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# JAZZ DUO

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## **KUDOS**

"...these guys exude musical maturity through depth of perception and communicative ability... it's sweet, unassuming and just plain right."

**CANBERRA JAZZ** 

# **ABOUT T+C**

Sought-after local improvising multiinstrumentalist Lachlan Coventry, and uniquely versatile songstress Rachael Thoms, are long time friends and musical collaborators. T+C launched their debut EP 'Nothing But Blue Skies' in 2017 and are currently hatching big plans for future recording and touring projects.

Both alumnus, and now teachers at the ANU School of Music, T+C are sheer class. Informed by their jazz pedigree, they specialise in creating moving, hypnotic and musically gratifying interpretations of beautiful songs, defying genres, style and time.

Whether you require a soulful, intimate and sophisticated ambient live music performance at your next special event, awards ceremony, launch party, wedding, private party, or specially curated house concert, look no further than Thoms + Coventry.





WEDDINGS



**EVENTS** 



CONCERTS

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## **KUDOS**

"When I first heard Rachael I was struck by an ethereal quality in her voice. She is at the age now where her tone is rich, her skills highly polished, and now with a delicate touch of soulfulness."

VINCE JONES | AUSTRALIAN JAZZ LEGEND

## **ABOUT RACHAEL**

Rachael is one of a new breed of truly versatile vocalist, performer, recording artist and educator. Accomplished in jazz, contemporary and classical performance, she graduated from the ANU School of Music with a BMus Jazz Performance degree, First Class Honours in Classical Performance, and a Master of Music in Classical Performance.

She is the recipient of multiple awards and scholarships and has appeared at many vice-regal/diplomatic concerts and major events including the Australian of the Year Awards, Bali Remembered, Australia Day, Bathurst V8 Supercars, and C100 (NSFA). She has studied with some of the world's leading voice experts and her performance highlights include appearing alongside George Benson, Vince Jones, Lior, Little Pattie, Peter Cousins, Rob Guest, Tobias Cole and

Rachael is currently working at the ANU School of Music as Associate Lecturer - Voice, Jazz & Contemporary Performance and teaches classical voice in the School's pre-tertiary performance course. She regularly sits on examination and audition panels for both Jazz and Classical streams, and is a sought-after private teacher, singing voice specialist and freelance musician/performer. Rachael is a certified voice science 'nerd' and member of several national and international multidisciplinary voice associations.





Song Company.



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# **ABOUT LACHLAN**

Lachlan Coventry plays with the kind of effortlessness, creative freedom, and technical proficiency only found in the most masterful musicians.

He is a graduate of the ANU School of Music, holding a Bachelor of Music with First Class Honours, where he now works as a guitar tutor and ensemble director. He is also a highly sought-after private guitar tutor and in-demand freelance musician.

After starting out on piano, Lachlan was drawn to the stylistic possibilities of the guitar, particularly the harmonies of the Beatles, the phrasing of B.B. King, the colouristic flourishes of Jimi Hendrix, and the mastery of Joe Pass.

Regularly seen playing gigs in and around Canberra, wielding a guitar or bass, Lachlan's versatility is widely known. His creative projects as a freelance musician span jazz, folk, rock, and country music, and include Julia and the Deep Sea Sirens, Fire on the Hill, and The Wedded Bliss. Additional performing highlights include supporting the likes of Bernie McGann, Darryl Pratt, Anita Wardell and James Morrison as well as recording sessions for commercial releases.



As a solo jazz guitarist Lachlan has blended all parts of accompaniment; bass, chords and melody, allowing him the enviable freedom to play what he hears. He has given many public and private concerts at events in some of Australia's great institutions and venues such as Parliament House, the National Gallery of Australia, the National Portrait Gallery, the National Museum of Australia, the National Press Club and numerous others.



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# SERVICE MENU

# THE WEDDING

- Ceremony Music
- Cocktail Function Music
- Dinner Music

# THE EVENT

- Corporate & Private Events
- Pre-Dinner/Cocktail
   Background Music
- Dinner Music
- Feature Performance

# THE CONCERT

- Curated
- Special requests
- Themed
- House concerts
- Festivals

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