

## ROBIN CISEK www.robincisekmusic.com/

## CONTACT ROBIN CISEK

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## SOCIAL MEDIA

Instagram: 42K Followers Facebook: 699 Followers Youtube: 441 Subscribers Tiktok: 2620 Followers Spotify: 260 Monthly Listeners 236 followers

### BIOGRAPHY

Two-time CBC Searchlight's top 100 artist, Robin Cisek, is a Metis artist from Edmonton who creates melodic electro-pop with an alternative flair. The Indigenous Superstar's 2022, "Best Emerging Artist", emerged into her music career after years of struggle with health problems.

Her most recent single, "Hey Disaster" charted on the Mediabase Activator HOT AC at #54 and CHR radio charts at #47 on US radio. Robin Cisek's, "Zeus" (June 2022) charted at #2 on NCI's Indigenous Music Countdown making this Cisek's 6th time charting on the IMC including a #1 for "Waiting on You" in 2019. "Zeus" has been published in 21 different articles with raving positive reviews. This is not the first time Cisek has created a buzz in music blogs and publications. Cisek and her music have been published internationally with articles in Illustrate Magazine (USA), York Calling (UK), Outloud Culture (Canada), a feature in Canadian Musician Magazine and many others.

in 2021, Cisek released her debut album, Delicate Minds, a concept album that discusses mental health. "Memories", a song from the album, garnered over 24,000 views on Youtube and received Awards from a number of film festivals in 2022 including an Award of Merit from the INDIEFest Film Awards, and Best Music Video from the Edmonton Short Film Awards and Oz Indie Film Festival. "Memories" is also an Official selection of ImagineNATIVE 2023.

At the start of Cisek's career, she was mentored by Alex Houton, an artist development specialist based in New York City, and created and released her first two commercial singles. Mentorship is still an important part of Cisek's career, Since her career started, she has participated in the APTN, RBCxMusic Indigenous Music Accelerator 2021, the Indigenous Women in Music residency Manitoba Music and in 2023 SOCAN's EquityX production program. Cisek is also an active Artist Mentor, consultant and panellist in her local music community and across Canada.

# **ROBIN CISEK**

## PERFORMANCE HIGHLIGHTS

- Canadian Music Week 2023
- Opener for Begonia (Long Days Night Festival)
- Calgary Pride 2022
- Opener for Starcrawler 2022
- Treaty 6 Contemporary Art Fest 2022
- Treaty Days 2022
- Strathcona County Canada Day 2022
- Edmonton Indigenous Peoples Festival 2022
- Silver Skate fest 2022
- SkirtsAFire Key of Me 2022
- Metis Fest 2022
- Jubilee Auditorium Melisizwe Brothers 2019

**Upcoming Performances:** https://www.robincisekmusic.com/events

## FILM AWARDS



### DISCOGRAPHY

**BELIEVE IN US** Up in Arms Studio

**HEY DISASTER** Velveteen Audio

ZEUS Up in Arms Studio

**DELICATE MINDS** Velveteen Audio

**MISSIN' YOU** Personal Studio

CONCENTRIC Personal Studio

WAITING ON YOU Quad Studio

SILVER Quad Studio

#### **ACCOMPLISHMENTS & AWARDS**

#54 HOT AC AND #47 CHR ON MEDIABASE ACTIVATOR CHART USA **HEY DISASTER 2023** 

#2 ON INDIGENOUS MUSIC COUNTDOWN/ XRP #1 ZEUS - AUGUST 2022

**CBC & TOYOTA SEARCHLIGHT TOP 100 2022** 

**BEST EMERGING ARTIST OF 2022** INDIGENOUS SUPERSTARS

**BEST MUSIC COVER ART OF 2022** INDIGENOUS SUPERSTARS

**#1 ON INDIGENOUS MUSIC COUNTDOWN 2019** "WAITING ON YOU" - ROBIN CISEK

WINNER OF CTRIBE MUSIC VERSE COMPETITION 2021 SOCIAL MEDIA PERFORMANCE COMPETITION

**TOP 5 INDIGENOUS MUSIC COUNTDOWN 2021** "SPEAK TO ME" - ROBIN CISEK (JULY 10, 2021) "LINES" - ROBIN CISEK (FEBRUARY 2022)

**TOP 10 INDIGENOUS MUSIC COUNTDOWN 2021** "GLOW UP" - MELODY MCARTHUR FT. ROBIN CISEK

XRP TOP 10 2021 "SPEAK TO ME" - ROBIN CISEK

**XRP RADIO #1 2020** "CONCENTRIC" - ROBIN CISEK

SUCCESSFUL INDIGOGO FUNDRAISING CAMPAIGN 2020 RAISING \$2540 SURPASSING \$2000 GOAL

(COLLAB SINGLE - 2023) Jinting Zhao, Tea G

(SINGLE - 2022) Brandon Unis, Brad Simons

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(6 TRACK EP - 2022) Brandon Unis, Brad Simons

(SINGLE - 2021) Jey Blaq

(SINGLE - 2029) Brandon Unis, Brad Simons

(SINGLE - 2018) **Alex Houton** 

> (SINGLE - 2017) **Alex Houton**

## **ROBIN CISEK**

## CATEGORIES OF MENTORSHIP/ SPEAKING

- Branding
- Marketing
- Social Media
- Creating a Website
- Writing your Bio
- EPK's / One Sheets
- Finding your audience and demographic
- Diversity
- Vocal Lessons
- Branding Presentation and Styling
- Getting your music on Radio/ Royalties
- Recording Studio tips
- Email Pitching
- Indigenous Issues/ protocol/ knowledge
- Land acknowledgments
- Merch creation

### PROFFESSIONAL TRAINING

BREAKOUTWEST 2023 OHSOTO'KINO RESIDENCY 2023 CANADIAN MUSIC WEEK 2023 SOCAN EQUITY X 2023 RBC INDIGENOUS MUSIC ACCELORATOR |

CANADIAN MUSIC INCUBATOR 2022

INDIGENOUS WOMEN IN MUSIC RESIDENCY FACTOR/ MANITOBA MUSIC 2022

INDIGENOUS MUSIC CONFERENCE 2019 VOCAL TRAINING | MARTHA LIVINGSTONE 2016-2019

### MENTOR/ SPEAKER EXPERIENCE

YEG COLLECTIVE MIXER SPEAKER AND ORGANIZER QAGGIAVUUT MENTORSHIP PROGRAM 2023 INDIE WEEK 2022 - DIVERSITY PANEL CTRIBE SPEAKER AT KDAYS MENTOR TO A NUMBER OF LOCAL ARTISTS MENTOR FOR HITMAKERZ RECORD LABEL GOLD MIND INITIATIVE VOCAL COACH

### EDUCATION

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA - 2021 MAJOR: ART CERTIFICATE OF INTERNATIONAL KNOWLEDGE UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA - 2021

### **OTHER SKILLS**

#### PHOTO EDITING: PHOTOSHOP, SKIN EDITING ETC

LYRIC VIDEO CREATION/ VIDEO EDITING

- DESIGN: EPK
  - ONESHEET
    - BUSINESS CARDS
  - WEBSITE
  - MERCH
  - LOGO
  - EVENT POSTER
  - SOCIAL MEDIA CONTENT
  - LINKTREE DESIGN
  - ALBUM ART
- FINE ART: PAINTING, DRAWING ETC.



### ROBYN ASHLEY EDMONTON COUNTRY ARTIST

I HAVE HAD THE GREAT PLEASURE OF GETTING TO KNOW ROBIN CISEK OVER THE PAST YEAR AS SHE HAS BEEN AN INCREDIBLE RESOURCE AND MENTOR TO ME AS AN EMERGING ARTIST. ROBIN'S WILLINGNESS TO SHARE HER KNOWLEDGE AND EXPERIENCE IS INCREDIBLY HELPFUL AS SHE WAS ABLE TO HELP ME NAVIGATE THROUGH THE INS AND OUTS OF RELEASING MUSIC AS WELL AS WAYS OF GETTING INVOLVED IN THE LOCAL MUSIC COMMUNITY.

ROBIN IS A KIND AND GENEROUS PERSON, WHO IS TALENTED AND A LEADER IN HER COMMUNITY. I AM SO BLESSED TO HAVE BEEN ABLE TO WORK WITH ROBIN CISEK AND WOULD RECOMMEND HER TO ANYONE.