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Education 2022	M.M. Choral Conducting, Indiana University Bloomington	
2022	Chris Albanese, Carolann Buff, Betsy Burleigh, Dominick DiOrio, Walter Huff (conducting)	
2020	B.M.A. Voice, Western Michigan University (cum laude)	
	Kimberly Dunn Adams, Austin McWilliams (conducting); Yu-Lien The (piano); David	
	Little, Kenneth Prewitt (classical voice); Jeremiah Downes (CCM and musical theatre voice)	
2020 B.S. Biochemistry, Western Michigan University (cum laude)		
	Thesis: "Biological Evaluation of FDA-Approved Drugs as miRNA-31 Inhibitors using	
	Real Time QRT-PCR and a Luciferase Assay"	
	Advisor: Kelly Teske; Co-Chair: Ricky Stull	
2017	Associate of Arts, Macomb Community College (summa cum laude)	
Intensives		
2023	ADEI Learning Lab: led by Dr. Antonio Cuyler, Chorus America	
2023	Cross-Choral Training: led by Dianne Berkun Menaker, Brooklyn Youth Chorus	
2022	Summer Intensive in Musical Theatre Conducting, led by Ted Sperling, New York	
	University	

Professional Experience: Conducting

Big Apple Performing Arts

- 2023 Pres Artistic Director, Youth Pride Chorus (~20 voice LGBTQIA+ youth ensemble, ages 13-18)
- 2023 Interim Artistic Director, Youth Pride Chorus
 - o Lead rehearsals and performances of the Youth Pride Chorus
 - Develop lesson plans for each rehearsal
 - Develop the vision and programming for the given season

- Develop relationships with other musical organizations and artists to perform and work with the Youth Pride Chorus
- Prepare the chorus for guest appearances requested by outside individuals/organizations/celebrities
- 2022 Pres Lehigh Valley Chorale (175-voice non-auditioned community chorus) Artistic Director and Conductor, Lehigh Valley, Pennsylvania
 - Prepare for and conduct all rehearsals and performances of the Lehigh Valley Chorale
 - Work closely with the volunteer Board of Directors to help coordinate concert dates/venues/themes, purchase the necessary musical scores, prepare annual budgets based on long-range strategic goals of the chorale, and help secure new funding streams and financial donors
 - Communicate effectively with both the Board of Directors and the singing membership
 - Collaborate with the music selection committee to create concert programs that: are appropriate and suitable for the ability and size of the chorale, align with the commitment to excellence in performance, feature diversity in musical styles, themes, and composers.

2022 All Campus Chorus (40 voice community-oriented choral ensemble)

Assistant Conductor, Bloomington, IN

- Developed musical programming
- Led the ensemble in rehearsals and final performance
- Managed logistical elements of the ensemble including attendance, chairs, and riser setup
- Selected and secured guest musicians
- \circ $\;$ Led the ensemble when the director was absent

2021 **The Singing Hoosiers** (100 voice Grammy-nominated choral ensemble)

Assistant Conductor, Bloomington, IN

- o Assisted in the development of concert programming
- o Led the ensemble in rehearsals and in performances on assigned works
- Managed logistical elements of the ensemble including attendance, chairs, and riser setup
- Led the ensemble when the director was absent

- Worked with the director and production staff including guest musicians, stage managers, lighting designers, and sound designers for fully produced programs
- Led music for choreography rehearsals

2021 **French Woods Festival of the Performing Arts** (historic summer performing arts festival)

Head of Voice/Resident Musical Director, Hancock, NY

- Coordinated and supervised a team of five voice faculty members
- Scheduled courses and lesson times for the entire department
- Worked with the Head of Music to plan multiple performances for every threeweek session, including collaborations with instrumentalists
- Supervised three vocal troupes including Glee Troupe (11-14 year olds), Jr.
 Cabaret Troupe (7-11 year olds) and the Vocal Repertory Course (14-17 year olds)
- o Music directed two performances per three-week session
- o Maintained an active voice studio during regular teaching hours
- Coached student soloists for orchestral collaborations including the Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra and the New York Pops Orchestra
- Designed a curriculum for and instructed a student conducting course, with an eventual Masterclass with the conductor of the New York Pops Orchestra, Steven Reineke

2020-2021 Vocal Chamber Ensembles (chamber ensembles of 12 vocalists)

Assistant Conductor for Opal, Aqua, & Turquoise Ensemble, Bloomington, IN

- o Led the ensemble in rehearsals and final performance on assigned works
- Managed logistical elements of the ensemble including attendance, chairs, and riser setup
- \circ $\;$ Led the ensemble for when director was absent
- Maintained covid safety protocols including mask wearing and social distancing

2019-2020 **Kalamazoo Children's Chorus, Coro de Niños** (bilingual community youth chorus) Choral Director, Kalamazoo, MI

- Instructed 35 third-fifth grade students
- Communicated with students and parents in both Spanish and English
- Prepared weekly lesson plans for a one-hour rehearsal
- Prepared and performed for three concerts a year in a variety of music, mostly concentrated in the Spanish language

Professional Experience: College Teaching (see Courses Taught)

2022 – Pres New York Film Academy

Faculty, Professional Conservatory of Musical Theatre

- Deliver instruction in accordance with the learning objectives set for the course, including practical skills, methods, theories and techniques
- Provide one-on-one consultations with students, if and when necessary
- Develop & manage course syllabus materials & lesson plans
- Facilitate peer assessment and encourage discussion & constructive criticism in class
- Assess student work, including but not limited to, assigning projects, papers and exercises
- In accordance with academic and attendance policies and guidelines, submit attendance & grades promptly to the registrar's office
- Attend & participate in faculty meetings and/or departmental curricular meetings, if requested by Department Chair
- Organize and direct final projects, which have been worked on in class, including final films and performances

2020-2022 Indiana University Jacobs School of Music, Choral Conducting Department

Assistant Conductor/Teaching Assistant, Bloomington, IN

- Lead a variety of ensembles including the Vocal Chamber Ensembles, Singing Hoosiers, All Campus Choir, and the IU Opera Theatre
- Assisted in conducting courses as necessary, including the Graduate Choral Conducting Course for Non-Majors
- Managed logistical elements of the ensembles including attendance, chairs, riser setup, etc.
- o Rehearsed and conducted ensemble(s) on assigned works

Professional Experience: Congregational

2021-2022 First Presbyterian Church of Bloomington, Children's Chorus (congregational

children's chorus)

Choir Director, Bloomington, IN

- Develop a choral curriculum for children aged primarily 5-11 for a one-hour rehearsal per week
- Perform at multiple Sunday services and special events as needed, including the yearly Christmas Pageant
- Program music of relevant social justice concepts and incorporate these themes into lesson planning and music selection

2017 - 2022 Unitarian Universalist Community Church of Southwest Michigan (large

congregation with amateur chorus and paid section leaders)

Music Director, Portage, MI

- Established and directed the UUCC choir along with combined musical ensembles with an affiliated church
- Developed youth music activities and instituted educational programs that maximized a well-rounded learning environment and performance opportunities
- Instructed various musical courses related to vocal pedagogy, music literacy, and music history
- Coordinated with various committees to develop and form the musical culture for Sunday Service, usually surrounding themes of social justice
- Managed and created a music budget
- Wrote various grants for local and statewide organizations to support the artistic community
- o Planned and implemented fundraising and promotional activities
- o Drafted proposals for board review of various artistic and musical activities
- o Hired and supervised new musical staff
- Served the community virtually during COVID-19

Professional Experience: Singer/Pianist

2020 - 2022 **University Choral Ensembles** (choral program of nearly 500 vocalists housed in the Jacobs School of Music)

Choral Artist, Bloomington, IN

- Sing in assigned conductor's chorus of 30 vocalists, biweekly under the direction of both doctoral and master's students in choral conducting
- Rehearse a variety of repertoire based on the concert program
- Perform assigned repertoire in a single, final concert setting
- Manage small projects for the choral department such as developing marketing materials or creating donor videos

Collaborative Pianist, Bloomington, IN

 Play in assigned ensembles as needed including the TTBB chorus and All Campus Chorus

Professional Experience: Arts Administration

- 2019-2021 **Open House Theatre Company** (theatrical nonprofit focused on commissioning new works) Executive Director/Co-founder, Portage, MI
 - Worked with the board of directors to fulfill the organizational mission
 - Developed resources to ensure the financial health of the organization
 - Implemented and managed programs, strategic planning, and community outreach that supported the organizational mission
 - o Established and maintained relationships with various organizations
 - Managed physical and fiscal resources
 - Established administrative policies and procedures for day-to-day operations
 - Served as the organization's primary spokesperson to the public

Teaching

Courses Taught

2022- New York Film Academy

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MUSC102N	Ensemble II	1cr	1x
	Music Theory and		
	Sight Singing (Beginner)	2cr	1x
	Music Theory and		
	Sight Singing (Advanced)	2cr	1x
MUSC103N	Song Interpretation	2 cr	1x
MUSC118N	Pop/Rock	2cr	2x

Courses Assisted

2020-2022	Indiana University Bloomington			
	MUS-X 70	Vocal Chamber Ensembles	2cr	2x
	MUS-X 70	Singing Hoosiers	2cr	1x
	MUS-X 1	All Campus Chorus	1cr	1x
	MUS-G 555	Graduate Choral Conducting	3cr	1x
	MUS-X 70	Opera Chorus	2cr	1x

Invited Clinics (K-12 Conducting)

2024	GSA Summit: NYC Department of Education: Brooklyn, NY
2023	Fort Hamilton High School: Brooklyn, New York
2023	Brooklyn High School for the Arts: Brooklyn, New York

Publications

2023	" <u>Considering Matthew Shepard Through the Five Stages of Grief</u> ," Choral Scholar,		
	National Collegiate Choral Organization. Spring/Summer 2023.		
2021	"Choral Conversations: On Resilience, A Conversation with Darla Bair," Choral Journal,		
	American Choral Director's Association. August 2021.		
2020	"Biochemical Power of Choral Singing," Choral Journal, American Choral Director's		
	Association. October 2020.		
2020	"Biological Evaluation of FDA-Approved Drugs as miRNA-31 Inhibitors using Real		
	Time ORT-PCR and a Luciferase Assay," Scholar Works, Western Michigan University.		
	May 2020.		

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Invited Presentations: Conferences

2022	"Cultivating a Choral Culture of Connectedness," Western Region American Choral	
	Director's Association, Long Beach, CA – March 4	
2021	"Comfortable Enough for Discomfort: The Crafting and Impact of Psychological	
	Safety in Musical Ensembles," International Symposium of Performance Science,	
	Montréal, Canada – October 28	
2021	"Singing for Our Soul," THEMPosium, Tucson, Arizona – March 20	
2021	"Empowering Our Students Through Emotional Awareness," European Association	
	for Music in Schools, Freiburg, Germany – March 25	
2021	"Cultivating a Choral Culture of Connectedness," Indiana University Bloomington,	
	Bloomington, IN – April 8	
2021	"Welcome Home: Empowering Our Students Through Emotional Awareness,"	
	College Music Society Great Lakes Regional Conference, Virtual – April 16	
2021	"Welcome Home: Empowering Our Students Through Emotional Awareness,"	
	College Music Society International Conference, Bogota, Columbia (cancelled, COVID-	
	19)	

Invited Presentations: Podcasts

2020 "<u>When Artists Have to Learn Science</u>," Choralosophy Podcast. August 2020.

Invited Presentations: Radio Interviews

2021	"Considering Matthew Shepard," WFIU Radio.		
2020	" <u>A Science-Oriented Conductor on the State of Choral Singing</u> ," WMUK Radio.		
2019	"Young Conductor Spearheads Community Choral Concert," WMUK Radio.		
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Press			

 2023 "<u>Healing music: LV Chorale regroups, tackles new heights after passing of founder</u>," Micaela Hood. *Lehigh Valley News*. October 21, 2023.

Published Recordings

2022 **NOTUS: What is Ours**: nine new works by living composers. Tenor soloist on Moira Smiley's <u>*Wire You Here*</u>. Recorded at Indiana University Bloomington, February 2022

Selected Conducting Performances

- 2023 MidAmerica Productions "Rutter's *Magnificat* and Handel's *Hallelujah* chorus" preparing the Lehigh Valley Chorale for a performance will full orchestra of John Rutter's *Magnificat* and Handel's *Hallelujah* chorus. LVC will be joined by three other choruses in the tri-state area, amounting to a total of nearly 300 vocalists. Carnegie Hall. New York, New York – December 19
- Youth Pride Chorus "Smiling Faces: Our Joy is Our Power, a 20th Anniversary Alumni Concert" – YPC will be joined by 30 previous alumni in our 20th anniversary concert. Works will include songs by Miley Cyrus, Andrea Ramsey, Alanis Morrissette, the Undisputed Truth, and YPC alum, Jo Lee! The Center. New York, New York – December 9.
- Lehigh Valley Chorale "The Light That Leads Us Home," concert surrounding the theme of *light* and *home*. Works by Mari Esabel-Valverde, William Dawson, Elaine Hagenberg, Melissa Dunphy, Antonio Vivaldi, John Taverner, Flory Jagoda, and others. First Presbyterian Church Allentown. Allentown, Pennsylvania December 1 & 2
- 2023 **Youth Pride Chorus and Queer Urban Orchestra "Besties"** collaboration with the Queer Urban Orchestra of NYC. YPC performed "Thank You For Being a Friend," an arrangement specifically created for YPC. Symphony Space. New York, New York October 18
- 2023 **MidAmerica Productions "Gjeilo's** *Dreamweaver* **and Taylor's** *Cambridge Songs Suite No.1"* Prepared the Lehigh Valley Chorale for a performance with full orchestra on Ola Gjeilo's *Dreamweaver* and Jim Taylor's *Cambridge Songs*. Carnegie Hall. New York, New York – June 18
- 2023 Youth Pride Chorus "Generations of Pride" program with the Youth Pride Chorus that foues on pride through the generations. Artists include Ma Rainey, Nina Simone, Earth Wind and Fire, Sara Bareilles, and original compositions and performance by students. This is a fully produced concert with lighting, staging, and sound. The Center. New York, New York – June 3

2023 Lehigh Valley Chorale "Of Steel, Fire, and Sky" These concerts will feature several popular artists including Dolly Parton and James Taylor, and the music reminiscent of trains and ships by composers including Rollo Dillworth. The chorus will sing like the earth with Elizabeth Alexander's "How to Sing Like a Planet" and tell an epic tale with a video game piece by Christopher Tin. This

concert will also feature works by Stephen Schwartz, Colin Britt, Gregory Orbán, and include Dr. Rospehayne Powell's classic "Still I Rise." The concert will close with one of Aaron Copland's most cherished pieces from his opera *The Tenderland* entitled "The Promise of Living," arranged for chorus and four-hand piano. First Presbyterian Church Allentown. Allentown, Pennsylvania – May 19 and 20

2022 Lehigh Valley Chorale "Winter Evenings" – an immersive concert experience with works

by Ešenvalds, Trumbore, Fauré, and more. The performance will include audience participation, and readings by chorus members. Instrumentalists will include organ, piano, string quartet, percussion, and trumpet. First Presbyterian Church Allentown – December 2 & 3

- 2021 **Bloomington Chamber Singers "St. Nicolas and Ceremony of Carols"** performance of Benjamin Britten's *St. Nicolas* with guest soloist, Patrick Conklin. Performance featured a full orchestra, SATB chorus, SSA gallery chorus, and two soloists. St. Mark's United Methodist Church, Bloomington, IN – December 5
- 2021 **French Woods Festival of the Performing Arts "Music Showcase"** conducted the French Woods Festival vocal ensemble on works by Arthur Honegger, Joan Szymko, and Gwyneth Walker. Performance also featured the young strings and band program. French Woods Festival, Hancock, NY – August 20
- 2021 **French Woods Festival of the Performing Arts "Concert Band"** conducted Julie Giroux's *One Life Beautiful* with the French Woods Festival concert band. Performance showcased both the concert band and orchestra. French Woods Festival, Hancock, NY – June 20
- 2019 **Kalamazoo Children's Chorus "Coro de Niños Celebration"** performance with Coro de Niños for family, friends, staff, and students. Ensemble composed of 3-5th graders from both primarily English-speaking and Spanish-speaking homes. Works performed mostly in Spanish. El Sol Elementary School, Kalamazoo, MI – December 10
- 2019 Kalamazoo Community Chorus "Kalamazoo Community Choral Concert" performance of several selections featuring five different choral ensembles including the Kalamazoo Community Chorale, Kalamazoo Male Chorus, Mall City Harmonizers, Unitarian Universalist Community Chorus, and the West Michigan Gay Men's Chorus. Grand Chorus composed of nearly 200 vocalists. First Presbyterian Church, Kalamazoo, MI – November 2

Conducting: Indiana University Bloomington

- 2022 All Campus Chorus "All Campus Chorus Concert" conducted several works on the All Campus Chorus Concert with a choral force of nearly 40 members. Ensemble composed exclusively of students, faculty, staff, and community members from Indiana University. Premiered a new work entitle *Home* by Jack Reeves, specifically adapted for the All Campus Chorus. Recital Hall, Jacobs School of Music, Bloomington, IN – April 25
- 2022 **Conductor's Chorus "Master's Recital III"** conducted several works with an ensemble composed of graduate and undergraduate music students with nearly 30 members. Repertoire was focused on the renaissance, classical, and romantic eras. Auer Hall, Jacobs School of Music, Bloomington, IN – April 23
- 2022 NOTUS: Contemporary Vocal Ensemble "The Vonnegut Requiem" guest conductor for movement seven of the *Vonnegut Requiem* entitled "Holy, Holy, Holy." Led NOTUS: Contemporary Vocal Ensemble in several rehearsals and in performance. Auer Hall, Jacobs School of Music, Bloomington, IN – April 3
- 2022 Ad Hoc Choral Ensemble "Charles Banta Senior Recital" conductor for the premiere of an acapella choral work entitled *Past Life Incantations* by Charles Banta. Ensemble composed of nearly 30 student musicians. Auer Hall, Jacobs School of Music, Bloomington, IN – March 8
- 2021 **The Singing Hoosiers "Chimes of Christmas"** conducted two works in performance, and all works in rehearsal, along with and assisting in facilitating the Chimes of Christmas Concert. Ensembles included the Grammy-nominated Singing Hoosiers (100member student ensemble), the Singing Hoosiers Band, the Indiana University Children's Chorus, and the Indiana University Wind Ensemble. IU Auditorium, Bloomington, IN – December 4
- 2021 **Conductor's Chorus "Master's Recital II"** conducted several works with an ensemble composed of graduate and undergraduate music students with nearly 30 members, along with a string quartet performing *The Hope of Loving* by Jake Runestad. Auer Hall, Jacobs School of Music, Bloomington, IN October 31
- 2021 Sinfonietta "Outer Limits: A Saxophone Concerto" conducted the premiere of saxophone concerto entitled *Outer Limits* by Luke Henry. Ensemble composed of 18 instrumentalists. Recital Hall, Jacobs School of Music, Bloomington, IN – October 29
- 2021 **The Singing Hoosiers "Fall Concert"** conducted one work in performance, and all works in rehearsal, along with assisting in facilitating the Singing Hoosiers Fall Concert.

Ensembles included the Grammy-nominated Singing Hoosiers (100-member student ensemble) and the Singing Hoosiers Band. Auer Hall, Jacobs School of Music, Bloomington, IN – October 23 & 24

- 2021 **Chamber Ensemble "Three Songs from** *Leaves of Grass"* conducted a chamber work for mezzo-soprano, clarinet, bassoon, violin, and piano on a graduate student recital. Auer Hall, Jacobs School of Music, Bloomington, IN October 17
- 2021 **Conductor's Chorus "Master's Recital I"** conducted several works on with chamber ensemble of 12 graduate and undergraduate vocalists, placed 100sqft apart. Repertoire spanned all eras of music. Auer Hall, Jacobs School of Music, Bloomington, IN – April 11
- 2021 ACDA Song Genesis "Bezos and Me" conducted the premiere of *Bezos and Me* by Hippocrates Cheng for a recording project with the Indiana University American Choral Director's Association Chapter. Indiana University poets were paired with student composers and created these works together. Chamber ensemble was composed of 12 undergraduate musicians, placed 100sqft apart. Recital Hall, Jacobs School of Music, Bloomington, IN – April 22
- 2021 **Opal Vocal Chamber Ensemble "An Evening of Vocal Chamber Ensembles"** conducted Rollo Dilworth's *Nine Hundred Miles* for SSA ensemble. Composed of 10 undergraduate vocalists placed 100sqft apart. Auer Hall, Jacobs School of Music, Bloomington, IN – March 30
- 2020 Turquoise Vocal Chamber Ensemble "Turquoise Vocal Chamber Ensemble" conducted Umberto Giordano's O Pastorelle Addio from Andrea Chenier for SSA
 ensemble. Composed of 12 undergraduate and graduate vocalists placed 100sqft apart.
 Auer Hall, Jacobs School of Music, Bloomington, IN October 20
- 2020 Aqua Vocal Chamber Ensemble "An Evening of Vocal Chamber Ensembles" conducted R. Eben Trobaugh's *Soy un coya chiquitito* for SA ensemble. Composed of 10 undergraduate vocalists placed 100sqft apart. Auer Hall, Jacobs School of Music, Bloomington, IN – September 25

Musical Theatre and Opera

2023	Music Assistant, American Conservatory Theatre, Hippest Trip: The Soul Train Musical
2023	Music Director, New York Film Academy, Live, Laugh, Lie
2022	Assistant Chorus Master, IU Opera Theatre, HMS Pinafore
2021	Conductor, French Woods Festival, Once Upon a Mattress
2021	Music Consultant, French Woods Festival, The Laramie Project
2021	Music Director, French Woods Festival, Oklahoma
2021	Conductor, French Woods Festival, Bean a Long Day (World Premiere)
2021	Conductor/Music Director, French Woods Festival, Freaky Friday
2021	Conductor/Music Director, French Woods Festival, Cabaret
2021	Music Director, French Woods Festival, Gypsy
2021	Conductor/Music Director, French Woods Festival, SpongeBob Squarepants
2021	Music Director, French Woods Festival, The Other Josh Cohen (Amateur Premiere)
2021	Conductor/Music Director, French Woods Festival, Godspell
2020	Assistant Music Director, Western Michigan University, Sunday in the Park with George
2020	Conductor/Music Director, Western Michigan University, The Last Five Years
2019	Music Consultant, Open House Theatre Company, Our Town
2019	Orchestral Director, Kalamazoo College, Spitfire Grill
2019	Music Director, Western Michigan University, Freshman Showcase
2018	Associate Conductor, Farmers Alley Theatre, The Marvelous Wonderettes
2018	Associate Conductor, Barn Theatre, Hairspray
2018	Associate Conductor, Barn Theatre, Bonnie and Clyde
2018	Conductor/Music Director, Timber Lake Playhouse, Junie B. Jones
2018	Assistant Music Director, Western Michigan University, Lucky Stiff
2018	Assistant Music Director, Romeo Theatre Company, Seussical
2018	Assistant Music Director, Warren Civic Theatre, Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor
	Dreamcoat

2017 **Music Director,** Romeo Theatre Company, You're a Good Man Charlie Brown

Voice: Selected Performance Experience

2023	Matthew Shepard, Considering Matthew Shepard, Fountain Street Church, Grand Rapi	
	MI – April 15	
2022	Tenor Soloist , Mass in F, K.192, Auer Hall, Bloomington, IN – April 23	
2022	Tenor Soloist, Wire you Here (premiere), Harris Theatre, Chicago, IL – February 11	
2022	Tenor Soloist , <i>Cradle My Heart</i> , Auer Hall, Bloomington, IN – February 7	
2021	Matthew Shepard, Considering Matthew Shepard, Buskirk-Chumley Theatre,	
	Bloomington, IN – October 9 & 10	
2019	Tenor Soloist, Of Rage and Remembrance: A Choral Chaconne, WMU Recital Hall,	
	Kalamazoo, MI – April 17	
2019	Tenor Soloist, Christ lag in Todesbaden, WMU Recital Hall, Kalamazoo, MI - February 24	

Awards and Honors: Regional

2021 Best Student Presentation, Great Lakes Regional Conference, College Music Society

Awards and Honors: Indiana University Bloomington

2021	Thomas R. Kasdorf Choral Conducting Fellowship
2021	Academic Finalist, Jacobs School of Music Celebrating Diversity Competition
2021	Jacobs School of Music Artistic Excellence Fellowship
2020	Margaret E. Hillis Graduate Fellowship in Choral Conducting

Awards and Honors: Western Michigan University

- 2020 Phi Betta Kappa Academic Honor Society
- 2019 Undergraduate Research and Creative Scholarship Excellence Award
- 2017 Presidential Medallion Scholar
- 2017 Evelyn Rosen Hart Music Education Scholar
- 2017 Watson Music Education Scholar
- 2017 Voice Scholar, School of Music
- 2017 Piano Scholar, School of Music

Service

2024	Grant Panelist, Music Education Partnership Grants, Chorus America		
2024	Adjudicator, Voice and Choir, New York State School Music Association		
2023	Interest Session Chair, Eastern Region Conference (2024), American Choral Director's		
	Association		
2022	Adjudicator, Musical Theatre Performance, International Thespian Society		
2021	Community Outreach Coordinator and Dramaturge, Considering Matthew Shepard,		
	Bloomington Chamber Singers		
2021-2022	Member, Protect Michigan Commission, LGBTQIA+ Workgroup		
2020-2021	Representative, Graduate and Professional Student Government		
	Member, Health and Wellness Committee		
2020-2021	Member, Music and Mind Lab, Indiana University Bloomington		
2019	Instructor, Osher Lifelong Learning Institute, Western Michigan University		
2018	Choral Assistant, Seminar High School Music Camp		
2017-2022	Adjudicator, Musical Theatre Performance, Michigan Thespian Festival		
2015-2022	Facilitator, Sandcastles Grief Support Camp		

Professional Affiliations

American Choral Director's Association	College Music Society
Chorus America	National Collegiate Choral Organization
GALA Choruses	New York State School Music Association