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**Curriculum Vitae**

**Education**

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**Apprenticeship in Clarinet Repair** 2017  
2.5 years under Mark Jacobi, Philadelphia, PA

**MMus in Clarinet Performance**  
Graduate assistantship Boston University, Boston, MA 2012

**MM in Clarinet Performance**  
Graduate assistantship, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL N/A  
Completed one year of study prior to transferring out of program.

**BMus in Clarinet Performance**  
Boston University, Boston, MA 2009

**New York State Regents Diploma**  
Sachem High School, Lake Ronkonkoma, NY 2004

**Teaching Experience**

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**Guest Reed Seminar and Teaching Residency**

Valdosta State University, Valdosta, GA October 18, 2022

- Presented a lecture on clarinet reed selection and adjustment.
- Gave private lessons to students.
- Ran a lab session to demonstrate making reeds from cane and help students adjust commercial reeds.

**Guest Clinician**

Boston University Tanglewood Institute, Lenox, MA 2015-2018

- Presented classes on instrument care and preventative maintenance for the Clarinet and Bassoon Studios.
- Performed repairs and instrument “check-ups” for students.
- Assisted in equipment selection for students.
- Listened to and adjudicated mock auditions.

**Graduate Teaching Assistant**

School of Music, College of Fine Arts, Boston University 2010-2012

- Taught weekly individual lessons to undergraduate and graduate non-major clarinet students.
- Organized weekly studio classes including coordinating with guest artists, scheduling and planning masterclass topics, designing and running mock auditions.
- Created, implemented, and adjudicated performance juries for non-major students.
- Coached non-major chamber music ensembles.
- Coached non-major ensemble sectional rehearsals.
- Course offered for credit.

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**Teaching Experience (Continued)**

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**Graduate Assistantship: Wind Ensemble Manager**

School of Music, College of Fine Arts, Boston University. 2011-2012

- Responsible for daily administrative tasks.
- Assisted the conductor with distribution of parts, seating roster, and various Administrative duties.
- Scheduled and adjudicated non-major auditions for major ensembles.
- Conducted rehearsal in the absence of the conductor.
- Course offered for credit.

**Sectional Coach**

Brandeis University, Waltham, MA

- Coached sectionals and performed with the Brandeis University Orchestra. 2011

**Graduate Teaching Assistant**

School of Music, University of Florida 2009-2010

- Taught weekly individual lessons to undergraduate non-major clarinet students.
- Assisted with organizing and running weekly studio and repertoire classes including presenting classes on various topics.
- Assisted with rehearsals for the clarinet choir including scheduling, rehearsal planning, part distribution, music arranging, and coordinating with guest artists.
- Course offered for credit.

**Teaching Assistant**

Boston University Tanglewood Institute, Lenox, MA 2007-2009

- Assisted with screening audition recordings both for admission and placement.
- Scheduled daily masterclasses, rehearsals, and guest artist presentations.
- Conducted rehearsals for clarinet choir.
- Arranged music for clarinet choir.
- Presented masterclasses.
- Ran group discussions/ classes on reed adjustment, equipment selection and maintenance, repertoire, historical recordings, and other topics.
- Served as liaison to the administration for the professor and students.
- Course offered for credit (AP).

**Chamber Music Coach**

Boston University Musical Organizations, Boston, MA 2007-2008

- Coached non-major chamber ensembles.
- Course offered for credit.

**Private Instructor**

Various locations 2002-2015

- Maintained a private studio. Student levels varied from beginner through collegiate.

**Additional Teaching Competencies**

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**Conducting**

- Five semesters of conducting studies; two basic and three graduate level.
- I have conducted large chamber ensembles, clarinet choirs, small string orchestras, a new music ensemble, and the Boston University Wind Ensemble.

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### **Primary Clarinet Studies**

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Ronald Reuben, ret. Bass Clarinet, Philadelphia Orchestra Philadelphia, PA	2018-2020
Donald Montanaro, ret. Associate Principal and Solo Eb Clarinet, Philadelphia Orchestra Philadelphia, PA	2016
Ethan Sloane, Solo/ Chamber Artist Boston University, Boston, MA	2004-2009, 2010-2012
David Martins, ret. clarinet with Rhode Island Philharmonic, Bass Clarinet with Boston Ballet Boston University/ Private instruction, Boston, MA	2009-2012
Mitchell Estrin, Professor of Clarinet University of Florida, Gainesville, FL	2009-2010
Mark Nuccio, then Associate Principal and Solo Eb Clarinet, New York Philharmonic New York, NY	2007-2009

### **Additional Studies and Masterclasses**

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J. Lawrie Bloom Chicago Symphony, 2007	Ixi Chen Cincinnati Symphony, 2008
Robert DiLutis Rochester Philharmonic, 2008	Stanley Drucker New York Philharmonic, 2011
Daniel Gilbert Cleveland Orchestra, 2007	Jonathan Gunn Cincinnati Symphony 2008
Yehuda Gilad Colburn School, 2014	Larry Guy NYU, 2012
Chen Halevi Soloist, 2014	Fan Lei Beijing Conservatory 2009
Victoria Luperi Pittsburgh Symphony, 2009	Thomas Martin Boston Symphony Orchestra, 2005
Pascual Martinez-Forteza NY Philharmonic, 2007	Patrik Messina Orchestre National De France, 2006
Andre Moisan Montreal Symphony, 2007	Eugene Mondie National Symphony Orchestra, 2007
Craig Nordstrom Boston Symphony Orchestra, 2009	Gregory Raden Dallas Symphony Orchestra, 2011
Ronald van Spaendonck Soloist, 2007	John Bruce Yeh Chicago Symphony Orchestra, 2010

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### **Primary Chamber Music Coaches**

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Richard Ranti, Associate Principal Bassoon, Boston Symphony Orchestra	2012
Matthew Ruggerio, ret. Associate Principal Bassoon, Boston Symphony Orchestra	2010-2012
Michael Zaretsky, Viola, Boston Symphony Orchestra	2009
Peter Zazovsky, First Violin, Muir Quartet	2008
Michael Reynolds, Cello, Muir Quartet	2007

### **Orchestral Experience**

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<b>Winnipeg Symphony Orchestra</b> , Substitute Clarinet, Winnipeg, MB, Canada	2023-Present
<b>Boston Civic Symphony</b> , Second Clarinet, Boston, MA	2013-2015
<b>Boston Chamber Symphony</b> , Principal Clarinet, Boston, MA	2012-2015
<b>Waltham Symphony Orchestra</b> , Substitute Second Clarinet, Waltham, MA	2013
<b>New England Repertory Orchestra</b> , Principal & Eb Clarinet, Boston, MA	2012-2013
<b>InCite Arts Festival Orchestra</b> , Principal, Eb, and Bass Clarinet, New York, NY	2009, 2011
<b>Ocala Symphony Orchestra</b> , Auxiliary Clarinet (Third, Eb, & Bass Clarinet), Ocala, FL	2009-2010
<b>Boston Opera Collaborative</b> , Principal Clarinet, Boston, MA	2009, 2010
<b>University of Florida Symphony</b> , Principal Clarinet, Gainesville, FL	2009-2010
<b>Boston University Symphony</b> , Principal, Eb, & Second Clarinet, Boston, MA	2005-09, 2010-12
<b>Boston University Chamber/ Opera Orchestra</b> , Principal & Bass Clarinet, Boston, MA	2006-09, 2010-12

### **Chamber Music Experience**

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<b>New England Chamber Players</b> , Co-founder and Artistic Director, Clarinet, New England	2013-2023
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 4-6 Concerts annually, including at least one outreach event (children's concert, school performance, etc.)</li> <li>• Responsible for selecting repertoire, selecting and booking venues, selecting and contracting performers, presenting spoken program notes at concerts, developing educational programs, assisting with grant writing and program proposals, assisting with advertising and marketing campaigns, and assisting with development.</li> </ul>	
<b>Atrium Winds</b> , Clarinet, Boston, MA	2014
<b>Weston Wind Quintet (no relation)</b> , Clarinet, Weston/ Roxbury, MA	2014

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### **Chamber Music Experience (cont.)**

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**Winsor Music Chamber Ensembles**, Outreach Series, Clarinet, Boston, MA 2012

**Woodwind Quintet**, Clarinet, Boston University, Boston, MA 2009, 2010-2012

**Time's Arrow New Music Ensemble**, Clarinet & Bass Clarinet, Boston, MA 2006-2007

### **Festival Appearances**

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**Hidden Valley Music Festival**, Carmel Valley, CA 2014

**Domaine Forget Music Festival**, Saint-Irénée, Quebec, Canada 2014

**Buffet-Crampon Summer Clarinet Academy**, Jacksonville, FL 2007-2009, 2011

**InCite Arts Festival**, Orchestra and Chamber Ensembles, New York, NY 2009, 2011

**14<sup>th</sup> Annual Fall Fringe Festival**, Boston, MA 2010

**11<sup>th</sup> Annual Fall Fringe Festival**, Boston, MA 2007

**Roman Totenberg 95<sup>th</sup> Birthday Festival Orchestra**, Second Clarinet, Boston, MA 2006

### **Selected New England Chamber Players' Performances**

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**Peabody Institute Library Concert Series**, Peabody, MA May 2023

- Finzi- Interlude
- Mozart- Clarinet Quintet K. 581

**Amherst Town Library Concert Series**, Amherst, NH February 2023

- Milhaud- Suite d'Après Corrette
- Beethoven- Three Duos No. 1
- Rochberg- Duo
- Tansman- Trio d'Anches

**Plymouth Public Library Concert Series**, Plymouth, MA August 2022

- Berezowski- Suite for Woodwinds
- Succari- Chants dur Nina
- Tailleferre- Sonate Champêtre
- Hoiby- Sextet

**Nashua Public Library Concert Series**, Nashua, NH July 2022

- Respighi- Wind Quintet
- Milhaud- La Cheminée du Roi René
- Stravinsky- Pulcinella Arr. for Wind Quintet

**Peabody Institute Library Concert Series**, Peabody, MA April 2022

- Stravinsky- Pastorale
- Muczynski- Duos for Flute and Clarinet Op. 24
- Beethoven- Three Duos No. 3
- Hovhannes- Suite
- Francaix- Quartet

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<b>Peabody Institute Library Concert Series, Peabody, MA</b>	February 2022
· Horovitz- Oboe Quartet Op. 188	
· Hunt- Quartet	
· Holst- Sextet	
<b>Hope Central Church, Jamaica Plain, MA (Pre-recorded due to COVID-19)</b>	June 2021
· Marie- Feuilles au Vent	
· Succari- Chants dur Nina	
· Grandval- Trio de Salon Op. 8	
· Tailleferre- Sonate Champêtre	
<b>Plymouth Public Library Concert Series, Plymouth, MA (Pre-rec. COVID-19)</b>	December 2020
· C.P.E. Bach- Sonate Ww. 92	
· Mendelssohn- Konzertstücke No. 2	
· Destenay- Trio	
<b>Hunnewell Chapel, Arlington St. Church, Boston, MA</b>	February 2020
· Weaver- Romances (World Premier)	
· Beethoven- Trio Op. 38	
<b>Stella Concert Series, Beverly, MA</b>	January 2020
· Beethoven- Sextet Op. 71	
· Krommer- Partita in c min	
· Mozart- Serenade in Eb K. 375	
<b>Peabody Institute Library Concert Series, Peabody, MA</b>	November 2019
· Garfield- Bassoon Quartet	
· Britten- Phantasy Quartet Op. 2	
· Crusell- Clarinet Quartet Op. 2	
<b>Plymouth Public Library Concert Series, Plymouth, MA</b>	October 2019
· C.P.E. Bach- Trio Sonata Wq. 163	
· Loeffler- Two Rhapsodies	
· Liebermann- Trio Op. 128	
<b>Plymouth Public Library Concert Series, Plymouth, MA</b>	May 2019
· Roussel- Divertissement Op. 6	
· Previn- Trio	
· Farrenc- Sextet Op. 40	
<b>Plymouth Public Library Children's Series</b>	April 2019
· Higgins- Mozart's Guide to the Orchestra	
· Whitney- Major Nature (World Premier) & NECP Commission	
<b>United Parish of Brookline, Brookline, MA</b>	March 2019
· Poulenc- Trio FP 43	
· Schuller- Romantic Sonata	
· Beethoven- Quintet Op. 16	
<b>Stella Concert Series, Beverly, MA</b>	January 2019
· Strauss- various waltzes and marches	
· Nielsen- Quintet	
· Andersson- Sleigh Ride	
<b>Peabody Institute Library Concert Series, Peabody, MA</b>	November 2018
· Mozart- Serenade in C min K. 388	
· Beethoven- Octet Op. 103	
<b>JP Concerts Series, Jamaica Plain, MA</b>	October 2018
· Mozart- Oboe Quartet K. 370	
· Garfield- Bassoon Quartet	
· Crusell- Clarinet Quartet Op. 4	

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<b>Plymouth Public Library Concert Series</b> , Plymouth, MA	May 2018
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>· Schumann- Romances</li><li>· Thuille- Sextet</li><li>· Brahms- Clarinet Sonata in Eb, Op. 120</li></ul>	
<b>Brookline Public Library</b> , Brookline, MA	April 2018
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>· Maslanka- Quintet No. 3</li><li>· Beach- Pastorale</li><li>· Grant-Still- Miniatures</li><li>· Wallace- Gloaming in Perpetuum</li></ul>	
<b>JP Concerts Series</b> , Jamaica Plain, MA	October 2017
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>· Bach- E minor Flute Sonata</li><li>· Brahms- Trio Op.40</li><li>· Ives- Largo</li></ul>	
<b>Plymouth Public Library Concert Series</b> , Plymouth, MA	June 2017
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>· Uebaysahi- Suite</li><li>· Rota- Trio</li><li>· Gaubert- Tarentelle</li><li>· Ponchielli- Quartet</li></ul>	
<b>Stella Concert Series</b> , Beverly, MA	March 2017
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>· Mozart- Fantasy in f minor K. 608 &amp; Adagio and Allegro in f minor K.594</li><li>· Beethoven- Wind Quintet In Eb Major WoO 208</li><li>· Hindemith- Kleine Kammermusik</li><li>· Schuller- Suite for Woodwind Quintet</li></ul>	
<b>Loring Greenough House Series</b> , Jamaica Plain, MA	December 2016
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>· Rebay- Sonata</li><li>· Beaser- Mountain Songs</li></ul>	
<b>JP Concerts Series</b> , Jamaica Plain, MA	November 2016
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>· Poulenc- Sextet</li><li>· Mozart- Quintet in Eb Major K. 452</li><li>· Ippolitov-Ivanov- An Evening in Georgia</li></ul>	
<b>Plymouth Public Library Concert Series</b> , Plymouth, MA	July 2016
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>· Francaix- Quartet</li><li>· Koechlin- Modal Sonatine</li><li>· Gabaye- Sonatine</li><li>· Pierne- Bucolique Variée</li></ul>	
<b>Loring Greenough House Series</b> , Jamaica Plain, MA	February 2016
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>· Liebermann- Sonata for Flute and Harp</li><li>· Bax- Elegaic Trio</li><li>· Shostakovich- Waltzes</li><li>· Reade- Suite from "The Victorian Kitchen Garden"</li></ul>	
<b>Plymouth Public Library Children's Series</b> , Plymouth, MA	November 2015
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>· Debussy- Children's Corner Suite</li><li>· Ravel- Mother Goose Suite</li></ul>	
<b>Christ Church</b> , New Haven, CT	October 2015
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>· Piazzolla- L'Histoire du Tango, Kreutzer- Trio No.</li></ul>	
<b>King's Chapel Lunchtime Concert Series</b> , Boston, MA	September 2015
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>· Piazzolla- L'Histoire du Tango, Kreutzer- Trio No. 3</li></ul>	
<b>Plymouth Public Library Concert Series</b> , Plymouth, MA	May 2015
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>· Mahler- Das Himmlische Leben</li><li>· Roussel- Deux Poèmes de Ronsard Op. 26,</li><li>· Weber- Trio G minor Op. 63</li><li>· Schubert- Shepherd on the Rock D. 965</li></ul>	

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<b>JP Concerts Series</b> , Jamaica Plain, MA	May 2015
· Mahler- Das Himmlische Leben	
· Roussel- Deux Poèmes de Ronsard Op. 26,	
· Weber- Trio G minor Op. 63	
· Schubert- Shepherd on the Rock D. 965	
<b>JP Concerts Children's Series</b> , Jamaica Plain, MA	December 2014
· Prokofiev- Peter and the Wolf	
<b>Plymouth Public Library Children's Series</b> , Plymouth, MA	October 2014
· Prokofiev- Peter and the Wolf	
<b>Boston Medical Center</b> , Boston, MA	April 2014
· Wide variety of short works performed at in-patient units in the aftermath of the Boston Marathon Bombing.	
<b>Willow Hill School</b> , Sudbury, MA	March 2014
· Stravinsky- L'Histoire du Soldat, Staged performance	
<b>Plymouth Public Library Concert Series</b> , Plymouth, MA	February 2014
· Beethoven- Serenade in D major Op. 25	
· Ravel- Chansons Madécasses	
· Mozart- Kegelstatt Trio K. 498	
<b>King's Chapel Lunchtime Concert Series</b> , Boston, MA	January 2014
· Mozart- Clarinet Quintet K. 581	
· Beethoven- Serenade in D Major Op. 25	
<b>Ivy Street School</b> , Brookline, MA	September 2013
· Beethoven wind trios	
<b>Brookline Public Library</b> , Brookline, MA	July 2013
· Bozza- Variations sur un thème libre	
· Piazzolla- Oblivion	
· Arnold- Three Shanties,	
· Brahms- Variations on a Theme by Haydn	
<b>First Church Boston</b> , Boston, MA	February 2013
· Mendelssohn- Concertpiece No. 2 Op. 114	
· Cahuzac- Cantilene	
· Brahms- Clarinet Trio Op. 114	

### **Recordings**

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#### ***Boston University Wind Ensemble and Terry Everson***

- CD Featuring Terry Everson (trumpet) as soloist.
- Boston University Wind Ensemble, Conducted by David Martins.
- ©CD Baby 2015

#### ***Rock Stars***

- CD Featuring Stanley Drucker (clarinet) and Joe Alessi (Trombone) as soloists.
- University of Florida Wind Ensemble, Conducted by David Waybright.
- ©Mark Records 2012 (Recorded 2010-11)



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**Awards and Publications**

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**Self-Published Arrangements**

- Dvorak Wind Serenade arr. for Clarinet Choir. 2018  
 Commissioned by Boston University Tanglewood Institute
- Mozart Gran Partita (selected movements) arr. For Clarinet Choir 2018  
 Commissioned by Boston University Tanglewood Institute
- Mozart Piano Concerto 17, Exposition arr. for Wind Quintet 2018  
 Co-Commissioned by New England Chamber Players and Plymouth Public Library
- Music from HBO's *Game of Thrones* arr. for Wind Quartet 2017  
 Co-commissioned by New England Chamber Players and Plymouth Public Library
- Ravel Greek Songs and Hebraic Songs arr. for Clarinet and Harp 2016  
 Commissioned by New England Chamber Players
- Strauss Serenade in Eb, Op. 7 arr. for Clarinet Choir 2013  
 Commissioned by Boston University Tanglewood Institute
- Gymn Soyuz Sovetskoy Sotsialisticheskoy Respublik 2010  
 Student Commission by University of Florida Clarinet Choir
- Shostakovich *Novorossiisk Chimes* for Clarinet Choir 2009  
 Commissioned by Boston University Tanglewood Institute

**Graduate Scholarship**, Boston University School of Music, Boston, MA 2010-12

**University of Florida Studio Concerto Competition**, First Place, Gainesville, FL 2010

**Graduate Scholarship**, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL 2009-2010

**Three Debussy Pieces**, Published by Southern Music Company (SU 562) 2008

- Arrangements of *Arabesques 1 & 2*, and *La Plus Que Lente* transcribed and completed from notes left by the late clarinetist Harold Wright.
- Reviewed: Fall, 2008 in the NACWPI Journal by Dr. Stephen Johnston

**Undergraduate Scholarship**, Boston University, Boston, MA 2004-2009

**Eagle Scout**, Boy Scouts of America 2004