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Objective

To obtain a position as a general music teacher on the elementary level.

Education

Texas State University, San Marcos, Texas 2006-Present
Master's Degree in Music Education, Kodaly Emphasis
Expected Graduation Date: December 2009
GPA: 3.93

University of Texas, Austin, Texas 2006
Graduate Courses, Russian, East European and Eurasian Studies
GPA: 3.5

Stephen F. Austin State University, Nacogdoches, Texas 1996-1999
Bachelor of Music, Piano Performance Pedagogy
Graduation Date: Spring 1999
GPA: 3.34 Dean's List: Spring 1996, Spring and Fall 1997, Spring 1998, Spring 1999

East Texas Baptist University, Marshall, Texas 1994-1995
Bachelor of Music, All-Level Music Education
GPA: 3.73 Dean's List with Honors: Fall 1994-Fall 1995

Teaching Experience

Elementary Music Student Teacher Fall 2007
Linda Smith, Woodstone Elementary

Choral Music Student Teacher Fall 2007
Barbara Murphy Frank, Driscoll Middle School

Martin Middle School – Beginning Russian Instructor 2005
Representative of Center for Russian, East European and Eurasian Studies

Private Teaching Experience

Part-Time Private Piano Instructor 2006-2007
Allegro School of Music, Kyle, Texas

Full-Time Private Piano Instructor 2001-2005
Musical Arts Center of San Antonio, San Antonio, Texas

Summer Children's Music Camp Director 2003-2004

Musical Arts Center of San Antonio, San Antonio, Texas
Part-Time Private Piano Instructor 1998-1999
SFASU Music Department, Preparatory Division, Nacogdoches, Texas

Performance Experience

- University Singers, Texas State University 2006-2007
- Jazz Combo, Texas State University 2006-2007
- University Singers, East Texas Baptist University 1994-1995
- Grace Lutheran Church, Choir Director/Accompanist 2007-Present
- Russian Vocal Performing Group Co-ordinator, University of Texas 2005
- Various employment as a accompanist and pianist in various capacities.

Other Work Experience

Choir Director/Accompanist 2007-present
Grace Lutheran Church, San Marcos, Texas

Assistant Choir Director Fall 2007
Voices of Cibolo, Shertz, Texas

Missionary Intern, Moscow Youth and Student Team 1999-2001
International Mission Board, Moscow, Russia

- Taught American culture at Friendship University
- Transcribed worship songs

Volunteer Experience

Student Staff Hill Country Youth Chorus, Texas State University 2006-present

Monitor Mariachi Festival, Texas State University Spring 2007

Russian Composer Poster Presenter Russia Day, University of Texas Spring 2005

Monitor Achievement Auditions, University of Texas at San Antonio 2002-2005

Volunteer National Music Teachers Association National Conference 2005

Volunteer Texas Jazz Festival Fall 2004

Charter President Texas Music Teachers Association, Student Chapter, Stephen F. Austin State University 1998-1999

Volunteer Various competitions and festivals, Music Department, Stephen F. Austin State University 1997-1998

Assistant Director Children's Chorus, Music Preparatory Division, Stephen F. Austin State University 1993-1994

Additional Skills

- Conversational fluency in Russian
- Assisted with music resources in the development of a Russian language curriculum
- Created a series of performance opportunities called "Jambox" which facilitated children ages 7-14 blues and jazz improvised performance with a professional bass player and drummer

- Created the “Mozart Club” which gave a statue of Mozart to piano students who demonstrated exceptional performance
- Operetta Director for summer children’s musical “Cinderella”
- Choral Arrangement: “Our Heart, Our Desire”
- Choral Composition: “A Virtuous Woman”
- Instrumental Arrangement: “My Jesus, My Savior”
- Pedagogical Compositions: “Russian Alphabet Rap”, “Russian Number Song”, “Russian Color Song”
- Various original song compositions

Awards

- University Scholar Award, East Texas Baptist University 1994
- Music Department Scholarship Award, East Texas Baptist University 1994
- Young Artist Scholarship Award, Stephen F. Austin State University 1994
- Accompanying Scholarship, Stephen F. Austin State University 1996-1999
- Homer Bryce Alumni Scholarship, Stephen F. Austin State University 1996-1999
- Mamie Middlebrook Scholarship Award, Stephen F. Austin State University 1998
- National Student Chapter of the Year, National Music Teacher’s Association 1998-1999
- Students received various awards of Superior and Superior Plus at the Achievement Auditions, University of Texas at San Antonio 2001-2005
- Students received exceptional scores on the Texas Music Teacher’s Association Theory Test 2001-2005

Professional Affiliations

- Texas Music Educator’s Association
- Music Educator’s National Convention
- Organization of American Kodaly Educators

References available upon request.