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#### **Education**

University of Valley Forge; Phoenixville, PA. M.M. in Music Technology (Production) | Anticipated December 2024

Grove City College; Grove City, PA. B.M. in Music Education (Double Bass) | May 2021

Magna Cum Laude | Highest Honors in Music Education

QPA: 3.76 | MQPA: 3.91

#### Certifications

Avid Certified Pro Tools Music Professional (2021) | August 2024

Avid Certified Pro Tools Specialist (2022) | July 2023

Pennsylvania Instructional I Certification, Music Education PK-12 | June 2021

# **Teaching Experience**

# Music, Elizabeth Forward School District | 2024-present

Director of Orchestras for students in grades 4-8 in Elizabeth, Pennsylvania. Instruction culminates in two concerts each school year. Additional responsibilities include general music classes as part of the electives rotation.

# Music, McKeesport Area School District | 2022-2024

Director of Orchestras and Choir Co-Director for students in grades 6-8 in McKeesport, Pennsylvania. Instruction culminates in three concerts each school year. Additional responsibilities include general music classes as part of the electives rotation.

#### Music, Steubenville City School District | 2021-2022

Director of Orchestras for students in grades 5-12 in Steubenville, Ohio. Instruction culminates in two concerts each school year.

# **Student Teaching**

#### Sharon City School District; Sharon, PA | Spring 2021

K-6 General Music with Bobbie Buttermore at Case Avenue Elementary School

7-12 Band/Orchestra, 5-6 Instrumental Lessons with Brad Volek and Jen Shaffer at Sharon High School

# **Collegiate Ensembles**

# **Grove City College**

Symphonic Orchestra/Chamber Orchestra – Double Bass | Orchestra Librarian: 2018-2021

Musical (Pit Orchestra) – Double Bass | 2017-2019

Grove City College Gallery Brass Quintet – Tuba | 2018-2021

Marching Band/Concert Band/Wind Ensemble – Tuba | Band Librarian: 2017-2021

Concert Choir – Baritone

#### **Honors & Awards**

Student Conductor; Grove City College Wind Ensemble | Spring 2020

# The Clifford L. and Joanne H. Cox Award for Excellence in Music; Grove City College | Spring 2019

The purpose of this award is to recognize musical talent and to foster a high standard of musical instruction at the College. This award is to be presented to a freshman, sophomore, or junior music major who will be returning the following year. When appropriate, preference should be given to a string performer within the music major.

**Boy Scouts of America Eagle Scout Award** | October 2016