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Education

Bachelor of Music Education
University of Southern Mississippi
2016 - 2021

Bachelor of Music Performance
University of Southern Mississippi
2016 - 2021

Master of Music Performance
University of Texas at Austin
2021 - 2023

Private Teachers

Dr. Per Brevig
Aspen Music Festival and School
Trombone Faculty

Dr. Nathaniel Brickens
University of Texas at Austin
Professor of Trombone

Dr. Ben McIlwain
University of Southern Mississippi
Professor of Trombone

Brian Hecht
Dallas Symphony Orchestra
Utility Trombone

ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTION FROM:

Joseph Alessi	James Nova
Megumi Kanda	Warren Deck
Colin Williams	Peter Steiner
Denson Paul Pollard	Ko-Ichiro Yamamoto
Nathan Zgonc	Nick Schwartz
Sasha Romero	Jeremy Wilson
Vanessa Fralick	Rick Stout

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TROMBONIST | MUSIC EDUCATOR

Performance Experience

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| 2026 | PRISMA (PACIFIC REGION INTERNATIONAL SUMMER MUSIC ASSOCIATION)
Orchestra Trombone Acadamist |
| 2025 | New World Symphony Orchestra
Substitute Trombonist |
| 2024 | Aspen Music Festival and School
Orchestral Trombone Fellow |
| 2023 | Berlin Opera Academy
Orchestra Musician |
| 2023 | Taneycomo Festival Orchestra
Principle Trombonist |
| 2023 | International Trombone Festival
Remington Trombone Choir Competition Winners |
| 2022 | Texas Music Educators Association
Exhibition Performance with University of Texas at Austin Wind Ensemble |
| 2019
2022 | Southeast Trombone Symposium
Solo and Orchestral Excerpts Competition Finalist |
| 2018 | Mississippi Symphony Orchestra
Substitute Musician |
| 2018 | Meridian Symphony Orchestra
Substitute Musician |

Teaching Experience

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| 2018
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current | Private Lessons Instructor <ul style="list-style-type: none">Teaching middle school and high school studentsCurrently have a studio of over fifty students in Austin, TXMany students earned Region Band/Area placementsHigh School Trombone Choir earning 1st at TMEA State Solo and Ensemble |
| 2021
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2023 | Graduate Teaching Assistant
University of Texas Bands <ul style="list-style-type: none">Assisted with Longhorn Band, Longhorn Pep Band, and Texas Concert Bands (non-music major ensemble) |

References

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