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TEACHING AND CONDUCTING EXPERIENCE

Foothill HS and Burkholder MS— Choral Director

September 2021- Present

Full time High School Choir Director in Henderson, NV. Director of 4 ensembles: Beginning Mixed, Intermediate Women's, Advanced Mixed, and Middle School. Strong emphasis in sight reading and vocal technique has greatly strengthened this program in a short amount of time. 150 students, grades 6-8 and 9-12, 50 minute classes, five days a week.

Summit Public Schools — Teacher, Lifelong Musicianship

August 2020 - August 2021

Full time High School Music Teacher. Planned and taught daily lessons of 105 minutes each. 206 students, grades 8-12, at 4 campuses located around the Bay Area, California.

Alpine School District — Student Teacher, MVHS Choir

January 2020 - April 2020

Student Teacher at Mountain View High School in Orem UT, under the direction of Brett Taylor, MM. Directed rehearsals and performances for 250 students across 5 Choirs, along with a Music Tech class.

Brigham Young University French Choir — Conductor

September 2019 - April 2020

Teacher of an official University class. Planned and conducted weekly rehearsals for a final performance each semester.

Fundación Sinfonia Cochabamba — Music Teacher Intern

June 2019 - August 2019

Study Abroad/Internship in Bolivia; taught music to Bolivian children in private lessons, small groups, a wind symphony, and a choir.

A Voice For Good and Hosanna Singers — Artistic Director

January 2019 - April 2020

Planned and conducted weekly rehearsals from 1 to 3.5 hours in length for two community choirs of 70 members each. Gave performances to over 4,000 people in Utah Valley and Salt Lake City.

BYU Arts Bridge — Assistant Director and Arts Bridge Scholar

September 2018 - April 2020

Developed two semester-length music integration curricula and implemented them in Provo first grade classrooms. Successfully interviewed and hired 20 Arts Bridge Scholars and coordinated their work with that of college administrators, faculty, and public school teachers.

EDUCATION

BM Music Education:

K-12 Choral Emphasis

Brigham Young University

April 2020 - GPA: 4.0

MM Choral Conducting

University of Nevada, Las Vegas

In progress. GPA 4.0

Complete Kodály Certificate

DePaul University and

Brigham Young University

CREDENTIALS

Teaching License in Music in UT, NV, and CA

CLAD/English Language Endorsement, May 2021

PERFORMANCE EXPERIENCE

Faith Community Lutheran

Professional Worship Chorus

2023-Present

Soprano Soloist, Handel's

Messiah, with Las Vegas

Master Singers and Las Vegas

Sinfonietta, December 2022

Las Vegas Master Singers,

2021- Present. Section Leader for the 22-23 Season.

Mayfield Singers, 2021- 2022

BYU Singers, 2018-2019

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

American Choral Directors' Association (ACDA)

Organization of American Kodály Educators (OAKE)