

Melissa Elena Reiner

Speaking — talks and lecture-performances on music, listening and creative life



SIGNATURE TALK: HOW TO LISTEN LIKE A MUSICIAN

A live, violin-led talk on how musicians listen — rhythm, colour, tension, release, expectation and emotion — for audiences who love music but want a richer vocabulary for hearing it.

A handful of simple building blocks shape how we experience music; noticing them changes how closely we listen to everything else too.

TALK TOPICS

- How musicians listen — and what it teaches about focus and attention
- Performing under pressure: lessons from the concert stage and studio
- Reinvention, uncertainty and creative change
- Creative practice across music and writing
- Preparation, discipline and adapting to the room

TRACK RECORD

Melissa combines a wide-ranging career as a performer with a lifelong interest in literature and ideas, using live violin, humour and precise storytelling to make complex subjects immediate for music lovers, business audiences and creative teams.

FEES

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