Victoria University of Wellington, New Zealand

[graduated 2018]

Focus: Sonic Arts and Engineering

Advisors: Prof. Dale Carnegie, Dean Faculty of Engineering

Dr. Jim Murphy, Lecturer

Research: music performance + music technology

• Victoria Doctoral Scholarship

Victoria Doctoral Submission Scholarship

Arizona State University, USA

[graduated 2012]

master of arts

doctor of philosophy

Focus: Media, Arts, and Science

Research: custom, interactive musical biofeedback and user interface design

- NSF Integrative Graduate Education and Research Traineeship (IGERT) Fellowship
- Founder and Director of Laptop Orchestra of Arizona State (LOrkAS)

Stanford University, USA

[graduated 2008]

master of arts

Focus: Music, Science, Technology

Advisor: Dr. Julius Smith, Professor

Research: sound design and digital audio signal processing

• Charter member of the Stanford Laptop Orchestra (SLOrk) and Mobile Phone Orchestra (MoPho)

University of Miami, USA

[graduated 2005]

bachelor of music

Majors: Music Engineering Technology, Flute Performance, and Computer Science

Advisors: Ken Pohlmann, Director of Music Engineering Technology

Christine Nield-Capote, Adjunct Professor

audio technology experience

School of Arts, Media + Engineering, Arizona State University

research assistant

 Under the NSF IGERT Doctoral Fellowship, autonomously researched and designed a realtime, customizable sound design software toolkit for an interactive biofeedback system for stroke rehabilitation; contributed to professional publications; founded and directed an experimental sonic performing group; collaborated on interactive media installations.

Aug 2009 – Aug 2012

CCRMA, Stanford University

research assistant

• Collaboratively researched and developed a custom audio/visual biofeedback software system for breathing regulation system. Two concurrent projects: 1) a museum piece shown in January 2009 and 2) a biofeedback device for the Stanford medical department.

Oct 2008 – July 2009

General Motors, Inc.

graduate intern

Independently created and delivered the prototype internal sound design for the Chevrolet
 Volt, a hybrid electric vehicle, which included the unique experience of weekly meetings with a Oct 2008
 Vice President of GM and the Volt development team.

Recording Services, University of Miami

first sound engineer

Involved in many aspects of recording engineering and live sound reinforcement, including
operation of the sound system for live sound concerts, concert organization, maintenance of
sound equipment, interacting with the artists and training peers.

Aug 2001 – May 2004

technical experience

sound designer

- Intel Corporation (2015-2016)
- Enhanced Vehicle Acoustics, Inc. (2009)
- General Motors (2008)

project management

- Sonic Engineering Showcase organization and management. (2013-2014)
- Laptop Orchestra of Arizona State promotions, establishment of venues, directing ensembles, grant writing, and organization of performances. (2010-2012)

multimedia installations

- Experienced in audio/visual equipment setup for conferences, presentations, and performances
- Extensive experience with both live and studio sound mixing and audio system management

computer

- Development: Java, C/C++, Objective-C, Python, Cocoa, Audio Unit, HTML, CSS, version control
- Audio: ChucK, ProTools, Logic Pro, Ableton Live, Max/MSP/Jitter, PureData, SuperCollider, Ardour, Audacity
- Software: Windows, Linux, UNIX, and Mac operating systems; MathCAD; Matlab; XCode; Fritzing; Solidworks
- Audio equipment: Mackie and Euphonix System 5; variety of microphones and outboard audio gear

teaching and administrative experience					
	Graduate and Equity Coordinator at Victoria University of Wellington	Jan 2018 to present			
	Research Awards Coordinator at Victoria University of Wellington	April 2017 – Dec 2017			
	Tutor at Victoria University of Wellington				
	 Introduction to Music Technology (100-level, music) Introduction to Computer Programming Design (100-level, engineering) Computer Music Programming (200-level, music) Data Acquisition (200-level, engineering) Interface Design for Live Electronics (300-level, music) Advanced Sonic Arts Projects (300-level, music) Introduction to Digital Signal Processing (300-level, engineering) 	July 2013 – July 2017			
	Administrator, Tutor, and SAT Teacher at Sylvan Learning Center	Feb 2006 - Sept 2007			
	Professional Flute Instructor	Jan 1999 – Dec 2009			
sonic art exhibitions and performances					
LOrkAS	 Phoenix eXperimental Arts Fest ASU School of Arts, Media + Engineering Digital Culture Initiative Showcase ASU Herberger Institute for Design and the Arts Dean's Council for Excellence Phoenix First Friday Art Showcase & PHX:Fringe Fest Inaugural Phoenix Maker Faire 	Aug 2010 – Aug 2012			

- World Premieres of Original Compositions, featuring Perry Cook
- Emerge Conference @ ASU
- Play! Festival

• Incubator 2010 workshop @ ASU

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- ASU School of Arts, Media + Engineering Digital Culture Initiative Showcase
- ASU Herberger Institute for Design and the Arts Dean's Council for Excellence

2010, 2011

Vernal Can	Pasadena Museum of California Art		Summer 2009
Catch Your Bi			2009
volunteer exp	perience		
	Outreach Volunteer for the School of Enginee	ering and Computer Science	Oct 2013 - Present
	Sennheiser - Internal Promotional Video Actre	ess	Summer 2009
	Imagine Research - Metadata Classification Er	ngineer	Summer 2009
	Enhanced Vehicle Acoustics - Sound Designer		Oct 2008 - Jun 2009
professional r	memberships		
ACM MM	Student member of ACM Multimedia		
AES	Student member of Audio Engineering Society • University of Miami chapter - Member	y er; Stanford University chapter – Vice Presid	dent
ARRL	Member of American Radio Relay League		
ASAE	Student member of American Society of Acoustic Ecology		
FFA	Student member of Florida Flute Association		
IEEE	Student member of Institute of Electrical and	Electronics Engineers	
ΦΚΦ	Lifetime member of Phi Kappa Phi Honor Soci	iety	
NFA	Lifetime member of National Flute Associatio	n	
SWE	Student member of Society of Women Engine	eers	
awards, fellov	vships, grants, scholarships		
	 PGSA 2018 Professional Staff Award Faculty Research Grant Research and Innovation Grant ICMA Student Scholarship Victoria Doctoral Scholarship NSF IGERT Doctoral Fellowship Dean's List Honor Roll 	 Provost's List Honor Roll Constance Weldon Scholarship Bertha Foster Scholarship Florence Pick Scholarship Florida Bright Futures Award Girl Scouts of America: Silver Awa 	rd
conference, s	ymposium, and festival participation		
ICMC	International Computer Music Conference - S	tudent Volunteer, Conference Attendee	2004, 2014
NIME	New Interfaces for Music Expression - Studen	t Volunteer, Conference Attendee	2009, 2010, 2012

PHX: Fringe Festival - Student Volunteer, Conference Attendee

2010

Fringe Fest

GPSA	Graduate and Professional Student Association Leadership Event - Conference Attendee	2009
MATB	Symposium on Music and the Brain - Student Volunteer, Conference Attendee	2008, 2009
Maker Faire	Maker Faire Phoenix - Performer, Presenter, Student Volunteer Maker Faire Bay Area - Performer, Presenter, Student Volunteer	2011 2008, 2009
AES	Audio Engineering Society Convention (San Francisco) - Student Volunteer, Student Attendee Audio Engineering Society Convention (New York) — Student Volunteer, Student Attendee	2006, 2008 2005

professional achievements

Amateur Radio	Licensed Amateur Radio operator: KE4QXL

Teaching Certification Completed substitute teacher training

publication participation

ACMC	Reviewer for Australasian Computer Music Conference	2015, 2016
NIME	Scientific Program Committee and Reviewer for International Conference on New Interfaces for Musical Expression	2014 - 2019
ISMIR	Reviewer for International Society for Music Information Retrieval Conference	2012, 2016, 2017
TAP	Reviewer for ACM Transactions on Applied Perception	2012
SLEO	Program Committee for Inaugural Symposium on Laptop Ensembles & Orchestras	2011
ICMC	Reviewer for International Computer Music Conference	2008, 2009

publications

- **D. Siwiak**, D. A. Carnegie, J. Murphy, and A. Kapur, "Using Audio Onset Detection Algorithms," *Proceedings of Engineering New Zealand Conference (ENZCON)*, Christchurch, New Zealand, December 4 -7, 2017.
- **D. Siwiak**, D. A. Carnegie, J. Murphy, and A. Kapur, "MetaFlute: A Gesture Capture System," *Proceedings of International Computer Music Conference (ICMC)*, Shanghai, China, September 2 5, 2017.
- **D. Siwiak**, A. Kapur, and D. A. Carnegie, "Micro-timing as a Feature for Investigating Musicality," *Proceedings of International Symposium on Performance Science (ISPS)*, Kyoto, Japan. September 2 5, 2015.
- **D. Siwiak**, "Designing an Interactive Sonic Media Environment for Stroke Rehabilitation," *Proceedings of Australasian Computer Music Conference (ACMC)*, Melbourne, Australia. July 9 11, 2014.
- **D. Siwiak**, A. Kapur, and D. A. Carnegie, "Pitch Interval Detection and Classical Flute Pedagogy: An 'Elementary' Connection," *Proceedings of Australasian Computer Music Conference (ACMC)*, Melbourne, Australia, July 9 11, 2014.
- **D. Siwiak**, A. Kapur, and D. A. Carnegie, "Music Technology's Influence on Flute Pedagogy: A Survey of their Intersection," *Proceedings of the International Computer Music Conference and Sound and Music Computing (ICMC/SMC)*, Athens, Greece, September 14 20, 2014.
- **D. Siwiak**, "Laptop Orchestra of Arizona State: The Student Venture," *Proceedings of Inaugural Symposium for Laptop Ensembles and Orchestras (SLEO)*, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, April 14-17, 2012.
- **D. Siwiak**, N. Lehrer, M. Baran, Y. Chen, M. Duff, T. Ingalls, and T. Rikakis, "A Home-based Adaptive Mixed Reality Rehabilitation System," *Proceedings of the ACM Multimedia International Conference (ACM MM)*, Scottsdale, Arizona, Nov 28 Dec 1, 2011.

Baran, M., Lehrer, N., **D. Siwiak**, Y. Chen, M. Duff, T. Ingalls, and T. Rikakis, "Design of a Home-based Adaptive Mixed Reality Rehabilitation System for Stroke Survivors," *Proceedings of International IEEE EMBS Conference (IEEE EMBS)*, Boston, Massachusetts, Aug 30 - Sept 3, 2011.

- **D. Siwiak**, et al. "Thrii". Proceedings of the ACM Multimedia International Conference (ACM MM), Florence, Italy, Oct 25-29, 2010
- K. Headlee, T. Koziupa, and **D. Siwiak**, "Sonic Virtual Reality Game: How Does your Body Sound?" *Proceedings of the International Conference on New Interfaces for Musical Expression (NIME)*, Sydney, Australia, June 15-18, 2010.
- **D. Siwiak**, J. Berger, and Y. Yang, "Catch your Breath Musical Biofeedback for Breathing Regulation," *Proceedings of the Audio Engineering Society International Convention (AES)*, New York, NY, Oct 9-12, 2009.
- **D. Siwiak**, J. Berger, and Y. Yang, "Catch your Breath Musical Biofeedback for Breathing Regulation," *Proceedings of the International Conference on New Interfaces for Musical Expression (NIME)*, Pittsburgh, PA, June 4-6, 2009.
- **D. Siwiak** and F. James, "Designing Interior Audio Cues for Hybrid and Electric Vehicles," *Proceedings of the Audio Engineering Society International Conference (AES)*, Dearborne, MI, June 2-4, 2009.

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