

HEATHER CHURCH

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Education

Utah Teaching License, 721177
K-12 Music — exp. 06/2022

Percussion Performance Certificate
University of Denver, Denver, Co — 2016

Master of Music in Percussion Performance
University of Denver, Denver, Co — 2015

Bachelor of Music in Music Education
University of North Dakota, Grand Forks, ND — 2012

Relatable Employment

Percussion Director Juan Diego Catholic High School, *Draper, Ut - 2019 - 20*
Taught beginning, intermediate, and advanced percussion at both the high school and middle school levels. Directed drum line and middle school and high school steel band. Collaborated in performances for mass and other religious events.

Percussion Substitute Utah Symphony, *Salt Lake City, Ut - 2019*
Played with Utah Symphony for a Masterworks series concert in November of 2019.

Percussion Manager Aspen Music Festival and School, *Aspen, Co - 19*
Create a percussion order for all percussion instrumental needs for summer festival. Manage a team, create schedules, and assign tasks to ensure that percussion instruments are where they need to be and all students and faculty have requested equipment. Work closely with festival faculty, guest artists, and students.

Percussion Teacher, El Sistema/Salty Cricket, *West Valley, Ut — 2018 - 19*
Teach an intermediate and advanced percussion class, beginning music class, and advanced orchestra to children in first through sixth grade. Use music to teach life skills and to promote social change.

Music Teacher, Wallace Stegner Academy/Salty Cricket, *West Valley, Ut — 2018 - 19*
Taught curriculum enhanced lesson plans that educated students about the fundamentals of music on the Kindergarten through Eighth grade level.

Percussionist, CINQ Percussion, *Salt Lake City, Ut — 2018 - pres.*
Active performer in an all percussion chamber group. Perform outreach concerts at elementary schools around the valley, as well as, concerts for the community. Played at the 2018 Utah Arts Festival.

Percussion Instructor, Tooele High School, *Tooele, Ut — 2018 - 2019*
Teach percussion techniques to both the drum line and front ensemble. Collaborated with the band director and assistant band director for rehearsals and performances. Placed third at state marching band.

Freelance Musician, Self-Employed, *Salt Lake City, Ut — 2013 - pres.*
Have played with various orchestras and small ensembles throughout Arizona, Colorado, and Utah since 2013.

Private Percussion Teacher, Private Lessons, *Arizona, Colorado, Utah — 2012 - pres*

Chair of Events, REMIX for Young Professionals of the Colorado Symphony, *Denver, Co — 2017 - 19*
Create events and programs to involve the community in symphony support.

Festival Coordinator/Artist Liaison, Mile High Drum & Percussion Festival, *Englewood, Co — 2018*
Made sponsor requests, create sponsor receipts, and document items donated for the records of both parties. Created festival schedule and assisted with artist logistics and gear distribution. Managed stage logistics and hosted masterclass.

Teaching Assistant, University of Denver, *Denver, Co — 2013-15*
Directed percussion ensemble rehearsals and managed percussion studios and inventory. Engaged in programming and administrative duties. Created purchase requests and generated systems to help better organize studio spaces.

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Director, Prescott Marimba Camp, *Prescott, Az — 2013*

Created, directed, and organized a marimba camp for middle and high school students.

Assistant Director, Prescott High School, *Prescott, Az — 2012*

Assisted in the direction of other ensembles such as orchestra, wind ensemble, and jazz band. Made detailed lesson plans, kept logs of progress, and assisted in managing budgets

References *(in no particular order)*

Denisse Vallecillos, rdvallecillos@gmail.com, 408.254.5904

Orchestra Director (Juan Diego Catholic High School)

John Kinzie, kinziedrums@comcast.net, 303.908.1080

Director of Percussion Studies (University of Denver), Principle Percussion (Colorado Symphony)

Mike Blake, michael.blake2@email.und.edu, 218.230.5677

Director of Percussion Studies (University of North Dakota)

Orien Landis, orien.landis@gmail.com, 918.625.0570

Director of Bands (Tooele High School), Director of Bands (American Fork High School)

Jed Blodgett, jed.blodgett@gmail.com, 801.636.2145

Former Percussion Director (Juan Diego Catholic High School)

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