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Education

Illinois State University, Normal IL
Masters in Music Performance

May 2017

University of St. Thomas, St. Paul MN
Bachelor of Arts, 3.56 GPA
Major: Music Minor: Economics

December 2013

College Teaching Experience

Lincoln College, Lincoln Illinois
Adjunct Faculty for Guitar and Bass

August 2016 - Present

- Individual lessons for music majors.

Illinois State University (ISU), Normal Illinois
Graduate Assistant for Music Department

August 2015 - Present

- Teaching group guitar to music therapy, music education, and non-majors.
- Directing a small guitar ensemble in rehearsal and a recital performance.
- Creating a syllabus for group guitar courses and administering quizzes and exams.
- Selecting music for the guitar small ensemble.
- Leading group guitar classes for the ISU guitar society.
- Consulting a student on an honors project.

University of St. Thomas (UST), St. Paul Minnesota
Teaching Assistant for Music Education Major Guitar Class

February 2012 - May 2012

- Selected appropriate pages and exercises from the prescribed textbook.
- Set performance goals for students and kept track of their progress.
- Demonstrated on an individual and group level the basic mechanics of guitar technique (plucking, strumming, proper posture, etc).
- Taught basic folk chord voicings, sight reading on first five frets, singing and playing folk/pop tunes.

University of St. Thomas, St. Paul Minnesota
Teaching Assistant for Guitar Ensemble

September 2011 - December 2011

- Conducted students in rehearsal.
- Planned rehearsals to insure individual sections improved on their respective parts during rehearsal time.
- Conducted the ensemble during their two final performances.

Other Teaching Experience

Schmitt Music, Wayzata Minnesota
Instructor (Guitar, Mandolin, Ukulele, Banjo, Electric Bass)

January 2014 - June 2015

- Maintaining records of what different students are working on and what materials they are using (theory books, method books, pieces, etc).
- Teaching students from all age groups the fundamentals of guitar technique (proper posture, plucking and strumming technique, left hand finger placement, etc).
- Teaching guitar over the internet through live video chats and recorded instructional videos posted on YouTube.

Groth Music, Bloomington Minnesota
Instructor (Guitar, Mandolin, Ukulele, Banjo, Electric Bass)

January 2014 - June 2015

- Assisting parents in the selection and purchase of the appropriate instrument for their child.
- Same tasks performed at Schmitt Music as stated above.

Private Studio, Eagan MN
Instructor (Guitar, Mandolin, Ukulele, Banjo, Electric Bass)

June 2009 - Present

- Instruct high school and adult age students classical, jazz, blue grass, country, folk, pop, rock, Latin, and flamenco guitar styles.
- Teaching both guitarists and none guitarists the fundamentals of jazz theory, including construction of harmony, proper chord voicing and voice leading, common chord progressions, analyzing solos and their links to the underlying harmony, etc.

Other Music Activities

Bedlam Theater, St. Paul MN
Volunteer

January 2015 - June 2015

- Cleaning the theater
- Collecting tickets at the box office

Zorongo Flamenco Dance Theater and School, Minneapolis MN
Accompanist

November 2014 - August 2015

- Accompanist for Monday, Wednesday, and Saturday dance classes.
- Competent in the following dance forms: Tangos, Soleares, Bulerias, Tientos, Alegrias, Guajiras, Rumba, Fandangos Del Heulva, Sevillanas, Siguiriyas, and Farruca.
- Studying dance and singing accompaniment with Colette Illarde, Suzanne Di Palma, and Michael Hauser.

Minnesota Guitar Society (MGS), Minneapolis MN
Volunteer

November 2014 - Present

- Currently working with Mark Bussey (MGS President) on various small projects for MGS. My long term role there is still being determined

Interact Center for the Performing Arts, Minneapolis MN
Volunteer

November 2014 - Present

- Assist staff in maintaining a safe environment for Interact's adults with disabilities clients (artists)
- Provide live music for visual artists
- accompany artists during their activities and theater productions on guitar, banjo, mandolin, ukulele, and bass
- Assist Interact staff with tasks such as helping move equipment to new building location, setting up theater, and cleaning.

Minnesota Jazz Guitar Summit (MJGS)
Event Organizer

September 2014 - January 2015

- Conceived the event and its format.
- Booked 13 guitarists, rhythm section, and venue (Jazz Central Studios, Minneapolis MN).
- 2014 performers included: Reuben Ristrom, Joan Griffith, David Singley, Zacc Harris, Dean Granros, and Chris Olson.
- Coordinated with 6 local music shops to obtain their sponsorship for the event, ultimately raising 950.00 dollars in sponsorship money.
- Publicizing the event via Twitter, Facebook, The Minnesota Guitar Society, Star Tribune, MPR, NPR, KBEM Radio, and the JazzPolice.
- Designed event posters and other media.
- Acted as host for the event and introduced the artists.
- The event had 75 attendees and grossed over 2,000 dollars from sponsorship and ticket sales.

Thursday Musical (TM), Minneapolis MN
Volunteer/Performer

August 2014 - Present

- Organizing TM's library of recorded music
- Assisting in TM's promotion via social media
- Ushering at concerts and taking photos
- Regular recitals on classical guitar

Jazz Central Studios (JCS), Minneapolis MN
Event Host Manager

March 2014 - August 2015

- Organizing and promoting JCS concerts and events.
- Managing event hosts and substitutes and ensuring a host is present each night at JCS.
- Opening and closing JCS for events and concerts and maintaining facilities cleanliness.
- Regular performances as accompanist (bass and guitar).
- Greeting patrons and providing information about JCS' mission and events.
- Receiving and processing payments from patrons for shows and events.
- Promotion of JCS at different events throughout the twin cities including the Twin Cities Jazz Festival.

Perfect Ash Tobacco Shop, Lillydale MN
House Guitarist for Tuesday Music

November 2013 - August 2015

- Performing a mix of solo jazz, classical, and pop music for patrons every Tuesday evening.

PotBelly Sandwich Shop, Roseville MN
House Guitarist for Friday Night Music

July 2011 - November 2011

- Performed a mix of popular and jazz music Friday evenings during dinner hour.

University of St. Thomas, St. Paul MN
Student Worker

September 2010 - August 2012

- Maintained library organization and cleanliness.
- Taught patrons to effectively utilize library materials for their academic work.

Other Work Experience

Best Buy, Roseville MN
Sales Associate

July 2012 - May 2014

- Trained newly hired part time and seasonal employees about the department's product line up, warranties, store credit cards, and services.

Kleinman Realty, St. Paul MN
Property Manager

July 2012 - April 2013

- Weekly vacuuming, lawn mowing, and watering of property.
- Organized and oversaw lease signings.
- Handled noise complaints and parking violations.
- Cleaned vacant apartments.
- Showed vacant apartments to potential tenants.

Legend Title Insurance, Eagan MN
Secretary

June 2008 - April 2010

- Front desk customer service including greeting clients and answering the telephone.
- Maintained organization of the businesses' paper documents library.
- Scanned paper documents library and added those documents to the digital library.

Additional Competencies

- I have composed pieces in classical, jazz, and pop genres including some selected titles listed below:

Por Que Você Não Me Ama, solo guitar, 12/25/2014.

Tardus Saltation, jazz combo, 10/25/2014.

Sweet Lovers Love the Spring, jazz combo, 10/20/2014.

Roman Holiday, jazz combo, 10/03/2014.

Relaxar Como a Brise, jazz combo, 09/23/2014.

Fade Away, jazz combo and voice, 07/01/2014.

Red Fox, jazz combo and voice, 02/14/2014.

Since You Left, ukulele and voice, 12/20/2013.

Holding On, guitar and voice, 12/15/2013.

I'll Let Go, guitar and voice, 11/13/2013.

Make Me Feel, guitar and voice, 10/25/2013.

Theme and Variations in C Major (For Noel), piano, 04/10/2012.

Blues in Gb, jazz combo, 03/19/2012.

Erroneous Monk, jazz combo, 03/17/2012.

3 Bagatelles, solo guitar, 03/15/2011.

Rondo in D Minor, piano, 11/13/2010.

Tribute to Vivaldi, guitar and upright bass, 10/03/2010.

Far From Home, saxophone and guitar, 10/12/2008. Arranged for violin, guitar, bass, piano, and drums and recorded in May 2012 at Creation Audio Labs (Minneapolis, MN).

Find Your Own Way, vocals, drums, guitar, bass, 2007

Hazel, solo guitar, 2007.

- Regular Performance or Teaching Experience On: Vocals, Contrabass, Electric Bass, Banjo, Mandolin, Ukulele.
- Experience with recording software and equipment including Reaper Recording Software.
- Arranging experience for jazz small ensembles.

Albums

Far From Home (2015)

An album of original jazz music written by Jon Wood. Recorded by Kevin Bowe (<http://kevinbowe.com/>) at the Institute of Production and Recording in Minneapolis MN and Mixed and Mastered by Adam Tucker at Signatone Recording Studios in Minneapolis MN.

- 1) Tardus Saltatio
- 2) Red Fox
- 3) Fade Away
- 4) Erroneous Monk
- 5) Relaxar Como a Brise
- 6) Por Que Você Não Me Ama

- 7) Sweet Lovers Love the Spring
- 1) Roman Holiday
- 2) Far From Home

Chitarra Sonata (2015)

An album of solo classical guitar music by various composers. The Sonata by Johanne Sebastian Bach was arranged for guitar by myself. Recorded, Mixed, and Mastered by Adam Tucker at Signaturetone Recording in Minneapolis MN.

- 1) Diabelli (arr. J. Bream) - Sonata in A Allegro Moderato
- 2) Takemitsu - All In Twilight - 1
- 3) Takemitsu - All In Twilight - 3
- 4) Bach - Sonata 3 In C For Solo Violin BWV 1005 - 1. Adagio
- 5) Bach - Sonata 3 In C For Solo Violin BWV 1005 - 2. Fuga
- 6) Bach - Sonata 3 In C For Solo Violin BWV 1005 - 3. Largo
- 7) Bach - Sonata 3 In C For Solo Violin BWV 1005 - 4. Allegro Assai

Iron Chops Live at Jazz Central (2015)

A live recording of my band "Iron Chops" performing my original music at Jazz Central Studios in Minneapolis MN.

- 1) Roman Holiday
- 2) Erroneous Monk
- 3) Far From Home
- 4) Relaxar Como a Brise
- 5) Por Que Você Não Me Ama
- 6) Jazz in Tangos

Selected Guitar Studies

Roland Dyens.

- 2010 master class participant sponsored by the Minnesota Guitar Society.

Rene Izquierdo MM, Associate Professor, University of Wisconsin Milwaukee.

- Master class at Illinois State University.
- Private lessons at University of Wisconsin Milwaukee.

Andrew Zohn DMA, Professor, Columbus State University.

- Private lessons on classical guitar.

Stanley Yates DMA, Professor of Music, Austin Peay State University.

- Masterclass.

Jeffrey Van, former head of the University of Minnesota guitar department.

- 3 months of private classical guitar lessons.

Angelo Favis DMA, Professor, Illinois State University.

- 2 semesters of graduate level classical guitar study.
- Graduate assistant for two semesters.

Robert Sharpe DMA.

- Master class

Christopher Kachian DMA, Professor of Music, University of St. Thomas.

- Three years of private classical guitar lessons
- Four semesters of classical guitar lessons at the University of St. Thomas.

Jeffrey Thygeson MM, Formerly of the Minneapolis Guitar Quartet, Faculty at Anoka Ramsey Community College.

- Two years of private lessons as well
- two semesters of guitar lessons at the University of St. Thomas.

Joan Griffith, Adjunct Faculty, University of St. Thomas.

- 3 semester of upright bass and electric bass study.
- 4 semesters of jazz guitar study.

Michael Hauser

- Studied flamenco dance accompaniment.

Scott Matteo Davies

- Studied flamenco dance accompaniment.

Collette Illarde, Flamenco Dance Instructor, Zorongo Flamenco Dance Theater and School, Minneapolis MN.

- Studied flamenco dance accompaniment for eight months.

Suzanne Di Palma, Artistic Director, Zorongo Flamenco Dance Theater and School.

- Studied flamenco dance accompaniment for eight months.

Daniel Volovets

- 6 months flamenco and classical guitar studies.

Wade Oden, DMA, Normandale Community College.

- Private Lessons.

Awards

Latin Honors: Cum Laude.

UST Performance Competition Award 2009.

UST Performance Competition Award 2010.

2010 Roland Dyens master class participant, sponsored by the Minnesota Guitar Society.

Soloist Award at Rolling Meadows Jazz Festival, Rolling Meadows IL.

Illinois State University Graduate Assistantship

Professional/Social Memberships

Boy Scouts of America, Eagle Scout

Minnesota Guitar Society

Thursday Musical

Jazz Central Studios Artist

Illinois State University Guitar Society

Festivals

2016 Mid America Guitar Ensemble Festival

2015 Minnesota Festival of Jazz on the Prairie: performed with the Jazz on the Prairie Big Band

2015 Minnesota Jazz Guitar Summit: organized and performed in the event.

2014 Minnesota Jazz Festival: volunteer for Jazz Central Studios

References

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Selected Performances

2017

04/15, Illinois State University, Normal, IL: solo classical guitar recital.
05/23, Edinborough Park, Edina: guitar for jazz on the prairie big band
06/04, Minnesota Landscape Arboretum, Chaska: guitar with jazz on the prairie big band.
06/11, Minnesota Festival of Jazz on the Prairie, Staring Lake Park, Eden Prairie: guitar with Jazz on the Prairie Big Band.
06/12, Jazz Central Studios, Minneapolis, MN: Iron Chops Quintet.
06/16, City Square Park, Chaska: guitar with Jazz on the Prairie Big Band.
06/17, Private Wedding, Madison, WI: Solo guitar for wedding.
06/19, Centennial Lakes Park, Edina
07/03, Round Lake Park, Eden Prairie, MN: bass with Jazz on the Prairie Big Band
07/06, Salo Park Amphitheater, Minneapolis, MN: guitar with Jazz on the Prairie Big Band
07/12, Depot Park, Wayzata, MN; guitar with Jazz on the Prairie Big Band
07/25, Minnetonka Civic Center Amphitheater, Minnetonka, MN: guitar with Jazz on the Prairie Big Band
07/26, Staring Lake Park, Eden Prairie, MN: guitar with Jazz on the Prairie Big Band.

2016

01/16, Studio Mangiameli, Chicago, IL: accompanied flamenco dance class.
01/18, Studio Mangiameli, Chicago, IL: accompanied flamenco dance class.
01/18, The Serbian Bar, Chicago, IL: jazz guitar.
01/21, Jazz Up Front, Bloomington, IL: bass guitar for Jazz Up Front's Thursday Night Band.
02/01, The Serbian Bar, Chicago, IL: jazz guitar.
02/05, Advocate Bromenn Hospital, Bloomington, IL: volunteer recital.
02/13, Commons Hotel, Minneapolis, MN: valentines day private event.
03/25, Advocate Brommen Hospital, Bloomington, IL: volunteer recital.
03/26, Illinois State University, Normal, IL: graduate recital I.
03/30, Illinois State University, Normal, IL: Illinois State University guitar ensemble concert.
04/01, Grand Rapids, MI: Mid America Guitar Ensemble Festival.
04/02, Grand Rapids, MI: Mid America Guitar Ensemble Festival.
04/03, Grand Rapids, MI: Mid America Guitar Ensemble Festival.
04/20, Illinois State University, Normal, IL: classical guitar recital.
07/02, Private Party, Chicago, IL: Gypsy Jazz Duo (Steve Gibbons, violin).
07/03, Retirement Home, Chicago, IL: Gypsy Jazz Duo (Steve Gibbons, violin).
08/04, Illinois Wesleyan University, Bloomington, IL: banjo and guitar in Oklahoma.

08/05, Illinois Wesleyan University, Bloomington, IL: banjo and guitar in Oklahoma.
08/06, Illinois Wesleyan University, Bloomington, IL: banjo and guitar in Oklahoma.
08/07, Illinois Wesleyan University, Bloomington, IL: banjo and guitar in Oklahoma.
08/15, Retirement Home, Chicago, IL: Duo recital of Mediterranean music (Steve Gibbons, Violin).
09/13, Advocate Brommen Hospital, Bloomington, IL: volunteer recital.
09/27, Advocate Brommen Hospital, Bloomington, IL: volunteer recital.
10/20, Thursday Musical Home Concert, Edina, MN: recital.
11/07, Illinois State University, Normal, IL: guitar ensemble recital.
11/08, Advocate Brommen Hospital, Bloomington, IL: volunteer recital.
11/15, Advocate Brommen Hospital, Bloomington, IL: volunteer recital.
11/28, Illinois State University, Normal, IL: guitar ensemble recital.
12/07, Illinois State University, Normal, IL: recital.
12/19, Jazz Central Studios, Minneapolis, MN: jazz combo performance.

2015

01/02, Tea Garden Uptown, Minneapolis, MN: Friday Night Music.
01/03, Shalom Home, Minneapolis, MN: recital.
01/06, Perfect Ash Tobacco Shop, St. Paul, MN: Tuesday Night Music.
01/07, Interact Center For The Performing Arts, St. Paul: recital.
01/08, Mason Jar, Eagan, Minnesota: recital.
01/09, Uptown Tea Garden, Minneapolis, MN: Friday Night Music.
01/13, Jazz Central Studios, Minneapolis, MN: jazz guitar with Cedar Avenue Big Band.
01/14, Institute for Production and Recording (IPR), Minneapolis, MN: recording my album with Kevin Bowe
01/15, Masonic Homes, Bloomington, MN: recital.
01/16, Uptown Tea Garden, Minneapolis, MN: Friday Night Music.
01/17, St. Paul Farmers Market, St. Paul, MN: recital.
01/18, Minnesota Jazz Guitar Summit, Jazz Central Studios, Minneapolis, MN: Minnesota Jazz Guitar Summit.
01/22, Honey Restaurant, Minneapolis, MN: recital.
01/26, Interact Center For The Performing Arts, St. Paul, MN: recital.
01/27, Perfect Ash Tobacco Shop, Lilydale, MN: Tuesday Night Music.
01/27, Eden Prairie High School, Eden Prairie, MN: guitar with the Jazz on The Prairie Big Band.
01/28, The Marsh, Minnetonka, MN: Iron Chops Duo.
01/29, The Mason, Jar, Eagan, MN: recital.
01/29, Thursday Musical, Minneapolis, MN: recital.
01/30, Interact Center for the Performing Arts, St. Paul, MN: classical guitar recital.
01/31, Tea Garden, Minneapolis, MN: Friday Night Music at the Tea Garden.
02/02, Interact Center for the Performing Arts, St. Paul, MN: classical guitar recital.
02/03, Crooners Bar, Fridley, MN: electric guitar with Acme Jazz Company.
02/06, Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois: classical guitar recital.
02/07, Illinois State University, Normal, Illinois: classical guitar recital.
02/10, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN: classical guitar recital.
02/10, Jazz Central Studios, Minneapolis, MN: electric guitar with the Cedar Avenue Big Band.
02/11, The Marsh Wellness Center, Minnetonka, MN: classical guitar recital.
02/12, Private Party, St. Paul, MN: jazz quartet for private event.
02/13, Tea Garden, Minneapolis, MN: Friday Night Music at the Tea Garden.
02/14, The Commons Hotel, Minneapolis, MN: solo guitar for Valentines Day.
02/16, Jazz Central Studios, Minneapolis, MN: Iron Chops Jazz Combo performed and recorded six original compositions.
02/17, Perfect Ash Tobacco Shop, St. Paul, MN: solo guitar.
02/19, The Mason Jar, Eagan, MN: solo guitar and classical guitar recital.
02/25, Austin Peay State University, Clarksville, TN: classical guitar recital.
03/01, Columbus State University Schwob School of Music, Columbus, GA: classical guitar recital.
03/03, Crooners Bar, Fridley, MN: electric guitar in Acme Jazz Company Big Band.
03/05, Signaturetone Recording Studio, Minneapolis, MN: recording solo classical guitar album *Chitarra Sonata*.
03/10, Jazz Central Studios, Minneapolis, MN: Cedar Avenue Big Band.
03/12, Signaturetone Recording Studio, Minneapolis, MN: Recording solo classical guitar album *Chitarra Sonata*.
03/14, Tilia Restaurant, Minneapolis, MN: solo guitar for private party.
03/17, Minnesota Music Cafe, St. Paul, MN: River City Jazz Orchestra.
03/20, Bedlam Theater, St. Paul, MN: dance accompaniment for Visual Grooves.
03/20, Tea Garden, Minneapolis, MN: solo guitar and voice for Friday Night Music.
03/27, The North Loop, Minneapolis, MN: solo guitar and voice for private party.
03/30, Zorrongo Flamenco Dance Theater, Minneapolis, MN: accompanied dancers.

03/31, Perfect Ash Tobacco Shop, Lillydale, MN: solo guitar for Tuesday Night Music.

04/01, Minneapolis Central Library, Minneapolis, MN: guitar and piano jazz duets for Interact Center for the Performing Arts fundraiser benefit.

04/03, Jazz Central Studios, Minneapolis, MN: Played solo jazz guitar for Dean Magraw and his audience.

04/04, Zorrongo Flamenco Dance Theater, Minneapolis, MN: accompanied dancers.

04/07, KBEM Jazz 88.5 Radio Station, Minneapolis, MN: interviewed for album release by Phil Nusbaum.

04/07, Perfect Ash Tobacco Shop, Lillydale, MN: Tuesday Night Music.

04/07, The Nicollet, Minneapolis, MN: Corner jazz group performed for swing dance night.

04/14, Jazz Central Studios, Minneapolis, MN: Cedar Avenue Big Band.

04/23, The Mason Jar, Eagan, MN: Thursday Night Music on solo guitar and voice.

04/25, Keystone Senior Living Center, St. Paul, MN: solo guitar and voice.

04/25, St. Paul Art Crawl, St. Paul, MN: Jon Wood and Iron Chops.

04/25, The Black Dog, St. Paul, MN: Jon Wood and Iron Chops at Saturday Night Jazz at Black Dog.

05/12, Jazz Central Studios, Minneapolis, MN: Cedar Avenue Big Band.

05/14, Cooper High School, New Hope, MN: Jazz on the Prairie Big Band.

05/20, Minnesota Music Cafe, St. Paul, MN: River City Big Band.

06/01, Lake Harriet, Minneapolis, MN: Jazz on the Prairie Big Band.

06/07, Staring Lake Park, Eden Prairie, MN: Festival of Jazz On the Prairie with Jazz on Prairie Big Band.

06/09, Jazz Central Studios, Minneapolis, MN: Cedar Avenue Big Band.

06/17, The Village, Mendota Heights, MN: Jazz On the Prairie Big Band.

06/22, Centennial Lakes Park, Edina, MN: Jazz On the Prairie Big Band.

06/28, Minnesota Landscape Arboretum, Chaska, MN: Jazz on the Prairie Big Band.

07/03, Round Lake Park, Eden Prairie, MN: Jazz On the Prairie Big Band.

07/07, Jazz Central Studios, Minneapolis, MN: Cedar Avenue Big Band.

07/09, Hubar Park, Shakopee, MN: Jazz On the Prairie Big Band.

07/23, Down Town Park, Hopkins, MN: Jazz on the Prairie Big Band.

07/29, Starring Lake Park, Eden Prairie, MN: Jazz On the Prairie Big Band.

07/30, Mason Jar, Eagan, MN: solo jazz and flamenco guitar.

08/06, Jazz Up Front, Bloomington, IL: Jazz Up Front Thursday Night Band (guitar and bass).

08/13, Jazz Up Front, Bloomington, IL: Jazz Up Front Thursday Night Band (bass and guitar).

08/20, Jazz Up Front, Bloomington, IL: Jazz Up Front Thursday Night Band (bass).

08/27, Jazz Up Front, Bloomington, IL: Jazz Up Front Thursday Night Band (guitar).

09/03, Jazz Up Front, Bloomington, IL: Jazz Up Front Thursday Night Band (guitar).

09/08, Jazz Up Front, Bloomington, IL: Jazz Up Front Tuesday Night Latin Jazz (guitar).

09/10, Jazz Up Front, Bloomington, IL: Jazz Up Front Tuesday Night Latin Jazz (guitar).

09/17, Jazz Up Front, Bloomington, IL: Jazz Up Front Tuesday Night Latin Jazz (bass).

09/24, Illinois State University, Normal, IL: organized and lead a guitar workshop for ISU music therapy students for the ISU guitar society.

09/25, Illinois State University, Normal, IL: performance with the ISU jazz ensemble.

09/28, Illinois State University, Normal, IL: master class with Rene Izquierdo.

10/01, Jazz Up Front, Bloomington, IL: Jazz Up Front Thursday Night Band (electric bass).

10/08, Jazz Up Front, Bloomington, IL: Jazz Up Front Thursday Night Band (guitar).

10/15, Jazz Up Front, Bloomington, IL: Jazz Up Front Thursday Night Band (guitar).

10/22, Illinois State University, Normal, IL: taught at guitar workshop for the ISU guitar society.

10/28, Illinois State University, Normal, IL: ISU guitar small ensemble and guitar chamber music recital. Performed Quiccan by Andrew York and BWV 1011 for flute and guitar.

10/29, Jazz Up Front, Bloomington, IL: guitar with Thursday Night Band (guitar).

11/01, Medici Restaurant, Normal, IL: private party.

11/04, Monticello Middle School, Monticello, IL: performed with ISU jazz ensemble.

11/04, Unity High School, Tolono, IL: performed with ISU jazz ensemble.

11/05, Champaign Centennial High School, Champaign, IL: performance with ISU jazz ensemble.

11/05, Paxton High School, Paxton, IL: performance with ISU jazz ensemble.

11/05, Mahomet Senior High School, Mahomet, IL: performance with ISU jazz ensemble.

11/06, Jazz Up Front, Bloomington, IL: guitar with Thursday Night Band.

11/07, Illinois State University, Normal, IL: performance with ISU jazz band.

11/17, Illinois State University, Normal, IL: solo guitar for private event.

11/18, Illinois State University, Normal, IL: guitar studio recital.

11/19, Jazz Up Front, Normal IL: Thursday Night Band.

11/22, Simon's Bar, Chicago IL: electric guitar with jazz quartet.

11/23, The Serbian, Chicago IL: electric guitar with Monday Night Band.

11/25, Found, Chicago IL: electric guitar with jazz quartet.

12/01, Illinois State University, Normal, IL: solo guitar recital.

12/03, Jazz Up Front, Normal, IL: Thursday Night Band.

12/19, Keystone Senior Living, St. Paul, MN: solo jazz and classical guitar recital.
12/21, The Kenwood, Minneapolis, MN: classical guitar recital for Thursday Musical.
12/21, Jazz Central Studios, Minneapolis, MN: electric guitar with Iron Chops Quintet.
12/22, Interact Center for the Performing Arts, St. Paul, MN: private event.
12/24, Easter Lutheran Church, Eagan, MN: christmas eve service.
12/26, The Black Dog, St. Paul, MN: electric guitar with Iron Chops Quintet.
12/27, St. Barnabas Church, Plymouth, MN: performance with Jazz on the Prairie Big Band.
12/31, Commons Hotel, Minneapolis, MN: new years party with Iron Chops Trio.

2014

01/01 - 07/01, Tea Garden, St. Paul, MN: house guitarist/vocalist for Saturday Night Music.
02/24 - 03/08 Brooklyn Center High School, Brooklyn Center, MN: pit guitarist for "Once on this Island".
03/29: Schubert Club, Landmark Center, St. Paul, MN: classical guitar competition final round placement.
04/03: Jazz Central Studios, Minneapolis, MN: guitarist/vocalist for JCS' Thursday Night Vocal Series.
04/08, Normandale Community College, Bloomington, MN: Recital.
06/13, Senor Wong's, St. Paul, MN: guitar and vocals for Friday Night Live Music.
06/14: Golden's Deli, St. Paul, MN: guitar and vocals for the opening of the Minneapolis/St. Paul's "Green Line" light rail.
06/17, Midway Stadium, St. Paul, MN: opening band (Geek and the Girl, Katia Cardenas (vocals) and Jon Wood (guitar)) for the Minnesota Saints Game.
06/28, Tin Bins, Stillwater, MN: guitar and vocals with band "Geek and the Girl" for Saturday Night Music.
07/01, Keystone Senior Living, St. Paul, MN: recital.
07/01 - 08/02, Eagan Community Theater, Eagan, MN: guitar, ukulele, and mandolin for the musical "Shrek".
07/03, Jazz Central Studios, Minneapolis, MN: vocals and guitar for Thursday Night Vocal Series.
07/27, Easter Lutheran Church, Eagan, MN: classical guitar recital.
08/13, Golden's Deli, St. Paul, MN: Lunch Hour Music.
08/15, Tea Garden, Minneapolis, MN: Friday Night Music.
09/05, Golden's Deli, St. Paul, MN: Lunch Hour Music.
09/05, Tea Garden, Minneapolis, MN: Friday Night Music.
09/08, JCS, Minneapolis, MN: Performed with Dan and Reuben Ristrom.
09/13, Mary Mother of the Church, Eagan, MN: Solo Recital.
09/14, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN: Minnesota Guitar Society Recital.
09/19, Tea Garden, Minneapolis, MN: Friday Night Music.
09/20, Mary Mother of the Church, Eagan, MN: chamber recital.
09/22, Jazz Central Studios, Minneapolis, MN: performed with the Larry McDonough Quartet.
09/23, Keystone Senior Living, St. Paul, MN: recital.
09/28, Studio Z, St. Paul, MN: recital.
10/03, Tea Garden Uptown, Minneapolis, MN: Friday Night Music.
10/14, Jazz Central Studios, Minneapolis, MN: Performed with Cedar Avenue Big Band.
10/17, Tea Garden Uptown, Minneapolis, MN: Friday Night Music.
10/21, University of St. Thomas, St. Paul, MN: recital.
10/29, Golden's Deli, St. Paul, MN: recital.
10/31, Tea Garden Uptown, Minneapolis, MN: Friday Night Music.
10/20, Jazz Central Studios, Minneapolis, MN: performed with Dave Brattain Quartet.
11/06, Mason Jar, Eagan, MN: recital.
11/07, Tea Garden Uptown, Minneapolis, MN: Stuart Ateberry Art Exhibit.
11/07, Interact Center for the Performing Arts, Minneapolis, MN: recital.
11/11, Jazz Central Studios, Minneapolis, MN: performed with Cedar Avenue Big Band.
11/12, Institute of Production and Recording (IPR), Minneapolis, MN: Recorded original jazz album with Kevin Bowe.
11/13, Interact Center for the Performing Arts, Minneapolis, MN: Recital.
11/15, SW Craft Bar, St. Paul, MN: Jon Wood Trio at SW Craft Bar's Saturday Night Music.
11/20-23, Bedlam Theater, St. Paul, MN: electric bass in Bedlam Theater's Beaverdance Musical.
12/04-07, Bedlam Theater, St. Paul, MN: electric bass in Bedlam Theater's Beaverdance Musical.
12/11-14, Bedlam Theater, St. Paul, MN: electric bass in Bedlam Theater's Beaverdance Musical.
12/18-21, Bedlam Theater, St. Paul, MN: electric bass in Bedlam Theater's Beaverdance Musical.
12/23, Perfect Ash Tobacco Shop, St. Paul, MN: Tuesday Night Music.
12/25, Easter Lutheran Church, Eagan, MN: christmas service.
12/26, SW Craft Bar, St. Paul, MN: Iron Chops Trio.
12/27, St. Paul Farmers Market, St. Paul, MN: solo recital.
12/27-30, Bedlam Theater, St. Paul, MN: electric bass in Bedlam Theater's Beaverdance Musical.
12/27, St. Barnabas Lutheran Church, Plymouth, MN: Jazz On The Prairie Big Band Concert.
12/29, Mason Jar, Eagan, MN: solo recital.

12/31, Private Event, Eagan, MN: recital.

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06/22, Private Party, Minneapolis, MN: recital.

10/10, Great Lakes Naval Base, Great Lakes, IL: recital.

10/11, Chicago Institute of Art (CIA), Chicago, IL: guitar and saxophone jazz duet in front of CIA

11/10 - 01/01, Perfect Ash Tobacco Shop, Lilly Dale, MN: house guitarist/vocalist for Tuesday Night Music.

12/05, Friends Meeting House, St. Paul, MN: senior undergraduate recital.

12/23, Artist's Quarter, St. Paul, MN: guitar and vocals for final late night show.

2012:

04/17, Creation Audio Labs, Minneapolis, MN: producer for the recording of my composition "Far From Home" for guitar, bass, violin, drums, and piano.

2011

01/01 - 02/01, Plymouth Congregational Church, Minneapolis, MN: pit guitarist in the East Street Players production of "Quilters."

Fall, University of St. Thomas, St. Paul, MN: directed guitar ensemble in rehearsal and in their end of semester performances.

07/01-11/01, Potbelly Sandwich Shop, Roseville, MN: Friday night house guitarist.

07/20, Aria Tea Bar, St. Paul, MN: recital.

07/27, Aria Tea Bar, St. Paul, MN: recital.

08/05, Aria Tea Bar, St. Paul, MN: Recital.

08/19, University of St. Thomas, St. Paul, MN: recital for donors event.

09/14, University of St. Thomas, St. Paul, MN: recital for silent auction.

2010

05/02, University of St. Thomas Chapel, St. Paul, MN: sang baritone in the UST choir's performance of Mozart's Requiem Mass (K. 626).

Spring, University of St. Thomas, St. Paul, MN: upright bass in guitar ensemble's spring semester concert.

Spring, University of St. Thomas, St. Paul, MN: music major level 1 recital.

06/01 - 06/28, Lowry Theater, St. Paul, MN: electric bass in Blank Slate Theaters' production of HAIR!

06/20, Jazz concert for wedding.

08/20 University of St. Thomas, St. Paul, MN: recital for donors.

09/26, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN: performance in Roland Dyens master class, sponsored by the Minnesota Guitar Society.

Fall, University of St. Thomas, St. Paul, MN: percussionist in UST African Drum Ensemble.

10/20, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN: recital for Minnesota Guitar Society.

12/05, Orchestra Hall, Minneapolis, MN: guitarist in the Twin Cities Public Television's National Broadcast of the University of St. Thomas's annual christmas concert.

2009

Summer: House band for Jazz Co. Cafe.

06/15: Eastview Jazz Combo Reunion, performance at graduation party.

Fall, University of St. Thomas, St. Paul, MN: guitar ensemble concert.

Fall, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN: private party.

2008

Winter, Eastview High School, Apple Valley, MN: guitar in the EVHS Jazz Ensemble 1 and Jazz Combo winter concert.
02/23, Rolling Meadows, IL: Jazz in the Meadows festival with the EVHS Jazz Ensemble 1 and Jazz Combo.
Spring, Eastview High School, Apple Valley, MN: guitar in the EVHS Jazz Ensemble 1 and Jazz Combo spring concert.
03/01 - 05/03, Eastview High School, Apple Valley, MN: performed in the EVHS musical production "Bravo" with the EVHS Jazz Ensemble 1.
Fall, Normandale Community College, Bloomington, MN: two concerts with the Normandale Community College Jazz Band.
05/06, coffee commotion, Apple Valley, MN: solo jazz guitar recital.
06/15, Eastview Jazz Combo, Eagan, MN: performance for graduation party.
06/21, Eastview Jazz Combo, Eagan, MN: performance for graduation party.

2007

Winter, Eastview High School, Apple Valley, MN: guitar in the EVHS Jazz Ensemble 1 and Jazz Combo winter concert.
02/22, Rolling Meadows IL: Jazz in the Meadows festival with the EVHS Jazz Ensemble 1 and Jazz Combo.
Spring, Eastview High School, Apple Valley MN: guitar in the EVHS Jazz Ensemble 1 and Jazz Combo spring concert.
10/24 - 12/15, Eastview High School, Apple Valley MN: pitt guitarist and mandolinist in Fiddler on the Roof.
12/03, Coffee Commotion, Apple Valley, solo jazz guitar recital.

2006

Winter, Eastview High School, Apple Valley, MN: guitarist in the EVHS Jazz Ensemble 3 winter concert.
Spring, Eastview High School, Apple Valley, MN: guitarist in the EVHS Jazz Ensemble 3 spring concert.
Fall, Eastview High School, Apple Valley, MN: pitt guitarist in the EVHS christmas show with the EVHS Jazz Ensemble 1.