

MUSIC CONNECTION'S

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Artists & Bands

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| ARTIST | WEBSITE | STYLE | LOCATION |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------|
| Alana Lee | alanaleemusic.net | Pop | Anaheim Hills, CA |
| Alexander Cardinale | xandermusic.com | Singer-Songwriter | Los Angeles, CA |
| Ali Handal | alihandal.com | Hot Rock | North Hollywood, CA |
| Aloha Radio | thealoharadio.com | Surf Rock | Orange County, CA |
| Arlene Kole | arlenekole.com | Singer-Songwriter | Los Angeles, CA |
| Banshee Bones | bansheebones.bandcamp.com | Progressive Hard Rock | Hollywood, CA |
| Barry Smolin | mrsmolin.com | Melodramatic Pop | Los Angeles, CA |
| Belmont Lights | belmontlightsmusic.com | Pop/Rock | San Diego, CA |
| Bill Trujillo | nicktrujillo.bandcamp.com/album/vegas | Jazz | Las Vegas, NV |
| Blackmail | reverbnation.com/blackmailtheband1 | Rock/R&B | Detroit, MI |
| The Blind Eyes | blindeyesstl.blogspot.com | Power Pop | St. Louis, MO |
| Boheme | bohemeartist.com | Pop/Rock/Singer-Songwriter | Los Angeles, CA |
| Bow Thayer/Trainwreck | bowthayer.com | Rock | Boston, MA |
| The Boxing Lesson | facebook.com/theboxinglesson | Psychedelic Epic Rock | Austin, TX |
| Brandon Schott | brandonschott.com | Indie Pop | Glendale, CA |
| Cala Elaine | reverbnation.com/calaelaine | Indie Rock | Hollywood, CA |
| Camille Bloom | camillebloom.com | Indie Rock | Seattle, WA |
| Charlie Rae | charlierae.com | Singer-Songwriter/Folk/Rock | San Diego, CA |
| Checkpoint Charlie | checkpointcharlie.com | Rock/Alternative | Los Angeles, CA |
| Cherish Lee | cherishlee.com | Country/Roots | Los Angeles, CA |
| Cloud | facebook.com/cloudisaband | Pop/Rock | Los Angeles, CA |
| Connie Lim | connielimmusic.com | Retrotronica | Los Angeles, CA |
| The Controversy | thecontroversyband.com | Alternative Adult Contemporary | Los Angeles, CA |
| The Couch | facebook.com/thecouchmusic | Indie Rock | Austin, TX |
| Coyote Kolb | coyotekolb.com | Roots Rock | Boston, MA |
| Daniel Robinson | iamdanielrobinson.com | Electro-Pop | Buffalo, NY |
| Dave Widow/The Lineup | davewidow.com | Funk/Blues/R&B/Rock | Cincinnati, OH |
| Dead Horses | deadhorses-tst.blogspot.com | Retro Rock | Los Angeles, CA |
| Deborah Crooks | deborahcrooks.com | Americana | San Francisco, CA |
| The Dig | thedigmusic.com | Indie Rock | New York, NY |
| Donner Social | about.me/donnnersocial | Electronica/Pop | New York, NY |
| Doug Ferony | dougferony.com | Jazz | New York, NY |
| Drag the River | dragtheriver.com | Alternative/Country | Fort Collins, CO |
| Droll Brothers | drollbrothers.com | Art Rock | Los Angeles, CA |
| Elaine Faye | elainefaye.com | Soulful Pop | San Diego, CA |
| Evolove | evolovetheband.com | Alternative Pop | Los Angeles, CA |
| Foster Timms | on.fb.me/RFYWhq | Rock | Los Angeles, CA |
| Gina Zavalis | ginazavalis.com | Adult Contemporary | New York, NY |
| Glen Martin | foolsforrowan.com | Americana/Indie/Folk/Rock | Los Angeles, CA |
| Gooding | goodingmusic.com | Americana/Rock | Los Angeles, CA |
| Hayley Jane and the Primates | hayleyjaneandthepimates.com | Americana/Folk/Showtunes | Boston, MA |
| Holly Elle | hollyelle.com | Pop | Nashville, TN |
| Horizontal Ladies Club | horizontalladiesclub.com | Alternative Pop | Los Angeles, CA |
| Humbugs | myspace.com/thehumbugs | Power Pop | Minneapolis, MN |
| Inside Neon | insideneon.com | Metal/Punk | Tokyo, Japan |
| Jeffrey Deaver's 'XO' Band | jefferydeaverxomusic.com | Country/Pop | Nashville, TN |
| John Carpenter | myspace.com/johnnycarpenter | Singer-Songwriter | Los Angeles, CA |
| Johnnie Ferro | reverbnation.com/johnnieferro | Rock | Los Angeles, CA |
| Joseph Eid | josepheidmusic.com | Singer-Songwriter | Los Angeles, CA |
| Kat Calvosa | katalvosa.com | Jazz | New York, NY |

S HOT 100 LIVE

MC's annual, eagerly awaited Hot 100 list spotlights the live performers who made us sit up and take notice in 2012. Those involved in determining the results of this year's poll included not only *Music Connection* staff members, but freelance journalists, club bookers and other industry professionals from across the US. To enquire about a live review of your band, be sure to check out *Music Connection's* unique, always-free AMP Social Space; it's for musicians only—no friends or fans.

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| Kate Sikora | katesikora.com | Indie Pop | Boonton, NJ |
| The Kicks | thekicksrock.com | Rock | Nashville, TN |
| Lady Lamb the Beekeeper | ladylambthebeekeeper.com | Indie Rock | Brooklyn, NY |
| Laurie Horn | lauriehorn.com | Adult Alternative Rock | Davisburg, MI |
| Le Paige | lepaigeband.com | Pop/Rock | Los Angeles, CA |
| Lexa Raquel | lexaraquel.desertsolrecords.com | Pop | Tucson, AZ |
| Lightspeed | lightspeedmusiconline.com | Modern Rock | Livonia, MI |
| LNE | lne.me | Pop/Rock | Los Angeles, CA |
| Lola Spriggs | lolaspriggs.com | Pop | Ottawa, Canada |
| The Lonelyhearts | thelonelyhearts.net | Singer-Songwriter | Iowa City, IA |
| Luis Banuelos | luisbanuelos.com | Solo Latin Acoustic | Austin, TX |
| Martin Leroux | reverbnation.com/martinleroux | Acoustic Pop | Tokyo, Japan |
| Morgan Fisher | morgan-fisher.com | Ambient | London, UK |
| Mother Falcon | motherfalconmusic.com | Instrumental Indie Folk | Austin, TX |
| Mr. Fisher | mrfishermusic.com | Pop | Los Angeles, CA |
| The MuerTones | reverbnation.com/themuertones | Surf/Instrumental/Americana | Los Angeles, CA |
| Natania | nataniamusic.com | Pop/Singer-Songwriter | Los Angeles, CA |
| NOVI | iamnovi.com | Electronic Urban Rock | Los Angeles, CA |
| Nuroksol | reverbnation.com/nuroksol | R&B | Ann Arbor, MI |
| Peachcake | peachcake.net | Electro Pop | Phoenix, AZ |
| Per Se | persetheband.com | Fusion Ensemble | Long Beach, CA |
| Queen Caveat | queencaveat.com | Rock | Los Angeles, CA |
| Reasons Be | reasonsbe.com | Pop/Rock | Los Angeles, CA |
| Rebecca Loebe | rebeccaloebe.com | Folk/Acoustic | Austin, TX |
| Riddle The Sphinx | riddlethesphinx.com | Pop/Rock | Los Angeles, CA |
| River Whyless | riverwhyless.tumblr.com | Indie Folk | Boone, NC |
| Rodello's Machine | rodellosmachine.com | Folk/Rock | San Diego, CA |
| Sam Sherwin | samsherwin.net | Singer-Songwriter/Indie Rock | Montclair, NJ |
| The Scorch Sisters | thescorchsisters.com | Blues/Rock | Los Angeles, CA |
| Sean and Zander | seanandzander.com | Roots Music | Los Angeles, CA |
| The Shackeltons | theshackeltons.com/main/indie | Rock | Chambersburg, PA |
| Shadows Entwined | fb.com/shadowsentwined | Metal | Los Angeles, CA |
| Shevyn Roberts | shevynroberts.net | Pop | Houston, TX |
| Sierra West | sierrarocks.com | Folk/Rock | San Diego, CA |
| Sinicle | facebook.com/sinicle | Metal/Hard Rock | Hollywood, CA |
| Sink Swim | facebook.com/sinkswimmusic | Alternative Pop/Punk | Thousand Oaks, CA |
| Skum City | facebook.com/skumcity | Punk | New York, NY |
| Socratic | socratictheband.com | Pop/Rock | Linden, NJ |
| Sour Boy Bitter Girl | fb.com/sourboybittergirl?fref=ts | Indie Rock/Folk | Fort Collins, CO |
| Starvation Camp | starvationcamp.com | World/Reggae | Los Angeles, CA |
| Tallahassee | tallahasseeband.com | Roots Rock | Providence, RI |
| TaQuita Thorns | taquitathorns.com | Pop/Soul | San Jose, CA |
| The ThrowDown Band | throwdownband.net | Blues Rock | Boston, MA |
| The Towels | thetowelsband.com | Eccentric Rock | Los Angeles, CA |
| Tyler Bryant/Shakedown | tylerbryantmusic.com | Rock | Nashville, TN |
| Ugly Kids Club | uglykidsclub.com | Indie Electro | Nashville, TN |
| Veni Vidi Vicious | venividivicious.jp | Indie Rock | Tokyo, Japan |
| Vinyl Soul | vinylsoulmusic.com | Latin Soul/R&B | Hollywood, CA |
| Viscera | facebook.com/viscerathrash | Metal | Hollywood, CA |
| Wild Child | wildchildsounds.com | Indie Folk | Austin, TX |