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### **EDUCATION**

#### **Ohio University, Athens, Ohio**

Bachelor of Music Education, December 2015

Music Education, Instrumental Emphasis

Summa Cum Laude, GPA 3.9/4.0

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### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

#### **Berne Union High School, Sugar Grove, Ohio**

*Professional Internship, June 2015- December 2015*

- Assisted with the Berne Union Golden Rocket Marching Band from pre-camp rehearsals through State Marching Band Finals/ End of the Season Concert (Planned and ran full marching band rehearsals, lead fundamentals, ran woodwind sectionals, wrote and cleaned field commander routines, built show equipment, participated in show design, helped to plan for and manage students on an overnight trip, attended all practices/ football games/competitions)
- Planned and taught lessons/rehearsals for all bands grades 5-12
- Implemented grading policies for individual assessment in large group and one-on-one settings
- Taught, rehearsed and conducted four pieces that were performed in concert
- Handled band funds including money from reeds, fundraisers, band trips, uniforms, etc.
- Minor instrument repair

#### **Athens Community Music School, Athens, Ohio**

*Private Clarinet Instructor, January 2014- April 2015*

- Taught private lessons to students of different ages in the Athens area
- Prepared students for a student recital performance
- Worked with students to improve playing of scales, arpeggios, duets, and solo repertoire
- Utilized Smartmusic and other music technologies
- Encouraged listening of professionals, amateurs, ensembles, and self performances

#### **High School Band Camps, Ohio**

*Marching Band Camp Instructor, Summers 2012-2015*

- Worked camps for Berne Union, Lancaster, Chillicothe, Lakewood, Steubenville Catholic Central, and Groveport Madison
  - Flute, Clarinet and Field Commander Instructor
  - Experience working with both show style and competition style marching bands
  - Assisted teaching sectionals and setting drill/ making conducting routines
  - Wrote and taught dances for marching band shows
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### **RELATED EXPERIENCE**

#### **Ohio University Wind Symphony Recording Project, Athens, Ohio**

*Slater, January 2016*

- Took notes in “slating” shorthand for all recorded takes by the Ohio University Wind Symphony which will be used during the editing process for the CD
- Worked closely with the producer and audio engineer discussing the success of each take as well as the mechanics of editing music

#### **Under the Elms Concert Series, Athens, Ohio**

*Summer Coordinator, June 2015- July 2015*

- Copied and organized music for all five concerts into folders for the musicians
- Played clarinet in the ensemble for all concerts
- Rehearsed and conducted two pieces for performance
- Set up and tore down for all rehearsals and performances

**Ohio University Instrument Office, Athens, Ohio**

*Student Employee, August 2014- July 2015*

- Responsible for organizing and loaning instruments to students within the School of Music for classroom, ensemble, and private use
- Maintained a Google Drive on instrument inventory
- Maintained a clear communication on instrument due dates and policies via an email account for the instrument office

**First Presbyterian Church, Athens, Ohio**

*Child Care Worker, May 2014- June 2015*

- Watched and cared for children up to age 8
- Implemented age appropriate activities to encourage discovery learning

**Geneva Hills Camp, Lancaster, Ohio**

*Camp Counselor, Summer 2013*

- Camp counselor for students of all ages (Pre-K to 18)
- Worked a variety of week camps including day camps and overnight camps
- Assisted with activities such as Music, Bible Study, Games, Canoeing, Archery, Crafts, Hiking, Fishing, Rock Climbing, and a High Ropes Course

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**ACTIVITIES**

**Lancaster, Ohio**

Lancaster Community Band, 2015-2016

**Ohio University**

Choral Union, 2014-2015

Wind Symphony, 2013- 2015

*OMEA Conference Performance 2014*

*Ohio University Commencement Band 2013, 2014*

*Ohio University European Tour 2013*

The Ohio University Marching 110, 2011- 2015

*Clarinet Music Section Leader 2013-2015*

Ohio University Varsity Band, 2011- 2015

*NCAA Tournament Band 2012, 2015*

Collegiate Association for Music Education, 2011- 2015

*Historian 2013-2014*

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**HONORS**

**Ohio University**

Pi Kappa Lambda: National Music Honor Society, 2015

Richard L. Bitters Scholarship, 2015

Fine Arts Talent Award, 2014

Florence Barnum Award, 2013-2014

Gateway Scholarship, 2011- 2015

Lancaster Band Boosters Scholarship, 2011-2012

Fairfield County Foundation Scholarship, 2011-2012

**ACHIEVEMENTS**

**Ohio University**

Senior Clarinet Recital, 2015

Student Conductors Honors Recital, 2014

Anthony Austin Clarinet Award, 2014

Marching 110 Music Section Leader, 2013- 2015

Dean's List, Every Quarter/ Semester, 2011- 2015

**Lancaster High School**

John Philip Sousa Award, 2011

Field Commander, 2009- 2011

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**PROFESSIONAL  
DEVELOPMENT**

National Association for Music Education, 2011- present

Ohio Music Association Education Professional Development Conference, 2012- present

Cincinnati Conservatory of Music Conducting Symposium, 2015

## REFERENCES

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