

# Your Community's College

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# **COURSES TAUGHT**

- Temple College
  - o MUAP Trumpet
- Texas A&M University-Central Texas
  - MUAP Trumpet

# **EDUCATION**

- Associate of Arts in Music-Temple College 2011
- Bachelor of Science Liberal Studies: Music and Fine Arts Concentrations- Texas A&M University-Central Texas 2019
- Master of Music Education- Tarleton State University 2023

# **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

- Cameron ISD 2009-2018
- Responsible for trumpets and mellophones during summer band camps
- Prepared show music, pep band music, and assisted with marching drill.
- Taught sectionals to prepare for UIL concert & sight-reading contest
- Prepared students for UIL solo & ensemble.
- Prepared students for ATSSB region and area auditions

Holland ISD 2010-2011

- Taught lessons to all brass instruments.
- Assisted with marching band camp
- Taught sectionals to prepare for UIL marching competition
- Taught sectionals to prepare for UIL concert & sight-reading contest
- Prepared students for UIL solo & ensemble.

### **Travis Middle School 2010-2011**

- Taught lessons to trumpets
- Taught one masterclass per week
- Prepared students for UIL solo & ensemble

### **Bonham Middle School 2010-2011**

- Taught lessons to trumpets
- Prepared students for TMEA region auditions.
- Prepared students for UIL solo & ensemble.

### **Lake Belton Middle School 2010-2011**

- Taught lessons to trumpets.
- Prepared students for TMEA region auditions.
- Prepared students for UIL solo & ensemble.

### **Austin School of Music 2012-2017**

- 40+ student lesson studio consisting of trumpets, french horns, euphoniums, tubas, and trombones.
- Ages varied between 5-74
- Responsible for scheduling lessons and accounting
- Prepared students for TMEA region and area auditions for classical.
- Prepared students for TMEA region and area auditions for jazz.
- Taught music theory to students in grades 8-12.
- Taught aural skills and ear training to students in grades 10-12
- Organized studio recitals for all students
- Led masterclasses in both jazz and classical

## Jarrell ISD 2016-2019

- Taught lessons to middle school and high school high brass students.
- Taught beginner Trumpet class 3 days per week.
- Responsible for trumpets during summer marching camps.

- Prepared students for ATSSB region and area auditions
- Prepared students for UIL solo & ensemble

#### Virtual Brass Instructor 2017-Current

- Studio consists of former Austin students
- Lessons occur on Zoom and Skype

### Manor ISD 2022

- Taught lessons to Manor New Tech Middle and High School students
- Taught masterclasses at Manor New Tech Middle School

### **Georgetown ISD 2022-Current**

- Responsible for teaching lessons for both Georgetown High School and East View High School clusters.
- Masterclasses for High School and Middle School
- Masterclasses for summer band camps
- Responsible for preparing students for TMEA auditions and UIL Solo&Ensemble

#### Jarrell ISD 2022-2024

- Responsible for lessons at Jarrell Middle School
- Responsible for masterclasses/lessons at Jarrell High School
- Assist with after school marching rehearsals
- Responsible for preparing students for ATSSB auditions and UIL Solo&Ensemble

### **Temple High School 2023-Current**

- Responsible for masterclasses for both jazz and classical
- Responsible for lessons

# PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Adjudicator UIL Region 26 5A, 6A, Middle School District 2022-Current
- Adjudicator East View Solo & Ensemble Contest 2022
- Adjudicator Wagner Middle School Solo & Ensemble Contest 2025

# PROFESSIONAL PERFORMANCES

- ATSSB All State Jazz Band (2 years)
- ATSSB Symphonic Band (1 year)
- Texas Community College Allstate Jazz Band (2 years)

- Memphis Train Revue (Wedding Industry Experts Band of The Year)
- Nash Hernandez Orchestra
- Tortilla Factory (3 Time Grammy Nominated for Best Album of The Year)
- Equinox
- Tony Bray and Sha'Boing
- Moonlight Express
- Fat Cracker
- Fermn
- Ugly Elephant
- Relentless Jones
- Bonsai Nation
- Neckbone
- Sonia Moore (former vocalist for MC Hammer)
- Courtney Sanchez
- Caboose (Wedding Industry Experts Band of The Year)
- ACL performance with Latasha Lee & The Black Ties
- Vendetta Big Band
- All Summa Long
- Dead Rockstars
- Austin Jazz Band
- Riders Against The Storm (2014-2015 Band Of The Year, ACL Live, ACL Music Fest)
- Funknasty Horns (ACL, ACL Live, SXSW, opened for George Clinton)
- Austin Party Band
- Rivertown Band
- Tje Austin (The Voice Finalist)
- Vintage 15 Big Band
- CJ Edwards and The Funk Fellowship
- The Argyles
- The Royal Dukes
- Gilbert Alba
- Tomar & The FCs (Nominated for Band of The Year)
- Several brass quartets, brass quintets, and orchestras for Easter and Christmas services
- Nu Standard
- The Little Wedding Band

### **AWARDS**

- Louis Armstrong Jazz Award
- John Philip Sousa Award
- Outstanding Soloist Temple College Jazz Festival 2003-2008
- Outstanding Soloist Lorena Jazz Festival 2007
- President's List
- TMEA Music Scholarship (3-year participant) 2009

# **CAMPUS/CAMPUSES**

• Temple Campus