

Tori (they/them) - violinist/multi-instrumentalist, singer-songwriter & producer

Tori has a eclectic musical background and a BA in Music and Sociology from Bennington College. While attending, they released their self-produced debut album, "Cocoon" under the artist name "Olvie," and received the John Hendricks Memorial Award for outstanding music compositions. They have a passion for music and sound for media, and have scored multiple independent short films, as well as a play. They grew up in Los Angeles, studying classical violin for 13 years and attending award-winning public charter arts school Renaissance Arts Academy, where they served as the concertmaster of the advanced chamber orchestra for 3 years. They see ear-based and theory-based approaches to understanding music as equally valid, and values whichever method fits each student best- the most important thing is to find what makes you tick, and have fun!