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EDUCATION

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| DMA | University of Texas at Austin, Doctor of Musical Arts | May 2018 |
| MM | University of Texas at Austin, Master of Music | May 2016 |
| BM | Columbus State University, Bachelor of Music Education
Graduated Magna Cum Laude | May 2014 |

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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| The University of Ohio State , Columbus, OH | 2019 to Present |
| Lecturer of Trombone , Music | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Taught applied trombone, an undergraduate course averaging 20 students per semester• Led trombone studio activities including studio classes and trombone choir• Revised the syllabus to meet accreditation standards | |
| Texas A&M University - Kingsville , Kingsville, TX | Aug 2018 to Present |
| Adjunct Professor of Trombone , Music | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Taught applied trombone, an undergraduate course averaging 15 students per semester• Taught brass methods, an undergraduate course directed towards future music educators averaging 8 students per semester• Revised the syllabus to meet accreditation standards• Mentored and conducted various chamber ensembles such as trombone choir, trombone octet, and trombone quartet | |
| University of Texas at Austin , Austin, TX | Aug 2017 to May 2018 |
| Trombone Teaching Assistant , Music | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Taught applied trombone, an undergraduate course averaging 12 students per semester• Taught non major applied trombone, an undergraduate course averaging 5 students per semester• Served as co-director for the prestigious UT Trombone Choir | |
| Leander Independent School District , Austin, TX | Aug 2014 to Present |
| Private Trombone Instructor , Music | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Taught private trombone lessons, averaging 40-50 students per semester• Directed multiple trombone choirs at several campuses | |

Hardaway High School, Columbus, GA
Student Teacher, Music

Jan 2014 to May 2014

- Taught high school ensembles including music history, music appreciation, and music theory

TEACHERS

Principle Trombone Teachers: Dr. Nathaniel Brickens, Dr. Bradley Palmer

Masterclasses/Lessons: Bill Thomas, Charlie Vernon, Denson Paul Pollard, George Curran, Jim Markey, Ko-Ichiro Yamamoto, Weston Sprott, Dr. Jan Kagarice, Dr. Bill Stanley, Dr. Josh Bynum, Gerry Pagano, Brian Hecht, Zachary Bond, Peter Steiner

HONORS AND AWARDS

S.E. Shires Performing Artist 2018-Present

American Trombone Workshop 2018
*Division 3 Solo Bass Trombone Competition Winner

International Trombone Festival 2016
Donald Yaxley Solo Competition Finalist

American Trombone Workshop 2016
*Division 3 Solo Bass Trombone Competition Winner

Texas State Trombone Symposium 2015
Bass Trombone Solo Competition Runner Up

Southeast Trombone Symposium 2010-2015
*S. E. Shires Solo Competition Winner 2015
S. E. Shires Orchestral Excerpts Competition Finalist 2015
S. E. Shires Solo Competition Finalist 2012

NOTABLE PERFORMANCE EXPERIENCES

Temple Symphony Orchestra (Bass Trombone) 2017-Present

Texas A&M University Kingsville Trombone Choir – Assistant Director 2019
*2019 International Trombone Festival – Muncie, IN
Remington Trombone Choir Competition Honorable Mention

Somos Trombone Quartet (UT Austin) 2015-Present
*2016 International Festival Quartet Competition Runner Up
*2016 Big 12 Trombone Symposium Quartet Recital
*2016 Texas State Trombone Symposium Quartet Recital

A Beautiful Noise Recording Project (Columbus State University) 2010-2013

*3-year recording project at Columbus State University that included trombone solo with trombone octet accompaniment. Joseph Alessi, George Curran, James Markey, Denson Paul Pollard, Bill Thomas, Charlie Vernon, Ko-Ichiro Yamamoto soloists

Carolina Crown Drum and Bugle Corps

2010