

## ALEX DOUGLAS | SAXOPHONE/FLUTE



Alex started playing music at the age of seven. In 1987 he won a full scholarship to study at the renowned Purcell School of Music and graduated as a scholarship student with a Bachelor of Music Honours Degree from the Guildhall School of Music and Drama. His principal instruments include flute and saxophone yet he also enjoys playing acoustic and electric guitars, keyboards and thrashing out easy beats on the drum kit. He is passionate about teaching the fundamental classical elements of instrumental playing and exploring more contemporary music trends, improvisation and reading lead sheets.

Alex was Head of Instrumental Music at the British International School for five years and Instrumental coordinator at The International School @ ParkCity 2014 - 2021. He has platformed many prestigious venues both here in

Malaysia and the UK, including The Purcell Room, Kensington Palace, St Martin in the Fields, The Barbican, Drapers Hall and the MPO Halls, No Black Tie and KLPAC. He looks forward to engaging the aspiring talents of children at Allegro Music and learning new educational approaches shared between colleagues.

*“Music should be practised hard and with lots of love and passion, in order for the player to enjoy the fun of performance”*