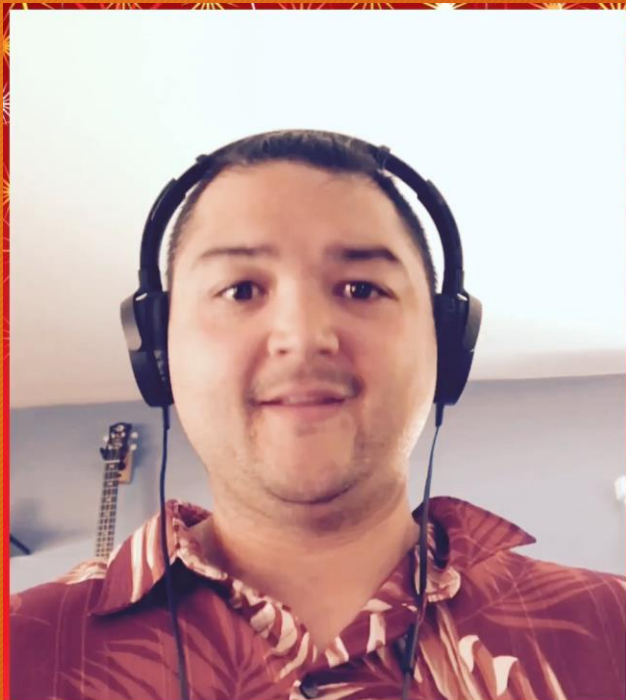
- Introduction
 - Expanding the idea of teaching singing
 - Social media's influence on music making
 - DIY singing, production, and creating
- Products
 - Creating a Round
 - Creating a Partner Song
- Process



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Products by the end of the session



Looking at the Software (Acapella App, Apple, Pros/Cons)

- What have been your experiences?

Pros	Cons
Collaboration	Does not support Bluetooth recording
Basic sound engineering	Higher cost for devices
Intuitive user interface	Higher connection to strangers
Sharable formats and platforms	Subscription-based fees



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Looking at the Software (Acapella Maker, Android, Pros/Cons)

- What are your experiences

Pros	Cons
Privatized	Clunky interface
Recordings are always backed up	Cannot hear multitracks while rec
Cheap to unlock full features	Sharing function is not as easy to use
<i>At least you can multitrack</i>	No sound editing or noise reduction
<i>Teaches lots of planning skills</i>	No collaboration function
	Uses up a lot of memory for storage
	Slow rendering times
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Tutorials time

- Propose a challenge
- Click a link and watch a video tutorial
- Practice at home
 - Ask questions via chat on Zoom
- Try to create the same or similar product
 - Troubleshooting on Zoom
- Share your projects online through the chat
 - I'll share my Acapella App links on Mixchord
- If we have time, Collaborate/Thinktank
- Debriefing



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Challenge - Create a One-Person Round



Step 1: Set up your audio settings

https://youtu.be/vLBO4SDLU_A

Step 2: Create the one person round

https://youtu.be/Jerv32J_siw

Step 3: Play with the post production sound
(same video as step 2)

Step 4: Publish (private if you wish)



Step 1: Create a metronome track

<https://youtu.be/AL6PcaGfjiE>

Step 2: Create the one person round
(first 3 minutes)

https://youtu.be/-Bff_C3PXzk



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Challenge - Create a One-Person Partner Song



Step 1: Either import your round or “collaborate”
<https://youtu.be/7BegbWYFdV8>

Step 2: Collaborate with someone else!
Either with me or with someone else
<https://tinyurl.com/acabirdcollab2>

Step 3: Try another song



Step 1: Create the one person partner song
(Second half)
https://youtu.be/-Bff_C3PXzk

Step 2: Think Tank or create another song **#ACDAInTreat**



Level Up Challenges



Mysterious Ticking Ostinati
YT

<https://youtu.be/S4As3ot3vME>
Collab

<https://tinyurl.com/acacollabmyst>



Jubilate Deo (Praetorius) Improv
YT

<https://youtu.be/2DEGZt9fTaE>
Collab

<https://tinyurl.com/acacollabjubi9>



3 Part Partner Song
YouTube

<https://youtu.be/BFJS93SDFhc>
Collab

<https://tinyurl.com/acacollabbop>

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