

EDUCATION

- 2018 **University of Cincinnati College-Conservatory of Music (CCM)**
Doctor of Musical Arts, Trumpet Performance
Cognate Area: Chamber Music
Studies: Alan Siebert and Phil Collins
- 2015 **University of Massachusetts Amherst (UMass)**
Master of Music, Trumpet Performance
Studies: Eric Berlin
- 2009 **University of Memphis (UofM)**
Bachelor of Music, Trumpet Performance
Summa Cum Laude
Studies: Dr. David Spencer and Dr. Kyle Millsap

COLLEGIATE TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2020 – present **Arkansas State University, Jonesboro, AR**
Assistant Professor of Music – Trumpet
- Courses Taught*
- Applied Trumpet (Undergraduate/Graduate)
 - Pedagogy and Performance (Undergraduate/Graduate)
 - Trumpet Studio
 - High Brass Techniques for Music Education Majors
 - Chamber Music: Trumpet Ensemble and Brass Ensembles
 - Trumpet Repertoire and Pedagogy Class (Undergraduate/Graduate)
- 2019 – 2020 **Lamar University, Beaumont, TX**
Instructor of Trumpet
- Courses Taught*
- Applied Trumpet (Undergraduate/Graduate)
 - Trumpet Studio
 - High Brass Techniques for Music Education Majors
 - Trumpet Ensemble
 - Chamber Music (Brass Quintet)
 - Trumpet Repertoire and Pedagogy Class
- 2018 **Texas A&M University Kingsville, Kingsville, TX**
Lecturer of Trumpet
- Courses Taught*
- Applied Trumpet (Undergraduate and non-majors)
 - Teach Trumpet Techniques for Music Education Majors

2015 – 2017	University of Cincinnati College-Conservatory of Music, Cincinnati, OH <i>Graduate Teaching Assistant</i>
2013 – 2015	University of Massachusetts Amherst, Amherst, MA <i>Graduate Teaching Assistant</i>

TEACHING/PERFORMING EXPERIENCE AT FESTIVALS/MUSIC CAMPS

2025	Greene County Tech High School Summer Band Camp , Paragould, AR <i>Trumpet Faculty</i>
2025	9th annual UK Summer Trumpet Institute , Lexington, KY <i>Trumpet Faculty/Artist</i>
2024	15th PRIZM Music Camp and International Chamber Music Festival , Memphis, TN <i>Trumpet Faculty/Artist</i>
2024	Campina Grande's XV International Music Festival , Campina Grande, Brazil <i>Trumpet Faculty/Artist</i>
2024	8th annual UK Summer Trumpet Institute , Lexington, KY <i>Trumpet Faculty/Artist</i>
2023	Saarburger Serenaden, International Music Festival Saarburg, Germany <i>Trumpet Faculty/Artist</i>
2023	Greene County Tech High School Summer Band Camp , Paragould, AR <i>Trumpet Faculty</i>
2023	7th annual UK Summer Trumpet Institute , Lexington, KY <i>Trumpet Faculty/Artist</i>
2022	International Trumpet Guild Conference , San Antonio, TX) <i>Guest artist</i>
2022	6th annual UK Summer Trumpet Institute , Lexington, KY <i>Trumpet Faculty/Artist</i>
2022	New England Trumpet Workshop , Bridgewater, MA <i>Guest artist</i>
2022	Collierville High School Concert Winter Camp Collierville, TN <i>Trumpet Faculty</i>
2021	São Paulo Jazz Festival São Paulo, Brazil <i>Guest artist</i>
2021	Campina Grande's XII International Music Festival Campina Grande, Brazil <i>Guest Artist</i>
2020	35^o Festival Internacional de Inverno da Uni. Federal de Santa Maria Brazil <i>Trumpet Faculty</i>
2016	Campina Grande's VII International Music Festival Campina Grande, Brazil <i>Guest Artist</i>

INVITED COLLEGIATE GUEST ARTIST MASTERCLASSES

2025	University of Missouri-Kansas City , Kansas City, MO
2025	Northeastern State University , Tahlequah, OK
2025	University of South Alabama , Mobile, AL
2025	University of Iowa , Iowa City, IA
2024	Universidade Federal de Pernambuco , Recife, PE, Brazil
2024	University of Missouri , Coaching Trumpet Ensemble at ITG 2024
2024	Vanderbilt University Blair School of Music , virtual
2023	University of Cincinnati, College-Conservatory of Music , Cincinnati, OH
2023	University of Kentucky , Lexington, KY
2023	Ball State University , Muncie, IN
2023	Ohio University , Athens, OH
2022	University of South Alabama , virtual

2022	Duquesne University , virtual
2022	West Virginia University , virtual
2021	University of Massachusetts – Amherst , Amherst, MA
2021	University of Southern Mississippi , virtual
2021	Metropolitan State University of Denver , virtual
2021	University of Southern Mississippi , virtual
2021	University of Texas at San Antonio , virtual
2021	Tennessee Tech University , virtual
2021	University of New Mexico , virtual
2021	Northern Kentucky University , virtual
2021	Harding University , virtual
2020	Universidade Federal de Goias , Goiania, Brazil, virtual
2020	Colorado State University , virtual
2020	University of Louisiana Monroe , virtual
2020	Texas A&M University – Kingsville , virtual
2020	Texas A&M University – Commerce , virtual
2020	University of Utah School of Music virtual
2020	Arkansas State University , Jonesboro, AR
2020	University of Memphis , Memphis, TN
2019	University of North Texas , Denton, TX
2019	Stephen F. Austin State University , Nacogdoches, TX
2015	University of Campinas , São Paulo, SP, Brazil

PROFESSIONAL PERFORMING EXPERIENCE

ORCHESTRAL

2025 – present	North Mississippi Orchestra , Tupelo, MS – Guest Principal Trumpet
2023 – present	Jackson Symphony Orchestra , Jackson, TN – Substitute Trumpet
2022 – present	Arkansas Symphony Orchestra , Little Rock, AR – Sub. Sectional and Principal Trumpet, Season Contract
2021 – present	Delta Symphony Orchestra , Jonesboro, AR – Second Trumpet
2020 – present	Memphis Symphony Orchestra , Memphis, TN – Substitute Trumpet
2022 – 2024	Knoxville Symphony Orchestra , Knoxville, TN – Substitute Trumpet
2018 – 2024	Lexington Philharmonic Orchestra , Lexington, KY – Substitute Trumpet
2019 – 2020	Symphony of Southeast Texas , Beaumont, TX – Sub. Trumpet, Season Contract
2019	Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra , Cincinnati, OH – Substitute Trumpet
2019	Lima Symphony Orchestra , Lima, OH – Substitute Trumpet
2018 – 2019	Butler Philharmonic Orchestra , Hamilton, OH – Substitute Principal Trumpet
2018 – 2019	Jackson Symphony Orchestra , Jackson, TN – Substitute Trumpet List
2018 – 2019	Southwest Ohio Philharmonic Orchestra , Hamilton, OH – Substitute Trumpet
2017 – 2019	Dayton Philharmonic Orchestra , Dayton, OH – Substitute Trumpet
2017 – 2019	Springfield Symphony Orchestra , Springfield, OH – Substitute Trumpet
2016 – 2019	Kentucky Symphony Orchestra , Newport, KY – Substitute Trumpet
2014 – 2015	Amherst Symphony Orchestra , Amherst, MA – Principal Trumpet
2012	Balmoral Chamber Orchestra , Memphis, TN – Principal Trumpet
2010	Memphis Repertory Orchestra Memphis, TN – Section Trumpet
2009	Wolf River Chamber Orchestra Memphis, TN – Section Trumpet
2008	Campina Grande Symphony Orchestra Campina Grande, Brazil – Section Trumpet
2007 – 2009	Paraiba Symphony Orchestra , Joao Pessoa, Brazil – Substitute Trumpet
2008 – 2009	Joao Pessoa City Orchestra Joao Pessoa, Brazil – Substitute Trumpet

MUSICAL THEATRE/ COMMERCIAL

2026	Michael Jackson: The Musical – Broadway National Tour, Little Rock, AR
2024	Sweeney Todd – Jonesboro Foundation of Arts, Lead Trumpet, Jonesboro, AR
2022 – present	Jonesboro Choir – Lead trumpet. Jonesboro, AR
2017 – 2018	Queen City Opera , Cincinnati, OH
2017 – 2018	Show Band Musician for Cedar Fair Parks , Mason, OH
2017	Damn Yankees – The Incline Theater, Cincinnati, OH
2017	Fiddler on the Roof – Cincinnati Hills Christian Academy, Cincinnati, OH
2017, 2011	The Drowsy Chaperone – The Incline Theater, Cincinnati, OH
2013	Street Scene by Kurt Weill – Five College Opera, Amherst, MA
2012	A Christmas Carol – Arkansas State University Mid-South, W. Memphis, AR
2011	The Phantom of the Opera – University of Memphis, Memphis, TN

CHAMBER MUSIC

2024 – present	Arkansas Symphony Orchestra Brass Quintet , Little Rock, AR
2023 – present	University of Central Arkansas Pinnacle Brass Quintet , Conway, AR
2022 – present	Fountain City Brass Band , Kansas City, MO
2022 – present	Memphis Symphony Orchestra Brass Quintet , Memphis, TN
2021 – present	Diamond Brass Band , Jonesboro, AR
2021 – present	NordesTrio: Trumpet, Horn and Piano , Jonesboro, AR
2021 – 2022	Nova Trumpet Collective , USA
2020 – present	Arkansas State University Faculty Brass Quintet , Jonesboro, AR
2019 – 2020	Lamar University Faculty Brass Quintet , Beaumont, TX
2017 – 2019	Canterbury Brass Quintet , Cincinnati, OH
2016 – 2017	CCM Graduate Trumpet Quartet , Cincinnati, OH
2016 – 2017	Don Johnson Brass Collective , Cincinnati, OH
2015 – 2016	CCM Brass Trio , Cincinnati, OH
2015 – 2016	CCM Brass Choir , Cincinnati, OH
2015 – 2019	Brazilian Trumpet Ensemble , Brazil
2013 – 2015	UMass Faculty Brass Quintet – Infinity Brass Quintet , Amherst, MA
2013 – 2015	UMass Graduate Brass Quintet , Amherst, MA
2013 – 2015	UMass Trumpet Ensemble , Amherst, MA

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS & LECTURES

2025	International Trumpet Guild Conference , Salt Lake City, UT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Invited to present a guest artist warmup masterclass titled "Samba Sunrise: A Trumpet Warm-up Journey through Brazilian Rhythms."
2024	2024 WTSBOA All-West Conference , Memphis, TN <ul style="list-style-type: none"> "Trumpeting Through Trials and Tribulations: Fostering Success in your Music Community." Presenters - Dr. Nairam Simoes & Sam Oliveri from Arkansas State University.
2022	International Trumpet Guild Conference , San Antonio, TX <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Presented a guest artist warmup masterclass: "Going on a Trumpet S.A.F.A.R.E.: A Warm-up for Developing Efficient Practice Habits." A fun, relaxed and efficient way to start your day by covering six important aspects of trumpet playing: Sound, Articulation, Flexibility, Agility, Range and Endurance.

- 2021 **2021 International Trumpet Guild Conference**, virtual conference
- Presented a warmup session titled “Warmup Remix: How to start your day while having fun and staying engaged.”
- 2020 **International Brazilian Trumpet Conference**, virtual conference
- Presented a clinic on “Trumpet ensemble” with Ascent trumpet ensemble

CONFERENCE / FESTIVAL PERFORMANCES

- 2026 **International Trumpet Guild Conference**, Rochester, NY
- Selected to perform Like Two Ships; Pass in the Night by Whitney George on the New Works Recital. This performance highlights a commissioned collaboration with oboist Dr. Kristin Leitterman
- 2025 **Music by Women International Festival**, Columbus, MS
- Accepted to perform two different pieces at the 9th Annual Music by Women Festival at Mississippi University for Women. The selected works were: Two Latin Dances for Trumpet and Piano by Lauren Bernofsky and Illusion for Trumpet, Bass Trombone and Piano by Elizabeth Raum
- 2025 **International Trumpet Guild Conference**, Salt Lake City, UT
- Invited to perform at the Festival of Trumpets
- 2024 **15th International Prizm Chamber Music Festival**, Memphis, TN
- Performed a duet with Memphis Symphony Orchestra's Flutist Delara Hashemi.
- 2024 **International Trumpet Guild Conference**, Anaheim, CA
- Performed at the Festival of Trumpets
- 2023 **International Trumpet Guild Conference**, Minneapolis, MN
- Performed at the Festival of Trumpets
- 2023 **Northern America Brass Band Competition**, Huntsville, AL
- Participated as the solo cornet player for the Diamond Brass Band.
- 2022 **International Trumpet Guild Conference**, San Antonio, TX
- Performed in the festival of trumpets.
- 2021 **International Horn Society Conference**, Virtual, Conference
- Performed a chamber music recital with NordesTrio on newly commissioned pieces by Brazilian composers for Trumpet, French Horn and Piano
- 2021 **Campina Grande's XII International Music Festival**, Campina Grande, Brazil
- Performed a world-premiere chamber music recital with NordesTrio
- 2018 **International Trumpet Guild Conference** (San Antonio, TX)
- Performed at the Marie Speziale ITG Honorary Award event.
 - Performed as guest of the Brazilian Trumpet Ensemble.
- 2017 **International Trumpet Guild Conference** (Hershey, PA)
- Directed and Performed with the Cincinnati Chapter Trumpet Ensemble.
 - Performed at the 2017 Festival of Trumpets.

- 2016 **Ohio International Trumpet Conference** (Muskingum, OH)
 - Conducted the CCM Trumpet Ensemble at the festival of trumpets.
- 2016 **Ohio Music Educators Association** (Cincinnati, OH)
 - Performed as a member of the CCM Brass Choir.
- 2014 **International Trumpet Guild Conference** (King of Prussia, PA)
 - Performed as guest of the Brazilian Trumpet Ensemble.

NOTABLE SOLO PERFORMANCES/RECITALS

- 2025 **University of Missouri-Kansas City – Guest Artist Recital**, Kansas City, MO
- 2025 **9th UK Summer Trumpet Institute – Faculty Gala Recital**, Lexington, KY
- 2025 **University of South Alabama – Guest Artist Recital**, Mobile, AL
- 2025 **University of Iowa – Guest Artist Recital**, Iowa City, IA
- 2024 **Campina Grande’s XV International Music Festival**, Campina Grande, Brazil
 - NordesTrio
 - FIMUS Faculty Brass Quintet
 - Faculty Orchestra
- 2024 **NordesTrio Recital Tour**
 - Arkansas State University
 - University of Memphis
- 2024 **Faculty Recital** for the Nebraska Trumpet Ensemble, Jonesboro, AR
- 2024 **8th UK Summer Trumpet Institute – Faculty Gala Recital**, Lexington, KY
- 2023 **Saarburg Festival - Faculty Showcase Recital**, Saarburg, Germany
- 2023 **Ball State University, Recital**, Muncie, IN
- 2023 **7th UK Summer Trumpet Institute – Faculty Gala Recital**, Lexington, KY
- 2023 **Ohio University, Recital**, Athens, OH
- 2022 **Germantown Community Theater**, Germantown, TN
- 2022 **Arkansas State University, Brass Fest**, Jonesboro, AR
- 2022 **Arkansas State University, Faculty Recital Series**, Jonesboro, AR
- 2022 **6th UK Summer Trumpet Institute – Faculty Gala Recital**, Lexington, KY
- 2022 **Young Musicians Workshop**, Jonesboro, AR
- 2022 **Album Release “Braziliana” Tour: March 5 – 11**
 - Arkansas State University
 - Arkansas Tech University
 - University of North Texas
 - University of Central Oklahoma
 - University of Oklahoma
- 2022 **Arkansas State University, Faculty Recital Series**, Jonesboro, AR
- 2020 **Arkansas State University, Faculty Recital Series**, Jonesboro, AR
- 2020 **Arkansas State University, Recital**, Jonesboro, AR
- 2019 **Lamar University, Recital**, Beaumont, TX
- 2019 **Kansas State University, Recital**

SOLOIST

- 2026 **Arkansas State Wind Ensemble**, Jonesboro, AR
- 2025 **Arkansas State Jazz Ensemble**, Jonesboro, AR (two different concerts)
- 2025 **Arkansas State The Sound of the Natural State Marching Band**, Jonesboro, AR
- 2023 **Arkansas State Symphonic Band**, Jonesboro, AR
- 2022 **Delta Symphony Orchestra**, Jonesboro, AR
- 2022 **AR Musicworks Brass Band**, Fort Smith, AR
- 2019 **Lamar University Symphony Band**, Beaumont, TX

2015 **Music Band of the City of Joao Pessoa**, Joao Pessoa, Brazil
 2013 **Paraiba Youth Symphony Orchestra**, Joao Pessoa, Brazil
 2013 **Paraiba Symphony Orchestra**, Joao Pessoa, Brazil

CONDUCTING

2020 – present **Arkansas State University Trumpet Ensemble** - Director
 2019 – 2020 **Lamar University Trumpet Ensemble** - Director
 2015 – 2016 **CCM Trumpet Ensemble** - Conductor and Co-Director

- Conducted two Brass Division Recital performances at CCM.
- Conducted a performance at Muskingum University in the 2016 Ohio International Trumpet Guild Conference event.

SERVICE ACTIVITIES

ADJUDICATION

2025 **National Trumpet Competition – High School Division, Judge**

- Adjudicated the quarter-final rounds of National Trumpet Competition High School division at Texas Christian University, March 13 - 16, 2025.

2024 **National Trumpet Competition – Graduate Solo Division, Judge**

- Adjudicated the semi-final rounds of the Graduate Solo Division, choosing three finalists for the competition.

2024 **2024 National Trumpet Competition – Undergraduate Solo Division, Judge**

- As the Preliminary Round Adjudicator for the National Trumpet Competition, undergraduate solo division, I evaluated and judged over 100 undergraduate trumpet players. My responsibilities included assessing technical proficiency, musicality, and overall presentation. The selected performers will advance to the live rounds in March 2024 in Kingsville, TX at Texas A&M - Kingsville.

2023 **National Trumpet Competition – High School Division, Judge**

- Judge for the 2023 National Trumpet Competition High School division. University of Colorado – Boulder, CO. March 25-27th.

2023 **National Trumpet Competition – College Ensemble Division, Judge (Chair)**

- Preliminary Judge (Chair) for the 2023 National Trumpet Competition Large Ensemble College Division.

2023 **All West Tennessee WTSBOA Band Auditions – Adjudicator**

- Adjudicator for the prepared etudes portion of the WTSBOA band auditions. Judged 9-10 and 11-12 grades. Medina, TN.

2022 **2022 ITG Conference – Interim Chair Youth Competition**

- Oversaw the conference Youth's competition held in San Antonio, TX. Selected six judges, contacted candidates, arranged competition spaces among other responsibilities.

2022 **National Trumpet Competition – Undergraduate Division, Judge**

- Quarter-Finals Live Round Judge (Chair) for the 2022 National Trumpet Competition

- 2022 **National Trumpet Competition – High School Division, Chair**
- Preliminary Round Judge (Chair) for the 2022 National Trumpet Competition. Oversee the process of judging while also serving as an adjudicator
- 2022, 2021 **Arkansas Intercollegiate Band Virtual Audition Adjudication**
- Adjudicated for the trumpet students
- 2022 **Adjudicator, West Tennessee School Band and Orchestra Association**
- Adjudicator for Trumpets, All-West TN Honor Band
- 2022 **Solo and Ensemble Judge – Jonesboro High School**
- Judged middle school and high school students on their solo and ensemble materials. Trumpet, trombone, tuba, euphonium, flute, saxophone and clarinet students auditioned for me.
- 2021 **National Trumpet Competition – High School Division, Chair**
- Preliminary Round Judge (Chair) for the 2021 National Trumpet Competition. Narrow the field from 71 High School applicants in the preliminary round to 30 Semi-finalists. Oversee the process of judging while also serving as an adjudicator.
- 2020 **Adjudicator, Texas Music Educators Association**
- Adjudicator for Trumpets, High School Bands Auditions (Area)
- 2019 **Adjudicator, Texas Music Educators Association**
- Adjudicator for Trumpets, High School Bands Auditions (Region 10)
- 2018 **Adjudicator, Kentucky Music Educators Association (District 6)**
- Adjudicator for Trumpets at the Solo and Ensemble Festival.

COMMITTEE SERVICE AND OTHERS

- 2024 – present University Title IX Advisor
- 2024 – present University Academic Integrity Committee Representatives
- 2024 – present University Undergraduate Graduation and Appeals Committee
- 2024 – present University Diversity and Affirmative Action Committee
- 2025 – present College of Liberal Arts and Communication Graduation and Appeals Committee
- 2022 – 2024 College of Liberal Arts and Communication Diversity Committee
- 2022 – 2024 College of Liberal Arts and Communication Diversity Subcommittee, Co-Chair
- 2024 – present Department of Music Graduate Curriculum Committee
- 2022 – present Department of Music Admission/Academic Credit/Graduation Appeals Committee
- 2022 – present Department of Music University Library Acquisitions
- 2021 – 2024 Department of Music Honors Recital Committee
- 2024 – 2025 Department of Music Audition Days Coordinator/Recruiting Committee
- 2020 – 2024 Department of Music Undergraduate Curriculum Committee
- 2020 – 2022 Department of Music Grievance Committee/Hearing Committee
- 2020 – present Department of Music International Relations Committee
- 2020 – present Department of Music Scholarship Sub-Committees
- Donald R. Minx Memorial Scholarship (2024 – 2025)
 - John H. Neeley and Irene N. Neeley Music (2024 – 2025)
 - Mary Anna Chop Charitable Trust Scholarship (2020 – 2023)

Search Committees:

- Chair, Instructor of Horn (Spring 2026)
- Temporary Instructor of Horn (Summer 2025)
- Assistant Professor of Coordinator of Music Education and Assistant Director of Bands (Spring 2025)
- Temporary Instructor of Music in Theory/Composition (Spring 2025)

Chair, Temporary Instructor of Collaborative Pianist (Summer 2024)
 Chair, Adjunct Instructor of Trumpet (Summer 2024)
 Temporary Full-Time Instructor Artist/Instructor of Trombone (Summer 2024)
 Temporary Instructor of Music with Duties in Bands/Music Ed (Summer 2024)
 Temporary Instructor of Music with Duties in Bands/Music Ed (Summer 2024)
 Temporary Instructor of Music Theory and Composition (Summer 2024)

THESIS SUPERVISED

1. Participated in the graduate thesis committee of Madison Moritz, Communication Disorders Major. Title: "Musicians Versus Non-Musicians Central Auditory Process Abilities."
2. Rebecca Wertenberger, Music Education and Music Performance major. Title: "An Observation of College Teaching Through The Lens Of Selected Cisgender Female Trumpet Professors."

SERVICE TO PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

2026

MidSouth Trumpet Day – Board of Directors, Host

- Elected to I founded the Southern Trumpet Conference to create a space where trumpet players across the southern United States can connect, share ideas, perform, and learn together. Now an affiliate chapter of the International Trumpet Guild, the conference promotes artistry, education, and collaboration among students, educators, and professionals.
 The conference will rotate among universities such as Louisiana State University, the University of Oklahoma, Mississippi State University, and Arkansas State University. The inaugural Southern Trumpet Conference will be held at Arkansas State University, featuring guest artists Joey Tartell from Indiana University and Brienne Borden from the University of Delaware. The event will include masterclasses, recitals, clinics, and ensemble performances, all aimed at inspiring growth and community within our region's trumpet world.

2025

International Trumpet Guild – Board of Directors

- Elected to the Board of Directors of the International Trumpet Guild (ITG) for a four-year term beginning October 1, 2025. The election process involved a formal nomination, followed by selection by the ITG Nominating Committee to appear on the official ballot. The final stage consisted of a vote by the entire ITG membership. This appointment reflects national and international recognition of my professional engagement and leadership within the field.

2025

2025 ITG Conference – Coordinator of the Festival of Trumpets

- As the Festival of Trumpets Coordinator for the 49th Annual International Trumpet Guild Conference in Salt Lake City, Utah (May 27-31, 2025), I oversee all aspects of this signature event. My role includes curating the program, coordinating performers, managing logistics, scheduling rehearsals, promoting the event, and ensuring a smooth execution during the conference. I am committed to showcasing the artistry and versatility of the trumpet at this international gathering.

2024

2024 ITG Conference – Coordinator of the Festival of Trumpets

- As the Coordinator, I held a pivotal role in overseeing various aspects of the event. This encompassed a range of duties, including but not limited to selecting appropriate repertoire to ensure a cohesive and engaging concert experience. I took charge of assembling and organizing chamber music groups, conductors, and venues, ensuring that each component of the ensemble came together seamlessly during the Festival of Trumpets concert for the conference in Anaheim, CA.

- 2023 **2023 ITG Conference – Interim Coordinator of the Festival of Trumpets**
- Oversaw the conference Festival of Trumpet Events held in Minneapolis, MN.
- 2023 **Valley View Band Blast-Off – Valley View Schools**
- Assisted with this recruiting and assessment event. Presented mini classes on demonstrating the trumpet and testing students on mouthpieces.
- 2022-24 **A-State Brass Fest**
- Co-coordinated the Annual Arkansas State Brass Festival. Invited guests included Lantana Trio, consisting of faculty members from the University of North Texas, Wiff Rudd, trumpet professor at Baylor University, Lee Harrelson Professor of Low Brass Missouri Western State University, Matt Vengjel, Assistant Professor of Trumpet at UMKC.
- 2023 **Young Musician Workshop – AMRO Music**
- Presented two masterclasses for two groups of fifty beginning band trumpet students.
- 2021 – present **International Trumpet Guild Journal Column – Editor**
- In charge to write and oversee publication in the “Orchestral Spotlight Profile” from the Journal. Four issues per year.
- 2022 **Diamond Brass Band – Board of Directors**
- Assist with season planning, repertoire selections, member recruiting and fundraising.
- 2022 **Young Musician Workshop – AMRO Music**
- Presented two masterclasses for two groups of fifty beginning band trumpet students
- 2022 **Valley View Band Blast-Off – Valley View Schools**
- Assisted with this recruiting and assessment event. Presented mini classes on demonstrating the trumpet and testing students on mouthpieces.
- 2020 **International Trumpet Guild Board of Directors Nominations Committee**
- Primary task to review each of the nominations for the offices of Vice President/President-Elect, Secretary, and ITG Board of Directors and then select the candidates to appear on the ballot in the forthcoming ITG election.
- 2019 **International Trumpet Guild Membership Committee - Member**
- Discussed innovative ways to attract and retain members
- 2018 **Patriots Brass Ensemble – Event Leader (Loveland, OH)**
- Recruited, organized and led a double brass quintet performance.
- 2018 **Nathaniel H. Wixon Innovation School (Yarmouth, MA)**
- Band Director Consultant, Trumpet Master Class, Band Sectional and Jazz Band Leading.
- 2018 **William Mason Intermediate School (Mason, OH)**
- Held seven all day sessions for different sixth-grade bands on trumpet fundamentals and technique.
- 2017 **William Mason Middle School (Mason, OH)**
- Ran sectionals with the trumpet section from the eight-grade honor band on basic trumpet section playing and tuning.

- 2017 **William Mason Intermediate School** (Mason, OH)
- Held seven classes for different bands on trumpet fundamentals.
- 2017 **William Mason Marching Band** (Mason, OH)
- Led the Marching Arts Camp Trumpet Sectional.
- 2015 – 2017 **Project Coordinator** (Cincinnati, OH)
CCM Brass Trio – Team Leader and Performer
- The trio has commissioned and premiered three works based on, Appalachian, Brazilian, and Ukrainian folk music.
 - The project was funded by the Tangemen Sacred Music Grant from CCM and the *Mier Remon* Commissioning Assistance Fund from the International Horn Society.
 - The trio performed at the 2016 International Horn Symposium in Ithaca, New York.
- 2016 **II UBIRANI International Trumpet Festival (Brazil)**
Festival Chairman and Chapter President
- Held over one hundred participants.
 - Faculty members ranged from all over Brazil.
 - Different performing groups of various formations for every evening concert.
 - Two international faculty members, Charles Schlueter (BSO) and Alan Siebert (CCM).
 - The festival culminated in a concert with the international soloists and the Youth Symphony Orchestra of Paraiba with an audience of over eight hundred people.
- 2016 **Adjudicator, 28th UMass Annual Honor Band Clinic** (Amherst, MA)
- Adjudicator for all Trumpets that participated in the Band Clinic.
- 2015 **I UBIRANI Trumpet Week** (Brazil)
Festival Chairman
- Acted as artist liaison for thirteen performing artists.
 - Organized meeting dates and agendas.
 - Facilitated four concerts with eight different groups.
 - Coordinated administration staff, rehearsals, and press release

EXAMPLES OF STUDENT SUCCESS

Selected student achievements while a member of my teaching studio:

COLLEGIATE STUDENT HONORS

- 2026 **A-State Trumpet Students**
- Trumpet students advanced to the live rounds of the National Trumpet Competition in Iowa City, Iowa, one of the most prestigious and competitive collegiate trumpet competitions in the United States. Students selected included Mason Kibble and Logan Hayungs in the Graduate Solo Division, and Zane Kenzik in the Undergraduate Solo Division.
- 2025 **A-State Trumpet Ensemble: International Trumpet Guild Conference**
- Students' ensemble was selected and invited to perform at the "Prelude Series" of the International Trumpet Guild Conference in Salt Lake City, UT.
- 2025 **Jeremiah Hendrix**
- Assistant Band Director and Choir Director at Perryville High School.

- 2024
- A-State Trumpet Ensemble: National Trumpet Competition**
- In December 2023, A-State trumpet students submitted a video recording for consideration. Following adjudication by a national jury composed of trumpet artists and educators, these students earned a place in the quarterfinals round of the National Trumpet Competition. The live rounds are scheduled to take place from March 8 to 11, 2024, at Texas A&M University in Kingsville, TX. This year witnessed approximately 200 ensembles from across the country submitting videos, with only 40 ensembles selected in the small ensemble category. Notably, this competition is peer-reviewed and juried, making it the largest of its kind globally.
- 2024
- A-State Trumpet Ensemble: International Trumpet Guild Conference**
- Students' ensemble was selected and invited to perform at the "Prelude Series" of the International Trumpet Guild Conference in Anaheim, CA.
- 2024
- A-State Trumpet Students**
- Had two students selected for the Arkansas Intercollegiate Band to perform during the 2024 ASBOA All-State Conference. One of the students was juried as principal player for the trumpet section.
- 2024
- Graduating Students**
- My Teaching Assistant was accepted into the DMA program for trumpet performance at University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign.
- 2023
- A-State Trumpet Ensemble: National Trumpet Competition**
- Students advanced to the Quarterfinals round of the 2023 National Trumpet Competition in Boulder, CO.
- 2023
- A-State Trumpet Ensemble: International Trumpet Guild Competition**
- Students has been selected as a semi-finalist in the 2023 International Trumpet Guild's Chamber Music Division of the Ryan Anthony Memorial Trumpet Competition, held as part of the 2023 ITG Conference in Minneapolis, Minnesota, USA.
- 2023
- A-State Trumpet Student**
- Had juried and selected as principal player for the trumpet section for the Arkansas Intercollegiate Band to perform during the 2024 ASBOA All-State Conference. One of the students was juried as principal player for the trumpet section.
- 2023
- Graduating Students**
- Had accepted into the DMA programs at Indiana University, Michigan State University, Florida State University and North Texas University
 - Had graduating seniors accepted into the MM performance degrees at University of Wisconsin-Madison, SUNY Potsdam, University of Massachusetts – Amherst, University of New Mexico and Arkansas State University.
- 2022
- A-State Trumpet Ensemble: National Trumpet Competition**
- Students Advanced to the Quarter-Finals round of the Competition in Newark, DE
- 2022
- A-State Trumpet Ensemble: International Trumpet Guild Conference**
- Students were selected and invited to perform at the "Prelude Series" of the International Trumpet Guild Conference in Sant Antonio, TX
- 2022
- Trey Goff**
- Head band director at Blytheville School District (Blytheville, AR)

- 2022 **Zachary Aaron Shearer**
- Assistant Band Director at Westside Middle School (Jonesboro, AR)
- 2021 **Tyler Helms**
- Admittance to the University of Memphis DMA program in trumpet performance
 - Offered and accepted the full assistantship for the trumpet teaching assistant position.
- 2021 **Josh Hickman**
- Admittance to Brigham Young University for the MM program in trumpet performance
 - Offered and accepted the trumpet teaching assistant position.
- 2021 **Noah Van Deventer**
- Admittance to Shenandoah Conservatory for the MM program in trumpet performance.
- 2020 **Caleb Korenek**
- Assistant Band Director at Wharton ISD (Wharton, TX)

PRIVATE STUDIES TRUMPET HONORS

- 2025 **Admittance to the University of Colorado Boulder, Arkansas State University and Louisiana State University**
- Private high school students successfully auditioned for the Bachelor of Music Education program with trumpet as their primary instrument. Student received music scholarships to attend these programs.
- 2023 **Saarburger Serenaden, International Music Festival, Saarburg, Germany**
- High school sophomore was accepted into this prestigious music program.
- 2022 **International Trumpet Guild Conference, San Antonio, TX**
- Student qualified for the finals of the Senior High Trumpet Competition
 - Student was awarded ITG Scholarship to attend the conference.
- 2022 **Admittance to the Miami University Kentucky and Arkansas State University**
- Private high school students successfully auditioned for the Bachelor of Music Education program at MU and A-State with trumpet as their primary instrument. Student received music scholarships to attend the program.
- 2019 **National Trumpet Competition, Lexington, KY**
- Two private students successfully advanced to the semi-finals live round in the Junior Division.
 - Former Texas A&M Kingsville students advanced to the semi-finals round in the Large Trumpet Division.
- 2019 **Admittance to the Ohio State University**
- A private high school student successfully auditioned for the Bachelor of Music Performance program at both universities with trumpet as his primary instrument.
 - Student received music scholarships to attend the program.

- 2018 **Admittance to the Miami University**
- A private high school student successfully auditioned for the Bachelor of Music Education program at MU with trumpet as his primary instrument.
 - Student received a full ride scholarship to attend the program.
- 2018, 2019 **Cincinnati Youth Wind Ensemble and Cincinnati Youth Wind Ensemble Jr.**
- Four private students were selected as performing members of the band.
- 2017 **Cincinnati Youth Wind Ensemble**
- Two private middle school students were selected for two of six trumpet spots in one of the most competitive programs in Cincinnati.

PUBLICATIONS, CREATIVE RESEARCH PROJECTS, RECORDINGS

RECORDINGS/PUBLISHED/EDITED/TRANSLATED WORKS

- Simoes, Nairam. "Morgen Low" *International Trumpet Guild Journal*, January 2025. p. 106-109.
- Simoes, Nairam. "Jon Bathia." *International Trumpet Guild Journal*, October 2025. p. 85-89.
- Simoes, Nairam. "Valsalva Maneuver" *International Trumpet Guild Journal* March 2025. p. 39-41.
- Simoes, Nairam. "Keep it simple: Stephen Campbell, Principal Trumpet, Lexington Philharmonic Orchestra." *International Trumpet Guild Journal*, January 2025. p. 70-72.
- Simoes, Nairam. "Be the change you want to see in the world: Raquel Samayoa, Principal Trumpet, Richardson Symphony Orchestra (TX)." *International Trumpet Guild Journal*, June 2024. p. 72-83.
- Simoes, Nairam. "Be Happy with Living in The Process, Because You Will Never Arrive: Brynn Marchiando, Principal Trumpet in Santa Fe Symphony, Second Trumpet in New Mexico Philharmonic." *International Trumpet Guild Journal*, January 2024. p. 64-66.
- Simoes, Nairam. "No Matter What, You Have to Enjoy What You Are Doing, Esteban Batallán, Principal Trumpet, Chicago Symphony Orchestra." *International Trumpet Guild Journal*, March 2023. p. 63-68.
- Simoes, Nairam. "Disciplined and Patient: Elmer Churampi, Utility Trumpet, Dallas Symphony Orchestra." *International Trumpet Guild Journal*, March 2022. p. 72-75

Published the following interviews for the International Trumpet Guild Journal Orchestral Spotlight Column

- 2025 Stephen Campbell, Principal Trumpet, Lexington Philharmonic
- 2024 Raquel Samayoa, Principal Trumpet, Richardson Symphony Orchestra
- 2024 Brynn Marchiando, Principal Trumpet in Santa Fe Symphony, Second Trumpet in New Mexico Philharmonic
- 2023 Esteban Batallan, principal trumpet of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra

- 2022 Elmer Churampi, fourth/utility trumpet of Dallas Symphony Orchestra
2020 Charles Schlueter, Retired Principal Trumpet of Boston Symphony
- 2022 **NordesTrio plays Braziliana – Album**
- Released an album by Fundamental Sounds
 - Four world premieres of Brazilian composers for Trumpet, French Horn and Piano
 - Global Music Awards Silver Medal recipient
- 2021 – present **Brazilian Music for Brass (website)**
- Editor
- 2014 **Suite Pernambucana for five trumpets by “Duda” – Editor**
- Published by Triplo Press in 2014
- 2013 **The Hollywood Warm Up by Kevin Sanders – Book**
- Portuguese Translation

PEDAGOGICAL VIDEOS

- 2022-24 **Arkansas School Band and Orchestra Association – Trumpet Videos**
Recorded a set of videos with practice tips and demonstration of the ASBOA trumpet etudes.
Set I: <https://youtu.be/uCp0Fox9xs0?feature=shared>
Set II: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=J5yB2NTSUao>
Set III: <https://youtu.be/St0x1qvYuBg>
- 2020 **Young Musician Workshop – AMRO Music**
Recorded a video to help area beginner Trumpet players with their first lesson. The video is titled “First Steps for Success by Dr. Nairam Simoes” and it is still available for students on YouTube: <https://youtu.be/m6eYqFinmcA>

WORKS COMMISSIONED

- 2025 **“Like Two Ships; Pass in the Night”** by Whitney E. George (Consortium co-lead)
- 2025 **“Like Ships that Pass in the Night”** by Whitney E. George (Consortium co-lead)
- 2025 **“Postcards from Asia”** by Gina Gillie (Consortium participant), September 2025
- 2025 **“Dear Johanna”** by Gala Flagello
- 2025 **Choro Trompetistico N. 4 – Tendão de Aquiles** by Gilson Santos
- 2025 **Um Tema para Papito** for Trumpet and Oboe by Rogério Borges
- 2025 **Dear Johanna** for Trumpet and Oboe by Gala Flagello
- 2025 **Salmo 23** for Trumpet and Oboe by Eli-Eri Moura
- 2024 **Seresta No. 24** for Trumpet and Oboe by Liduino Pitombeira
- 2024 **Bifrons** by Derek Jenkins

- 2022 **Brazilian Sunshine** by Eric Ewazen
- 2021 **Canticos Meridionais** by Eli-Eri Moura
- 2021 **Nordestrio** for trumpet, French horn and piano by Gilson Santos
- 2021 **Danças Nordestinas #2** for trumpet, French horn and piano by Rogério Borges
- 2020 **Suite Quarentena for trumpet, French horn and piano** by Jose Urcisino da Silva “Duda”
- 2020 **Serenata Sorradeira** by Ruama AB Quimera
- 2018 **Short Circuit for two C trumpets** by Eli-Eri Moura
- 2018 **Dueto para Trompetes** by Jose Urcisino da Silva “Duda”
- 2017 **Saudade for Unaccompanied trumpet** by Martin Hebel
- 2016 **Brazilian Dances for Brass Trio** by “Duda”
- Premiere performance took place on Nairam Simoes’ DMA recital at CCM
- 2016 **Realm’s End for Brass Trio** by Tyler Ogilvie – Commission
- The trio is based on Ukrainian folk music.
 - The project was funded in part by the Tangemen Sacred Music Grant from CCM and the Mier Remon Commissioning Assistance Fund from the International Horn Society.
 - The trio performed at the International Horn Symposium in Ithaca, New York.
- 2015 **Folk Song Suite for Brass Trio** by Ethan Cypress – Commission
- This commissioned work is based on traditional Appalachian folk music.
- 2013 **Suite Pernambucana for five trumpets** by “Duda”
- This chamber piece was commissioned and premiered by Nairam Simoes and the Ubirani Trumpet Ensemble.
 - The first performance took place at Sala de Concertos Radegundis Feitosa at the Ubirani Recital on May 2009 (Brazil).
- 2013 **Suite Nairam for trumpet and orchestra** by “Duda”
- Nairam Simoes and the Paraiba Youth Orchestra premiered this work at Sala de Concertos Jose Siqueira in Joao Pessoa, Brazil on May 2013 (Brazil).

AWARDS, GRANTS AND HONORS

- 2024 **Brass Fest**
Secured funding for our 2024 Brass Fest event from several sponsors: Austin Custom Brass as a Featured Exhibitor for \$200, Pickett & Blackburn Trumpet as an Exhibitor for \$150, Clary Woodmutes as a Sponsor for \$100, and Bob Reeves as a Sponsor for \$200. Additionally, I received a \$500 grant from the ITG affiliate chapter. This brings the total to \$1,150, which helped fund the trumpet guest artist, cover pizza for participants, provide \$250 for the tuba guest artist, and pay \$150 for the photographer.
- 2024 **College of Liberal Arts and Communication Development Award**
- I received a College Faculty Development Award of \$1,400 to support my travel as faculty to teach and perform in Brazil at FIMUS and UFPE.

- 2024 **Music Department Development Award**
- I was granted a Faculty Development Award of \$430 to assist in financing my trip as a presenter and coordinator at the Festival of Trumpets during the 2024 International Trumpet Guild Conference in Anaheim, CA.
- 2024 **Student Funding**
- In February, our Trumpet Studio received a total funding award of \$7,068. This support was graciously provided by the Office of the Provost, College of Liberal Arts and Communication, Music Department, Bands, and Office of Student Research. The funding is designated to aid our participation in the 2024 National Trumpet Competition in Kingsville, TX.
- 2023 **Development Award**
- Received an award of \$12,800 between the College of Fine Arts, Music Department and Bands to our Trumpet Studio trip to compete at the 2023 National Trumpet Competition (Boulder, CO) and at International Trumpet Guild Conference (Minneapolis, MN).
- 2022 **Fountain City Brass Band, North American Brass Band Championship - 1st Prize**
- Competed with the Fountain City Brass Band in the National Championship in Huntsville, Alabama. Placed first in the Championship Division.
- 2022 **Global Music Awards Honors – Silver Medal**
- My Album “Braziliana” was awarded the Silver Medal in this renowned international music competition across cultures. The album competed in the Classical section.
- 2022 **Development Award**
- Received an award of \$8,000 between the Dean’s office, Music Department and Bands to our Trumpet Studio trip to compete at the 2022 National Trumpet Competition (Newark, DE) and a performance at the International Trumpet Guild Conference (San Antonio, TX).
- 2022 **International Trumpet Guild – Chapter Activity Grant**
- Received a grant in the amount of \$500 to help finance a guest artist for the 2022 A-State Brass Fest.
- 2022 **International Trumpet Guild - 2022 Trumpet Ensemble Prelude Grant**
- Received an award of \$650.00 grant to support my students’ participation in the 46th Annual International Trumpet Guild Conference in San Antonio, Texas
- 2022 **Create@State – A-State’s Student Research & Creativity Development Program**
- Awarded a \$21,000 grant to fund student trips to the 2022 National Trumpet Competition and 2022 International Trumpet Guild Conference
- 2022 **Faculty Development Award**
- Received an award of \$628 to fund my trip for a presentation for the International Trumpet Guild Conference in San Antonio, TX.
- 2021 **Charles Schlueter Foundation Grant**
- Successfully applied and was awarded \$6,000 to cover the expenses to produce an album.
- 2021 **Faculty Development Award**
- Received an award of \$919.75 to commission Brazilian composers for a diversity and inclusion project that will culminate in an album recording.

- 2021 **The Music Entrepreneurship Competition (MEC) – World Trumpet Society**
- Finalist with Nova Trumpet Collective. Received attorney support to establish a non-profit.
- 2021 **International Trumpet Guild Affiliate Chapter Activity Grant**
- Received a grant in the amount of \$550 to help finance guest artists appearances during the A-State Trumpet Talk Series.
- 2017 **National Trumpet Competition (Denver, CO) 3rd Place**
- Third prizewinner with the CCM Trumpet Quartet.
 - Awarded a monetary prize in the Small Ensemble division.
- 2017 **University of Cincinnati Conference Travel Award**
- Received a travel award in the amount of \$400 to travel and perform at the 2017 International Trumpet Guild Conference.
- 2016 **CCM Tangeman Sacred Music Grant**
- Received a grant in the amount of \$500 for the CCM Brass Trio commission of new pieces project.
- 2016 **Graduate Teaching Assistant, CCM**
- Awarded the Graduate Teaching Assistantship in the 2015-2017 academic years.
- 2015 **National Trumpet Competition Semi-Finalist**
- Semi-finalist with the UMass Trumpet Ensemble in the Large Ensemble division.
- 2014 **National Trumpet Competition 4th Place**
- Fourth prizewinner with the UMass Trumpet Ensemble.
 - Awarded a monetary prize in the Ensemble division.
- 2013 **Graduate Teaching Assistant, UMass**
- Awarded the Graduate Teaching Assistantship in the 2013-2015 academic years.
 - Chosen to perform with the Faculty and Graduate Brass Quintets.
- 2010 **The Clementi Santi Memorial Scholarship**
- Awarded substantial monetary prize as Outstanding Undergraduate Brass from the University of Memphis Music School
- 2009 – 2012 **University of Memphis Dean’s Honor List**

GUEST ARTISTS HOSTED

ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY

- Marie Speziale, first woman trumpeter in a major symphony orchestra, emeritus trumpet professor at Rice
- Dr. Eric Siereveld, Associate Professor of Trumpet at University of Louisiana – Monroe
- Dr. Jason Bergman, Associate Professor of Trumpet at Indiana University.
- Dr. Maico Lopes, Trumpet Professor at University of Rio de Janeiro (Uni-Rio) – Brazil
- Dr. Scott Belck, Director of Jazz Studies and Professor of Music at the University of Cincinnati’s College-Conservatory of Music (CCM)
- Matthew Anklan, Professor of Trumpet at Wright State University
- Dr. Raquel Samayoa, Assistant Professor of Trumpet at North Texas University
- Erik Horne, Trumpet Player at U.S Naval Forces Europe Band
- Eric Berlin, Trumpet professor at University of Massachusetts Amherst

- Dr. Kyle Millsap, Professor of Trumpet at Texas A&M Kingsville
- Dr. David Spencer, Trumpet Professor at University of Memphis.
- Eric Murine, Director of Sales at Pickett Brass and Blackburn Trumpets
- Alan Siebert, Former Trumpet professor from the University of Cincinnati College-Conservatory of Music. Dayton Symphony Orchestra 2nd Trumpet.
- Ashley Hall, principal trumpet Cincinnati Chamber orchestra, Former Canadian Brass
- Adam Rapa, International trumpet extraordinaire
- Dr. Aaron Jensen, Assistant Professor of Trumpet, Columbus State University
- Michael Sachs, Principal Trumpet Cleveland Symphony Orchestra
- Dr. Jason Dovel, Associate Professor of Trumpet at University of Kentucky
- Dr. Ryan Gardner, Associate Professor of Trumpet at the University of Colorado Boulder.
- Drew Ziemba, Associate Principal Trumpet at Boise Philharmonic
- Dr. Ayrton Benck, Professor of Trumpet Universidade Federal da Paraíba (UFPB) – Brazil
- Karin Bliznik, Former Principal Trumpet of St. Louis Orchestra
- Charles Schlueter, Former Principal Trumpet with the Boston Symphony Orchestra
- Dr. Peyden Shelton, Associate Professor of Trumpet at University of Utah
- Dr. Daniel Kelly, Associate Professor at Texas A&M – Commerce
- Dr. Stanley Curtis, Associate Professor of Trumpet at Colorado State University.
- Dr. Cynthia Carrell, Former Associate Professor of Trumpet, Hardin University
- S.E. Shires/Eastman virtual factory tour and Q&A for all brass students.
- Dr. Buddy Deshler, Assistant Professor of Trumpet, Furman University
- Chris Smith, Principal trumpet San Diego Symphony
- Dr. Oswaldo Zapata: Assistant Professor of Trumpet at University of Texas in San Antonio
- Dr. George Carpten IV, Assistant Professor of Trumpet at Penn State University
- Pershing's Own Trumpet Section
- Vincent DiMartino, Faculty at Interlochen, and international soloist
- Dr. Scott Hagarty, Assistant Professor of Trumpet at Tennessee Tech University
- Dr. T. J. Tesh, Associate Professor of Trumpet at Southern Mississippi University
- Scott Moore, Principal Trumpet of Memphis Symphony Orchestra
- Ryan Beach, Principal Trumpet of the Alabama Symphony
- Dr. Jason Dovel, Professor of Trumpet at University of Kentucky (recital)
- Dr. Fred Sienkiewicz, Adjunct Assistant Professor of Musicianship at Vanderbilt University
- Joey Tartell, Professor of Trumpet at Indiana University
- Dr. Robert Sears, Assistant Professor of Trumpet at West Virginia University
- Chad Winkler, Fourth/Utility Trumpet at Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra
- Dr. William Stowman, Chair, Department of Music at Messiah College
- Dr. John Marchiando Associate Professor of Trumpet at University of New Mexico
- Dr. Peter Wood, Professor of Trumpet, University of South Alabama (recital)
- Wiff Rudd, Professor of Trumpet, Baylor University
- Anthony Plog, Professor of Music at the Musikhochschule in Freiburg i. Br. (Germany)
- Session Brass Quintet
- Aaron Lovelady – Airforce Ceremonial Brass
- Jon Kratzer – Blinn College
- Dr. Angela King – University of Central Arkansas
- Dr. Ross Alhorn – Louisiana State University

LAMAR UNIVERSITY

- Dr. Kyle Millsap, Associate Professor of Trumpet at Texas A&M Kingsville
- Dr. Paulo Ronqui, Professor of Trumpet University of Campinas (Brazil)
- Aaron Jensen, Adjunct Professor of Trumpet Tarleton State University

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND SPONSORSHIPS

- Member of Arkansas School Band and Orchestra Association (ASBOA)
- Member of the North American Brass Band Association (NABBA)
- Member of Texas Music Educators Association
- Member of the International Trumpet Guild
- Cincinnati Trumpet Guild Chapter (Coordinator and Founder)
- UBIRANI Trumpet Guild of Brazil (President and Founding member)
- Artist for Torpedo Bags
- Monster Oil Brass Instruments Lubricants Endorser
- S.E. Shires / Eastman Trumpet Artist
- Fundamental Sounds Recording Artist
- Endorser Robinson's Remedies