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OBJECTIVE

To obtain a position as a music educator where I can create a fun and educational environment for students to expand their knowledge and appreciation of music.

EDUCATION

Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS
B.A. in Music Education

Anticipated: May 2012
Cumulative GPA: 3.1/4.0

CLASSROOM EXPERIENCE

Lincoln and Milford Elementary Schools, Teaching 2012- 2014
Junction City/Milford, KS

- Created a personalized website for grades 3-5 so that students can blog about pieces that they were learning about
- Prepared a variety of themed programs for each grade
- Sponsored before school choir and percussion ensemble
- Prepared fifth graders for a Spring musical

Clay Center Middle and High School, Student Teacher Spring 2012
Clay Center, KS

- Prepared students, grades 5-12, for a spring concert
- Guided students to a better understanding of music theory through technology

Bergman Elementary School, Student Teacher Spring 2012
Manhattan, KS

- Collaborated in the development of a kindergarten, 2nd, and 3rd grade program; as well as a choir tour
- Instructed students on how to play the recorder and guitar
- Created a unit for 1st and 2nd grades to compose their own 2- to 4-bar composition

S.T.E.M. Summer Institute, Practicum Experience Summer 2011
Manhattan, KS

- Prepared lessons on teaching rockets and robotics to more than 80 students, grades 6 - 8
- Created group activities for before and after lessons to help with retention

Kansas State University, Student Conductor Spring 2011
Manhattan, KS

- Studied and rehearsed full-band and percussion-ensemble pieces
 - *American River Songs* by Pierre La Plante
 - *Rondo for Percussion* by Thomas L. Davis
- Conducted at two concerts in McCain Auditorium

Anthony Middle School, Practicum Experience Spring 2011
Manhattan, KS

- Studied and rehearsed two movements of a full-band piece
- Provided private instruction for students



PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Junction City Little Theatre, Music Director** Fall 2013
Junction City, KS
- Developed a cast of adult and children's voices
 - Collaborated with a group of expert, specialized directors for best results
- Kansas State University Music Symposium, Clinician** June 2012
Manhattan, KS
- Provided information about enriching the curriculum with technology, with emphasis on the iPad
- Hugoton High School, Clinician** August 2011
Hugoton, KS
- Aided students in developing marching skills and playing abilities
 - Led master classes for low-brass instruments
- Wamego Middle School, Adjudicator** May 2010, 2011, 2013
Wamego, KS
- Adjudicated a variety of brass instruments
 - Led short master classes with each student
- Wamego High School, Small-Ensemble Coach** February – April 2011
Wamego, KS
- Prepared small ensembles for regional and state competitions
 - Taught proper playing techniques to students

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

- Kansas Music Educators Association** Spring 2008 – Spring 2014
National Association of Music Educators Spring 2008 – Spring 2014
American Orff-Schulwerk Association Fall 2013 – Fall 2014
Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia Fall 2007 – Fall 2011
Kappa Kappa Psi Fall 2007 – Fall 2011
International Tuba Euphonium Association Fall 2007 – Fall 2011

HONORS

- District Nominee, The Kansas Cable Telecommunications Horizon Award** Fall 2013
President, International Tuba Euphonium Association Fall 2009 – Fall 2011
Principle Chair Euphonium, KSU Wind Ensemble Fall 2009 – Fall 2011
Principle Chair Euphonium, KSU Brass Ensemble Fall 2009 – Fall 2011
Head Tuba Section Leader, KSU Marching Band Fall 2009 – Fall 2010
President, Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia Spring 2010 – Spring 2011
Historian, Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia Spring 2009 – Spring 2010

REFERENCES

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