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## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

### **EDUCATION**

- 2018            Doctor of Music: Indiana University, Bloomington, IN  
                  Areas of Concentration: Wind Conducting, Music History and  
                  Literature  
                  Document: *An Updated History of the American School Band  
                  Directors Association*
- 2009            Master of Music: Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, OH  
                  Areas of Concentration: Music Education, Percussion, Conducting  
                  Thesis: *Attitudes of High School Band Directors and Students  
                  Regarding Ohio Music Education Association Large Group  
                  Adjudicated Events*
- 2006            Bachelor of Music: Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, OH  
                  Areas of Concentration: Instrumental Music Education, Percussion

### **COLLEGIATE EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

- 2018-present    Adjunct Instructor of Music, Assistant Director of Bands: Texas A&M  
                  University-Commerce: Commerce, TX  
                  Conductor of Concert Band, Assistant Director of The "Pride"  
                  Marching Band, Director of The "Pride" of the Court Basketball  
                  Band, Undergraduate Conducting Courses, Conducting Lessons,  
                  Freshman Success, Music Technology, Coordinator of  
                  Undergraduate Auditions, Coordinator of the Annual Department  
                  of Music Holiday Gala, Assistant Director of Summer Camps, and  
                  Band Department Social Media Coordinator
- Spring 2018    Part-time Assistant Professor of Music, Interim Director of Bands:  
                  DePauw University, Greencastle, IN  
                  University Band
- 2015-2018      Graduate Assistant of Music: Indiana University, Bloomington, IN  
                  University Concert Bands, Marching Hundred, and Undergraduate  
                  Conducting Courses
- 2007-2009      Graduate Assistant of Music: Bowling Green State University, Bowling  
                  Green, OH  
                  Band Director at St. Patrick of Heatherdowns Catholic School,  
                  Toledo, OH, and supervisor for undergraduate field experience in  
                  band methods prior to student teaching

## **K-12 SCHOOL EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

- 2009-2015 Certified Teacher: New Bremen Local Schools, New Bremen, OH  
Director of Bands
- 2007-2009 Certified Teacher: St. Patrick of Heatherdowns Catholic School,  
Toledo, OH  
Director of Bands
- 2006-2007 Certified Teacher: Anthony Wayne Local Schools, Whitehouse, OH  
Assistant Director of Bands

## **TEACHING**

### **STATE REFEREED PRESENTATIONS**

- 2015 “I Didn’t Learn That in Methods – Tips for successful playing of auxiliary  
percussion instruments.”  
Ohio Music Education Association Professional Development  
Conference, Cleveland, OH – February 6, 2015

### **OTHER PRESENTATIONS**

- 2016 “Panel Discussion: Adjudication Practices”  
National Band Association – IU Chapter, November 3, 2016  
“Have Band, Will Travel – Tips for Successful Travel with Large  
Ensembles”  
National Band Association – IU Chapter, February 4, 2016

### **BAND CLINICS**

- 2017 Beavercreek High School Wind Symphony, Beavercreek, OH  
Bachelor Middle School Seventh Grade Band, Bloomington, IN
- 2016 Bachelor Middle School Seventh Grade Band, Bloomington, IN
- 2015 Spencerville High School Band, Spencerville, OH  
Minster High School Symphonic Band, Minster, OH
- 2014 Springfield Middle School Eighth Grade Band, Holland, OH
- 2013 Spencerville High School Band, Spencerville, OH  
Springfield High School Symphonic Band, Holland, OH

### **PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHING RESPONSIBILITIES**

- 2009-2015 New Bremen Local Schools, New Bremen, OH  
Symphonic Band  
Cardinal Marching Band  
Pep Band  
Eighth Grade Band

Seventh Grade Band  
Sixth Grade Band  
Seventh Grade Band  
Middle School General Music

2006-2007 Anthony Wayne Local Schools, Whitehouse, OH  
Symphonic Band  
Concert Band  
Marching Generals  
Pep Band  
Pit Orchestra  
Eighth Grade Band  
Seventh Grade Band  
Junior High Jazz Band  
Junior High General Music

### **CREATIVE ACTIVITY**

### **PUBLICATIONS**

#### **Peer Reviewed Journal**

2008 Yahl, Ryan M. "*Teaching Music Through Performance in Band: A Conversation with Dr. Richard Miles*". National Band Association Journal of Band Research, December 2008.

### **COONDUCTING**

2016-2017 Music Director and Conductor: Bloomington Community Band,  
Bloomington, IN

### **GUEST CONDUCTING**

2018 Texas A&M University-Commerce 61st Annual Junior/Senior Honor  
Band – Blue Symphonic Band  
Commerce, Texas – November 16-17, 2018

The College of Wooster Summer Music Camp – Highland Band  
Wooster, Ohio – July 8-12, 2018

2017 Northwest New Mexico Music Educators Association Middle School  
Honor Band  
Farmington, NM – December 1, 2017

2016 OMEA District 14 Seventh Grade Honor Band  
Cincinnati, OH – January 8-10, 2016

## **INTERNATIONAL CONDUCTING**

- 2015 Ohio Ambassadors of Music All-Ohio Honor Band: London, England; Paris, France; Crans-Montana, Switzerland; Seefeld, Austria; Rothenburg, Germany  
Repertoire: *Kentucky 1800* by Claire Grundman, June 24-July 9
- 2013 Ohio Ambassadors of Music All-Ohio Honor Band: London, England; Paris, France; Crans-Montana, Switzerland; Seefeld, Austria; Rothenburg, Germany  
Repertoire: *Percussion Espagnole* by Robert Prince, June 24-July 9
- 2011 Ohio Ambassadors of Music All-Ohio Honor Band: London, England; Paris, France; Crans-Montana, Switzerland; Seefeld, Austria; Rothenburg, Germany  
Repertoire: *Funiculi, Funicula* by Luigi Denza, June 24-July 9

## **ARRANGEMENTS**

- 2016 *You Can't Stop The Beat*  
*Stage to Screen Opener*  
*Stage to Screen Closer*
- 2011 *Morning Mood/Here Comes the Sun*  
*Nine to Five*  
*Don't Let the Sun Go Down on Me*  
*Rhythm of the Night*

## **MARCHING BAND DRILL**

- 2016 Indiana University Marching Hundred  
2009-2015 New Bremen High School Cardinal Marching Band

## **SERVICE**

## **DOMESTIC AND INTERNATIONAL TOURS**

- 2015 Ohio Ambassadors of Music All-Ohio Honor Band: London, England; Paris, France; Crans-Montana, Switzerland; Seefeld, Austria; Venice, Italy; Rothenburg, Germany; Athens, Greece  
Bus Captain, Chaperone, and Equipment Coordinator, June 24-July 13
- 2013 Ohio Ambassadors of Music All-Ohio Honor Band: London, England; Paris, France; Crans-Montana, Switzerland; Seefeld, Austria; Venice, Italy; Rothenburg, Germany

- Bus Captain, Chaperone, and Equipment Coordinator, June 24-  
July 9
- 2011 Ohio Ambassadors of Music All-Ohio Honor Band: London, England;  
Paris, France; Crans-Montana, Switzerland; Seefeld, Austria; Venice,  
Italy; Rothenburg, Germany  
Bus Captain, Chaperone, and Equipment Coordinator, June 24-  
July 9

### **OFFICES/LEADERSHIP POSITIONS HELD**

- 2016-2018 Treasurer, Band Activities, Student Organizational Activities, Indiana  
University
- 2016-2018 Graduate Student Representative, National Band Association IU Chapter
- 2014-2015 Region 3 Representative, American School Band Directors Association
- 2013-2015 President, Ohio Music Education Association District III
- 2010-2012 President, Bowling Green State University Band Alumni Society

### **ADJUDICATION**

- 2012-2015 OMEA, High School and Middle School Percussion Solo and Ensemble  
Events

### **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

- 2018 Texas Bandmasters Association  
Texas Music Educators Association
- 2015 Indiana Bandmasters Association  
Indiana Music Education Association  
College Band Directors National Conference
- 2012 American School Band Directors Association
- 2007 World Association of Symphonic Bands and Ensembles  
National Band Association
- 2006 Lifetime Membership in Kappa Kappa Psi National Honorary Band  
Service Fraternity
- 2004 Pi Kappa Lambda International Music Honor Society
- 2003 Kappa Kappa Psi National Honorary Band Service Fraternity
- 2002 Percussive Arts Society  
National Association for Music Education  
Ohio Music Education Association

### **HONORS/AWARDS**

- 2017 The American Prize, Conducting, Band/Wind Ensemble, Collegiate  
Division  
Tied for Third Prize

- 2016 The American Prize, Conducting, Band/Wind Ensemble, Collegiate Division  
Semi-Finalist
- 2015 The American Prize, Conducting, Band/Wind Ensemble, High School/Community Band Division  
Honorable Mention
- 2014 Ray E. Cramer Graduate Fellowship, Indiana University  
Franklin B. Walter Award, Honored Educator, Auglaize County, New Bremen Local Schools
- 2005 Mark and Helen Kelly University Band Award, Bowling Green State University  
Dr. Richard and Anette Ecker Award in Music Education, Bowling Green State University