Vo Tran Phuong Giang (Giang Vo)

Violinist & Conductor

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Programs of Study

- BM, violin performance, Oklahoma City University (2022)
- High school diploma, emphasis in violin performance, Classen School of Advanced Studies (2018)

Instructors

Violin:

Benjamin Shute (2019-22), Sophia Ro (2018-19), Peter Nguyen (2016-18)

Conducting:

Alexander Mickelthwate (music director, OKC Philharmonic), Jeffrey Grogan (OCU)

• Historical performance practices:

Benjamin Shute, Anastasia Abu Bakar

Orchestral experience

• Vitam Musica Chamber Orchestra, 2018-present:

Principal 2nd violin, Section 1st violin

• Oklahoma City University Early Music Ensemble (period instruments), 2020-2022:

Co-leader/soloist, Concertmaster, Principal 2nd violin

• Oklahoma City University Symphony Orchestra, 2018-2022:

Concertmaster, Associate Concertmaster, Principal 2nd violin

Contracted as a section violinist (2022-23)

- Oklahoma All-State Orchestra, 2017, 2018: Section 1st violin
- Oklahoma Youth Orchestra, 2017-2018: Section 1st violin

Directing experience

• Vitam Muisca Chamber Orchestra, co-conductor from summer 2022

First project includes Brahms' Tragic Overture, Beethoven's Fifth Symphony, and concerto movements of Brahms and Dvořák

- Oklahoma City Philharmonic, Conducting Apprentice, 2021
- Conductor's Institute of South Carolina, Conducting Fellow 2021

Solo experience:

- Period-instrument ensembles in concertos of Corelli (Op.6/4), Bach (BWV 1043), and Mozart (KV 219)
- Concertos performed includes Sibelius, Bruch No. 1

Chamber music experience

• Sextets of Brahms (No. 1) and Tchaikovsky at OCU