

# GETTING STARTED

## Bio

Getting Started is a Chicago-based indie-rock band that burst onto the scene in 2022. The quintet - Jack Gallo [vocals/guitar], Matt Stein [lead guitar], Pat Hickey [bass], Jack Scanlon [drums], and Eddie O'Connor [keys] - come with their own individual influences creating a sound that is both eclectic and cohesive. This dynamic band has captivated audiences throughout Chicago-land with their energetic, unforgettable live shows, rocking legendary stages like The Cubby Bear, Subterranean, Chop Shop, and many more.

## Current Catalog



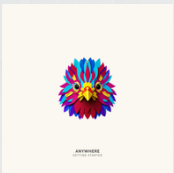
### [One Road](#)

One Road is a raw and emotive journey through self-reflection and forgiveness, exploring the pain of past mistakes and the struggle to move forward. Recorded at Gravity Studios.



### [Telling Myself Tomorrow](#)

"Telling Myself Tomorrow" alleviates the temporary sorrow we all face. The fourth single from Getting Started embodies the internal burden of creating more responsibility for your future self. Recorded at Gravity Studios.



### [Anywhere](#)

Getting Started's third release explores finding connection and belonging in unexpected places. Recorded at Gravity Studios.



### [Knew The Time Had Come](#)

'Knew the Time Had Come' is about two lovers coming to the realization that sweeping an issue under the rug can ultimately lead to greater pain and strain than confronting it head-on. Recorded at Gravity Studios.



### [Reverberations](#)

Written during the dark Chicago winter, Getting Started's debut single brings a vibrant indie-rock love story to light that will hit you from the start. Recorded at Gravity Studios.



# Looking Ahead

Getting Started, the indie rock band poised to take Chicago by storm, is gearing up for a massive 2025. With five captivating singles already released and five more slated to drop throughout the year, the band is building anticipation for their highly anticipated debut album.

Beyond the music, Getting Started is focused on creating a cohesive brand experience. They are currently collaborating with local graphic designers and artists to refresh their image and putting the finishing touches on a dynamic new website. Their recent merchandise collaboration with local fashion designer Kevin Owens of "Call Your Friends" clothing further demonstrates their commitment to connecting with the Chicago music community and showcasing local talent. Fans can expect more exciting collaborations and even a potential stripped-down performance inside the "Call Your Friends" store in Wicker Park.

2025 Shows TBA

## Most Recent Press Release



Getting Started was recently featured in Pass Down Magazine, which is an independent magazine focused on promoting independent music, artists, and venues. The digital version of Issue 9 can be found [here](#), and the rest of the band's press highlights are linked [here](#).

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