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## EDUCATION

The Ohio State University, School of Music M.A. in Vocal Pedagogy, 3.92 GPA M.M. in Vocal Performance, 3.92 GPA Honors: Outstanding Graduate Associate in Voice, 2018 Spring Commencement National Anthem & Alma Mater Performer	2017-2018
The Ohio State University, School of Music B.M. in Vocal Performance, 3.343 GPA Honors: Annual Concerto Competition Finalist (2014)	2016-2018
Columbus State Community College Associate of Arts, 3.7 GPA Honors: <i>Cum Laude</i> , Man of the Year Award for Advancement and Leadership Excellence	2011-2012

## WORKSHOPS & CONTINUING EDUCATION

Boston Conservatory at Berklee Vocal Pedagogy Professional Workshop	2021
Shenandoah University, CCM Summer Institute The Fundamentals of Functional Training, Dr. Matt Edwards	2021
Royal Conservatory of Music, RCM Elementary Teacher Training, Piano	2021
The Voice Studio, Kevin Wilson Teaching Musical Theatre Workshop	2021
Bullet Proof Musician, Dr. Noa Kageyama Performance Psychology Essentials for Educators	2020
Estill Voice International Level One Participation Certificate	2018

## MERITS & AWARDS

Outstanding Graduate Associate in Voice	2018
Graduate Teaching Associate (Voice Area)	2017-2018
Graduate Administrative Associate (Voice Area)	2016-2018
Most Outstanding Achievement Award (Voice)	2015-2016
Lieutenant DeSelm Choral Fellowship	2015-2016
OSU Scholarship in Music	2015-2016
Aida Cannarsa Snow Award	2015-2016
OSU School of Music Alumni Scholarship	2015-2016
Brahms Cash Grant	2014-2016
Bliss Johnston Virargo Award	2014-2015
Helen Swank Voice Scholarship	2014-2015

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Musicologie U, College Prep Program Director & Curriculum Designer	2020-Present
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Musicologie (Lewis Center), Lewis Center, OH Lead Teacher, Senior Voice & Piano Teacher, Musicologie Junior Teacher Responsible for providing instruction in voice and piano to all ages, as well as teach all junior level curriculum.	2019-Present
Opera Columbus Teaching Artist Provided music instruction to youth ages 8-16 and directed youth choir for performance in The Voice of Freedom and The Voice of Freedom: Civil Rights	2018 - 2020
The Ohio State University, School of Music Graduate Teaching Associate Provided music instruction to both music major and non-major applied voice lessons.	2017-2018
Musicologie (Grandview), Columbus, OH Voice & Piano Teacher Provided music instruction in both voice and piano for students of all ages.	2016-2019
JTS Music Studio, Columbus, OH Private Voice & Piano Instructor Provided music instruction in both voice and piano for students ages 5 to 22.	2012-2016

**RELATED EXPERIENCE**

Musicologie (Lewis Center), Lewis Center, OH Owner/Community Manager Responsible for all daily tasks including recruitment, onboarding, and mentoring instructors.	June 2019-Present
Musicologie (Grandview), Columbus, OH Assistant Community Manager Responsible for assisting with all daily administrative duties. Assistant to studio owner in preparation of opening Lewis Center studio.	Dec. 2018-May 2019
The Ohio State University, School of Music Graduate Administrative Assistant Perform area duties to assist voice area faculty, facilitate department functions, assist both undergraduate and graduate students with various duties, and a complete re-development of the jury process.	2016-2018
Columbus State Community College Music Lab Assistant Assist piano professor and monitored music lab during open lab hours for students enrolled in music courses.	2011-2012

**PERFORMANCE EXPERIENCE**

Denison University Wind Ensemble Last Breaths, Featured Guest Artist	Granville, OH 2021
Opera Columbus Featured Artist, Voice of Freedom: Civil Rights	Columbus, OH 2020
Opera Columbus Twisted 3: Pinellino, <i>Gianni Schicchi</i>	Columbus, OH 2019
Clintonville Community Choir / Orchestra Bass Soloist: Schubert Mass in G	Columbus, OH 2019
Opera Columbus Arnold Classic, National Anthem & Armed Forces Medley Performer	Columbus, OH 2019

Opera Project Columbus Columbus Italian Festival Featured Artist	Columbus, OH 2018
The Ohio State University Commencement Performer	Columbus, OH 2018
The Ohio State University, School of Music Lyric Opera Role: Maximilian, Candide	Columbus, OH 2018
Opera Columbus Digital Chorus, Orphée et Eurydice	Columbus, OH 2018
The Ohio State University, School of Music Lyric Opera World Premiere Performance, Role: Aedeta, Ramala: Land of Misty Water	Columbus, OH 2018
The Ohio State University, School of Music Lyric Opera Sixteen by Sondheim Cabaret, Scenes	Columbus, OH 2017
Opera Columbus National Anthem Soloist/Featured Artist, Pelotonia 2017	Columbus, OH 2017
Opera Project Columbus Role: Maestro Spinelloccio, Gianni Schicchi	Columbus, OH 2017
Opera Columbus, Education Outreach Program Role: Papageno, The Magic Flute	Columbus, OH 2017
New Albany Symphony Orchestra Featured Guest Artist	New Albany, OH 2017
Opera Columbus Sibyllia Society Recital	Worthington, OH 2016
Opera Columbus Impresario Holiday Concert	Columbus, OH 2016
Opera Columbus, Opera On The Edge Role: Marcello, La Bohème	Columbus, OH 2016
Opera Columbus Role: Baron Duophol, La Traviata	Columbus, OH 2016
Opera Columbus Impresario Recital	Columbus, OH 2016
Opera Project Columbus Concert Version World Premiere: Chorus, Angel of the Amazon	Columbus, OH 2016
Opera Columbus Chorus, La Bohème	Columbus, OH 2016
The Ohio State University Wind Symphony Featured Guest Soloist	Columbus, OH 2016
Ohio State University, Solo "An Evening of English Art Song"	Columbus, OH 2016
Ohio State University, Chorale World Premiere: Soloist, Of a Smile's Echo	Columbus, OH 2015

Harmony Project Columbus Featured Guest Artist	Columbus, OH 2015
Opera Columbus, Education Outreach Program Role: Mr. BigBad, Little Red's Most Unusual Day	Columbus, OH 2015
Ohio Wesleyan University Guest Bass Chamber Soloist	Delaware, OH 2014
The Ohio State University, School of Music Lyric Opera Role (Cover): Junius, The Rape of Lucretia	Columbus, OH 2014
The Ohio State University, School of Music Lyric Opera Scenes, Role: Demetrius, Midsummer Night's Dream	Columbus, OH 2014
Columbus Italian Festival Featured Artist	Columbus, OH 2014
<b>MASTERCLASSES</b>	
The Ohio State University School of Music Randall Scarlata Vocal Masterclass	2016
The Ohio State University School of Music Ed Bak Voice & Piano Masterclass	2016
The Ohio State University School of Music NATS Vocal Masterclass, Robin Rice	2015
The Ohio State University School of Music Emilio Pons & Falko Hönisch Vocal Masterclass	2014
<b>GUEST LECTURES &amp; RELATED TEACHING EXPERIENCE</b>	
The Ohio State University School of Music Vocal Health & Maintenance Guest Lecturer Professor Ed Bak, Class Voice	2019, 2020
The Ohio State University School of Music Career Options & Mentorship Guest Lecturer Dr. Laura Portune & Dr. C. Andrew Blosser	2018, 2020
<b>PUBLICATIONS</b>	
Great Teachers on Great Singing, J. Robin Rice, D.M.A., 2017 Content Editor Digitally transcribed vocal exercises and formatted each into appropriate files for inclusion in first edition of book by esteemed master teacher of voice, J. Robin Rice.	2017
IPA (International Phonetic Alphabet) Resource Center Founder, Webmaster & Content Creator Founded a free resource website for aspiring singers of classical music and provide digital content for download by website visitors to assist in authentic language pronunciation in their singing.	2015-Present
<b>MEMBERSHIPS</b>	
Black Classical Music Educators (BCME) Active Member	2020 – Present
Pi Kappa Lambda National Music Honor Society	2018 – Present

Alpha Rho Chapter Member

NATS (National Association of Teachers of Singing)  
Associate Member

2018 – Present

PAVA (Pan American Vocology Association)  
Student Member

2018 – 2020

OSU SNATS (The Ohio State University Student NATS)  
Founder & President

2017 – 2018

Founded student organization within the Ohio State University community for the OSU chapter of SNATS.

MTNA (Music Teachers National Association)  
Ohio MTA (Ohio Music Teachers Association)  
Active Member, Central East District

2015 – Present