

# GAKU

THE JUGGLING DRUMMER



# JUGGLING DRUM SHOW

A one-of-a-kind performer who captivates audiences around the world with a high-level fusion of juggling and drumming.

A juggler from Japan, performing around the world with his unique weapon — "jugglingdrum" a fusion of juggling and drumming. Sometimes he plays with fire, other times the audience becomes his drum... In every show, he creates new rhythms through original tricks that incorporate the drum in unexpected and captivating ways.



Please enjoy this rare show created entirely with drums.



# WHO IS GAKU?

Born in 1998.

Started juggling at the age of 10, started practicing juggling drums in earnest in 2015. Started working in Japanese company 2016 while aiming to become a professional, but left in 2017. After retiring, I went on a change of scenery trip to Sydney, where I felt the quality of life and performance possibilities, and stayed in Brisbane, Australia, for a year on a working holiday in 2018. While studying English at a language school, I made a living practicing juggling drums on the street. After returning to the country in 2019, I was granted another working holiday visa but had to abandon my trip due to the Covid-19 in 2020.

In the Covid disaster, he focused on posting on social networking sites and steadily increased his followers. Starts a second working holiday in Sydney in 2022. Started performing in earnest and began my professional career: for one year, I participated in various events and fringe festivals in Sydney, focusing on street performances. After returning from Australia in 2023, I participated in events and street performance festivals around the world. In 2024, I passed the Tokyo Metropolitan Government's certification as a Heaven Artist.

# PAST EXPERIENCES

World Buskers Festival - NZ

Linzer Pflasterspektakel - AT

Busan Street Arts Festival - KR

Veregra Street Festival - IT

The Avenues Carnival - KW

Circen Dolomites Festival - IT

Busker Vaduz - LI

Busker Tour - PL

Muharraq Nights - BH

Festival Artistes De Rue Vevey - CH

Machida Street Performance - JP

Fukuyama Daidougei Festival - JP

Bushwick Got Talent (1st place) - US

Klainkunst Festival Insel Usedom - DE

Saitama-Sinntosinn Buskers Festival - JP

etc.



# SHOW



## Street Show

•Duration  
3min ~ 40min

•Dimensions  
Space : 5m × 5m~  
Hight : 5m~

•Time needed for preparation  
Set up : 25min  
Disassembly : 15min

•Acoustics  
At least 100 watts of sound is required. If it's difficult, I'll bring my own sound equipment.

•Climate  
Winds exceeding 7m/s will adversely affect the show. Smaller rainfall can be performed.

Promotion Video

# Shopping Mall, Event

•Duration  
3min ~ 40min

•Dimensions  
Space : 4m × 4m~  
Height : 4m~

•Time needed for preparation  
Set up : 25min  
Disassembly : 15min

•Acoustics  
At least 100 watts of sound is required. If it's difficult, I'll bring my own sound equipment.



My shows are suitable for all kinds of events, both indoors and outdoors, including kids' shows.



# Theatre, Stage Show

•Duration  
3min ~ 40min

•Dimensions  
Space : 3m × 3m~  
Height : 3m~

•Time needed for preparation  
Set up : 25min  
Disassembly : 15min

•Acoustics  
At least 100 watts of sound is required. If it's difficult, I'll bring my own sound equipment.

My shows are suitable for various occasions such as circuses, art festivals, and school performances.

# Information

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