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EDUCATION

- 2019 Ph.D. in Composition, Eastman School of Music, Rochester, NY
Dissertation: Behavior and Compositional Process in Georges Aperghis' *Luna Park*
Studied with: R. Zohn-Muldoon, D. Liptak, A. Schindler, C. Sanchez-Gutierrez, R. Morris
- 2010-2011 Fulbright Fellowship, Hochschule für Musik & Theater Hamburg, Germany
Studied with: Peter Michael Hamel, Manfred Stahnke
- 2010 Master of Music in Composition, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, NV
Studied with: Virko Baley, Jorge Villavicencio Grossmann
- 2008 Bachelor of Music in Composition, San José State University, CA
Bachelor of Arts in Music Technology w/Minor in Film
Studied with: Pablo Furman

PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS AND TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2018-present **Full-Time Lecturer** in Music Composition, Theory, and Electronic Music
College of Music, Mahidol University, Thailand
Private Composition Lessons, Spring 2019
Electroacoustic Composition I, Fall 2018
Electroacoustic Composition II, Spring 2019
Music in the Twentieth Century, Spring 2019
Contemporary Music Ensemble, Spring 2019
Western Music Theory II, Fall 2018
Western Music Theory III, Fall 2018
Western Music Theory IV, Spring 2019, Fall 2018
Sight Singing & Ear Training III, Fall 2018
- 2019 August **Composition Faculty** – Thailand International Composition Festival & Academy
- 2019 July **Composition Faculty** – Beyond Boundaries, Thailand New Music and Arts
- 2015-2017 **Composition Faculty** – Valencia International Performance Academy (Spain)
Summer 2017, Summer 2016, Summer 2015
- 2017 Spring **Mentor Composer**, University of Chicago, [Switch~ Ensemble] Spring residency
- 2014 Spring **Adjunct Instructor**, Eastman Computer Music Center, Eastman School of Music
Introduction to Computer Music II
Composition for Non-Majors
- 2014 Summer **Faculty Composer-in-Residence** – Chamber Music Campania (Italy)
- 2008-2010 **Adjunct Instructor** – University of Nevada, Las Vegas
Private Composition Lessons, Spring 2010, Fall 2009
Ear Training III, Spring 2010
Ear Training II, Fall 2009
Music Theory I, Spring 2009, Fall 2008
Ear Training I, Spring 2009, Fall 2008

Teaching Assistantships

- 2012-2014 **Assistant Conductor** – Eastman School of Music, University of Rochester
Eastman Musica Nova Ensemble, conductor Brad Lubman
- 2011-2014 **Teaching Assistant** – Eastman Computer Music Center
Introduction to Computer Music I & II
- 2008-2010 **Teaching Assistant** – University of Nevada, Las Vegas
Counterpoint
Form & Analysis
Composition Department
NEON Music Festival Coordinator
- 2006-2008 **Music Systems, Theory and Musicianship Tutor** – San José State University

PRIMARY CONDUCTING TEACHERS

- 2012-2014 Brad Lubman, Eastman School of Music
- 2008-2010 Takayoshi Suzuki, University of Nevada, Las Vegas

MASTERCLASSES AND LESSONS

- 2017 Chaya Czernowin, Steven Takasugi, Hans Tutschku
- 2016 Pierluigi Billone, Raphaël Cendo, Frédéric Durieux
- 2014 Georges Aperghis, Clemens Gadenstätter, Hans Thomalla, Marko Ciciliani,
Pierluigi Billone, José María Sánchez-Verdú, Chaya Czernowin
- 2013 Augusta Read Thomas, Brian Ferneyhough, Raphaël Cendo,
Hans Abrahamsen, Philippe Leroux
- 2012 Brian Ferneyhough, Georges Aperghis, Raphaël Cendo
- 2010-11 Steven Stucky, Ricardo Zohn-Muldoon, Augusta Read Thomas
- 2009 Kevin Puts, Robert Aldridge

LECTURES AS GUEST COMPOSER

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| 2019 Oct. | University of Texas at Austin, Butler School of Music Residency | Austin, TX |
| 2019 Apr. | University of Northern Colorado | Greeley, CO |
| 2019 Mar. | Eastman Audio Research Studio, Eastman School of Music | Rochester, NY |
| 2018 Nov. | Hamilton College Music Department | Clinton, NY |
| 2018 May | Embassy of Foreign Artists | Geneva, Switzerland |
| 2018 Feb. | Ithaca College Composition Seminar | Ithaca, NY |
| 2017 Nov. | Stanford University CCRMA Colloquium | Stanford, CA |
| 2017 Apr. | University of Virginia | Charlottesville, VA |
| 2017 Jan. | University of Chicago | Chicago, IL |
| 2016 Sep. | San Jose State University | San Jose, CA |
| 2016 Sep. | Vernon Salon Series | Oakland, CA |
| 2016 Sep. | NEON Music Festival, University of Nevada, Las Vegas | Las Vegas, NV |
| 2016 May | Portland State University | Portland, OR |
| 2016 Jan. | University of Chicago | Chicago, IL |
| 2015 Oct. | Bergen senter for Elektronisk Kunst (BEK) | Bergen, Norway |
| 2015 Apr. | University of Nevada, Las Vegas Music Department | Las Vegas, NV |

MUSIC FESTIVALS AS TEACHING FACULTY

- 2019 August Guest Composer, Thailand International Composition Festival
- 2019 July Guest Composer, Beyond Boundaries, Thailand New Music and Arts Symposium
- 2017 July Comp. Faculty & Exec. Dir., Valencia International Performance Academy & Festival, Spain
- 2016 July Composition Faculty & Executive Director, VIPA Festival, Spain
- 2015 July Composition Faculty & Executive Director, VIPA Festival, Spain
- 2014 June Composer-in-Residence, Chamber Music Campania, Italy

ARTIST RESIDENCIES

- 2018 Embassy of Foreign Artists, Geneva, Switzerland (6 months)
- 2017 Resident Artist, Brush Creek Foundation for the Arts, Wyoming (1 month)
- 2015 Artist in Residence USF Verftet, Bergen, Norway (3 months)

PERFORMANCES AS GUEST COMPOSER

A complete list of performances by work is available at the end of this CV.

- 2019 MATA Festival NYC, Hong Kong New Music Ensemble
Ensemble Interface, Transit Festival, Leuven, Belgium
Thailand International Composition Festival, Mahidol University, Thailand
Beyond Boundaries, Thailand New Music and Arts Symposium, Bangkok, Thailand
- 2017 TIME SPANS Festival, Talea Ensemble, DiMenna Center, NYC
Guest Lecturer/Artistic Director, the [Switch~ Ensemble], University of Chicago Residency
Hot Air Music Festival, San Francisco, CA
- 2016 NEON Music Festival, Mivos Quartet, University of Nevada, Las Vegas
Portland State University, Oregon
University of Richmond, Virginia
University of North Carolina at Greensboro
Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI
- 2015 Nominee for Gaudeamus Prize, Gaudeamus Muziekweek 2015, Utrecht, Netherlands
MATA Interval 8 Series, the [Switch~ Ensemble], DiMenna Center, NYC
University of Nevada, Las Vegas Music Department, NV
The Industry FIRST TAKE New American Opera Workshop, Los Angeles, CA
- 2014 Winner, Iron Composer International Composition Competition, Cleveland, OH
Internationales Musikinstitut Darmstadt: Contemporary Opera Workshop, Germany
Composer-in-Residence, Chamber Music Campania, Italy
Tzlil Meudcan International New Music Festival, Tel Aviv, Israel
NYC Electroacoustic Music Festival, Manhattan, NY
- 2013 Mizzou International Composers Festival, Alarm Will Sound, Columbia, MOs
June in Buffalo, Buffalo, NY

MUSIC FESTIVALS & ACADEMIES AS PARTICIPANT

- 2017 Earle Brown Music Foundation Academy, Talea Ensemble, NYC
- 2016 Royaumont, Académie Voix Nouvelles, Talea Ensemble & EXAUDI, France,
- 2015 Nominee for Gaudeamus Prize, Gaudeamus Muziekweek 2015, Utrecht, Netherlands
- 2014 Internationales Musikinstitut Darmstadt Contemporary Opera Workshop, Germany
Tzlil Meudcan International New Music Festival, Tel Aviv, Israel

- 2013 Mizzou International Composers Festival, Alarm Will Sound, Columbia, MO
June in Buffalo, Buffalo, NY
- 2012 Internationales Musikinstitut Darmstadt, Germany
- 2010 Brevard Music Institute and Festival, Brevard, NC
- 2009 Brevard Music Institute and Festival, Brevard, NC
Coordinator, Nevada Encounters of New Music, (NEON) Music Festival

COMMISSIONS

- 2019 **MATA Festival NYC**, Hong Kong New Music Ensemble, \$3,000
Thailand New Music and Arts Symposium: Beyond Boundaries, TACET(i) Ensemble
FÜNF+FÜNF Contrabass Clarinet & Percussion Festival, Berlin, Germany, €3,000
- 2018 **Embassy of Foreign Artists**, Geneva, Switzerland for *surface, tension*, 1,600 CHF
- 2017 **Royaumont, Académie Voix Nouvelles Ensemble**, France, for *ACTOR-NETWORK THEORY*, €2,000
Earle Brown Music Foundation, Talea Ensemble, Time Spans Festival, NYC for *PANIC ARCHITECTURE*
- 2016 **Royaumont, Académie Voix Nouvelles**, (FRs), Talea Ensemble+EXAUDI, *soliloquios del viento*,
- 2015 **Eklekto Geneva Percussion Center**, Switzerland, for *gimme shelter*, €3,000
New York Virtuoso Singers, Harold Rosenbaum, NYC, for *hunger fragments*, \$500
Gaudeamus Muziekweek for Slaagwerk Den Haag, Netherlands, for *walkside, losts*
BlueWater Chamber Orchestra, commissioned as winner of Iron Composer 2014, for *de/ter| |ior.ation*, \$500
Consortium led by Matthew Evans, 2015 World Saxophone Congress, Strasbourg, France, for *Second Study for Alto Saxophone, Electronics, and video: pulp*, \$1,200
- 2014 **Ensemble Nikel & Tzlil Meudcan** Int'l New Music Festival, Tel Aviv, Israel, *antistasis I*
Chamber Music Campania, Italy, & Fiati 5 Wind Quintet, Italy/USA, for *oggetti I*
- 2013 **International Horn Society**, Meir Rimmon Commissioning Assistance Program, Eastman
Musica Nova Ensemble, Brad Lubman, Jeff Nelsen, & Michael Walker, for *Double Concerto for Two Horns and Chamber Orchestra*, \$1,000
Alarm Will Sound, Mizzou Int'l Composers Festival, *Asymptotic Flux: Second Study in Entropy*
Iktus Percussion, for *...durat(a)ions: "broken landscape"*
the [Switch~ Ensemble]/Ossia New Music, *Asymptotic Flux: First Study in Entropy*
- 2012 **Michael Rene Torres**, North American Saxophone Alliance Conference, for *First Study for Alto Saxophone: doublethink*
Benson Creative Forum, collaboration w/ painter Anna Schuleit, MacArthur "Genius" Fellow, for *First Study for Piano and Electronics: absence*
- 2011 **German Fulbright-Kommission**, Thomas Heuser, Akademie der Künste Gala Concert

AWARDS, HONORS, GRANTS

- 2019 **UT Austin Global Classroom Curriculum Integration Grant** (Co-PI), \$7,000
- 2018 **Embassy of Foreign Artists**, Geneva, Switzerland, 6 Month Residency, 7,200 CHF
Nominee, ASCAP/SEAMUS Commission Competition (unable to attend), *Second Study for Alto Saxophone: pulp*
Finalist, Wet Ink Large Ensemble Readings
- 2017 *Honorable Mention*, The Nouveau Classical Project Commission
- 2016-17 **Raymond N. Ball Dissertation Year Fellowship**, University of Rochester, \$8,000
- 2016 **l'association des Amis de Royaumont**, Fellowship for Programme Voix Nouvelles, €1,000

- 2015 **Nominee, 2015 Gaudeamus Prize**, *Asymptotic Flux: Second Study in Entropy*
American-Scandinavian Foundation Grant, residency at USF Verftet, Bergen, \$4,500
ASCAP Morton Gould Young Composer Award, *Double Concerto*, \$4,500
Grant/Curator, the [Switch~ Ensemble] presents *Hunger* (P.III) on the MATA Interval 8 Series, DiMenna Center, NYC, \$3,500
Featured Composer, *Hunger*, The Industry's FIRST TAKE Opera Workshop, Yuval Sharon (Art. Director), M. Lowenstein (Mus. Director), S. Aston, L. Bohn, A. Dwan, & wild Up
ASCAP Plus Award, \$250
Honorable Mention, Kaleidoscope Chamber Orchestra 2015 Call for Scores
- 2014 **Winner, Iron Composer** 5-hour International Composition Competition, \$1,000
Howard Hanson Orchestral Prize, *Asymptotic Flux: Second Study in Entropy*, Eastman School of Music, \$500
ASCAP Morton Gould Young Composer Award *Second Study in Entropy*, \$1,250
Guest Performer Grant, *Double Concerto*, Eastman School, Various Dept. & Dean's Office, (PI) \$2,050
Darmstadt Internationales Musikinstitut Contemporary Opera Workshop (Germany)
Hunger with Ensemble Interface, D. Michel-Dansac, P. Hahn, S. Schreiber, L. Steier, H. Thomalla, S. Aston, B.K. Majewska, S. Storck
Travel Grant, Professional Development Committee, Eastman School of Music
Residency and performance at Chamber Music Campania, Italy, \$400
ASCAP Plus Award, \$250
- 2013 **Winner, newEar 4th Composers' Competition**, *Asymptotic Flux, First Study in Entropy*, \$500
Finalist, ASCAP Morton Gould Competition
ASCAP Plus Award, \$250
- 2012 **Belle S. Gitelman Award**, Eastman School of Music, \$500
2nd Prize, The American Prize, Orchestral Composition Competition
Finalist, ASCAP Morton Gould Competition
ASCAP Plus Award, \$250
- 2011-14 **Graduate Teaching Assistantship & Tuition Scholarship**, Eastman School of Music
2013-14 **Benson Scholarship**, Eastman School of Music
2011-13 **Imagination Scholarship**, Eastman School of Music
2010-11 **Fulbright Fellowship**, HfMT Hamburg (Germany), Full Research/Study Grant
2010 **Outstanding Graduate Student Award**, 2010, UNLV College of Fine Arts
Outstanding Graduating Graduate Student, Class of 2010, UNLV Music Department
- 2009 **Winner**, UNLV Cristina Valdés Solo Piano Composition Competition
Travel Grant, UNLV Arts & Humanities, TAD Wind Symphony Tokyo, Japan
- 2008 **Outstanding Senior Award**, SJSU School of Music & Dance

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE WITH THE [SWITCH~ ENSEMBLE]

- 2012-present **Artistic Director & Conductor**, the [Switch~ Ensemble]
Duties: As artistic director, conductor, founder, sound engineer, and electronic music performer, I oversee planning of artistic projects, festival performances, and academic residencies, technical operations including audio/video recording, editing, mixing, and mastering, the performance of works involving electronics and multimedia, concert programming, call for scores adjudication and selection of repertoire, commissions, pedagogical programs, fundraising, grant writing, marketing, publicity, and serve as conductor in performances of larger works. A new music ensemble for the 21st Century, [Switch~] is an ensemble dedicated to the creation and performance of works that fuse technology with live performance. [Switch~] began as the resident electroacoustic ensemble at the Eastman School of Music's Computer Music Center (ECMC), now EARS. www.switchensemble.com

[Switch~ Ensemble], Grants and Fundraising

- 2019 Ernst von Siemens Music Foundation, [Switch~ Ensemble] (Co-PI), 7,500 EUR

2018	New Music USA Project Grant, Funding for commission of Katharina Rosenberger, \$5,000 Amphion Foundation Grant, Funding for general operation expenses, \$2,000
2017	Crowdfunding Campaign, Funding for 2017-18 season, \$5,318 New Music USA Project Grant, Funding for Upstate and Western New York Tour, \$4,500 Amphion Foundation Grant, Funding for general operating expenses, \$1,500 Paul R. Judy Foundation, Funding for Upstate and Western New York Tour, \$1,500
2016	Crowdfunding Campaign, Funding for 2016-17 season \$1,813

[Switch~ Ensemble], Residencies & Festival Appearances

2019 Dec.	University of California, San Diego , Ensemble-in-Residence	San Diego, CA
2019 Oct.	Harvard Group for New Music , Ensemble-in-Residence	Cambridge, MA
2019 Mar.	Eastman Image/Sound Festival , Ensemble-in-Residence	Rochester, NY
2018 Sep.	Spectrum New Music NYC , Guest Ensemble	Brooklyn, NY
2018 Mar.	Buffalo State University , Guest Ensemble, conductor & tech	Buffalo, NY
2018 Mar.	Cornell University , Ensemble-in-Residence, conductor & tech	Ithaca, NY
2018 Mar.	Ithaca College , Reading session with graduate composers, conductor	Ithaca, NY
2018 Feb.	Bard College , Ensemble-in-Residence, conductor & tech	Annandale-on-Hudson, NY
2017 Dec.	Center for New Music , Guest Ensemble, conductor & tech	San Francisco, NY
2017 Dec.	Center for New Music and Audio Technologies (CNMAT, UC Berkeley) , Guest Ensemble, conductor & tech	Berkeley, CA
2017 May	University of Chicago , Ensemble-in-Residence, conductor & tech	Chicago, IL
2016 July	VIPA Festival , Ensemble-in-Residence, conductor & tech	Valencia, Spain
2016 June	Avaloch Farms Music Institute , Ensemble-in-Residence, conductor & tech	Avaloch, NH
2016 May	Queens New Music Festival , Guest Ensemble, conductor & tech.	Long Island City, NY
2016 Sep.	Kent State University , Vanguard New Music Series, Guest Ensemble	Kent, OH
2015 May	MATA Interval 8 Series , tech, curation, and theatrical direction	Manhattan, NY
2014 June	New York City Electroacoustic Music Festival , Guest Ensemble	Manhattan, NY

[Switch~ Ensemble], Commercial Discography

2014	<i>Smoke & Mirrors</i> , Christopher Chandler, [Switch~ Ensemble]	Music from SEAMUS - Vol.23
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[Switch~ Ensemble], A/V Recordings as Engineer & Editor (Highlights)

	All audio and video documentation recorded, edited, and mixed by Jason Thorpe Buchanan	
2019-10-04	Harvard University Residency	Cambridge, MA
	Works by Harvard Composers TBA	
2019-03-28	Image/Sound Festival, Eastman School of Music Residency	Rochester, NY
	Works by Reilly Spitzfaden [^] , Kitty Xiao [^] , Natasha Diels, Dai Fujikura, Igor C. Silva	
	Diels: youtu.be/027U5OPm7bE	
	Silva: youtu.be/lspDg8r0FVQ	
2019-02-28	Areté Venue and Gallery	Brooklyn, NY
	Works by Adrien Trybucki [^] , Sivan Eldar, Esaias Järnegard [^] , Timothy McCormack [^] **	
2019-02-26	Brooklyn College	Brooklyn, NY
	Works by Clara Iannotta, Timothy McCormack, Nathan Davis, Salvatore Sciarrino	
2018-09-14	Spectrum, NYC “Spectral Fridays”	Brooklyn, NY
	Works by Piyawat Louilarpprasert [^] , Chaya Czernowin, Clara Iannotta, Katherina Balch, T. McCormack	
2018-03-06	Buffalo State University Residency	Buffalo, NY
	Works by Victoria Cheah [*] , Tomas Henriques, Matt Sargent [^] , D. Edward Davis	
	Cheah: youtube.com/watch?v=V4bu6xW4nFU	
	Davis: youtube.com/watch?v=eAP1t-kQJDE	
2018-03-02	Cornell University Residency Concert #2	Ithaca, NY
	Works by Marianthi Papalexandri-Alexandri, Kevin Ernste, Jihyun Kim [^] , Sergio Cote [^] *, Matt Sargent [^]	
	Sargent: youtube.com/watch?v=MBC-1Qb4NFI	
	Cote: youtube.com/watch?v=DkVZ9rSVSZ8	

2018-03-01	Cornell University Residency Concert #1 Works by Tonia Ko, Piyawat Louilarpprasert*, Barry Sharp^*, Daniel Reza Sabzghabaei^*, Roberto Sierra Louilarpprasert: youtube.com/watch?v=CP0r3PXeMwI	Ithaca, NY
2018-02-27	Telluride House, Cornell University Works by Alican Çamci^, D. Edward Davis, Morton Feldman	Ithaca, NY
2018-02-25	Bard College Residency Works by Matt Sargent^*, Alican Çamci^, D. Edward Davis, Tonia Ko, Morton Feldman	Annandale-on-Hudson, NY
2018-02-24	WAAM Woodstock Artists Association Works by Clara Allsion^*, Henry Birdsey^*, Telo Hoy^*, Matt Sargent	Woodstock, NY
2017-12-13	San Francisco Center for New Music Works by Fausto Romitelli, Tonia Ko, Elvira Garifzyanova**, Santiago Diez-Fischer**, Sivan Eldar, Victor Ibarra	San Francisco, CA
2017-12-13	Call for Scores, Center for New Music Works by Aida Shirazi, Danny Clay^*, Andrew Harlan^*, Daniel Meyer-O'Keefe^*, Julie Herndon^*	San Francisco, CA
2017-12-12	UC Berkeley Residency Works by Fausto Romitelli, Tonia Ko, Sivan Eldar, Victor Ibarra**, Josh Levine, Max Murray Eldar: www.youtube.com/watch?v=Q1qHFPtp18s	Berkeley, CA
2017-05-14	University of Chicago Residency, Elastic Arts Works by Katherine Young, Elvira Garifzyanova**, Pierce Gradone^*, Joungbum Lee^*, Will Myers^*	Chicago, IL
2017-05-12	University of Chicago Residency, Mana Contemporary Timothy Page^*, Anna-Louise Walton**, Alican Çamci^*, Reiny Rolock^*, Max Murray	Chicago, IL
2017-04-26	University of Richmond Residency Works by Chris Chandler, Eric Wubbels, Jonathan Harvey, Alex Mincek, Jason Thorpe Buchanan	Richmond, VA
2016-12-16	Vernon Salon Series Works by Ben Isaacs, Chris Chandler, Max Murray, Matt Sargent, Anthony Pateras	Oakland, CA
2016-12-14	San Francisco Center for New Music Works by Ben Isaacs, Chris Chandler, Max Murray, Lisa Streich, Matt Sargent, Anthony Pateras Pateras: www.youtube.com/watch?v=0AEUCtw1zrQ Sargent: www.youtube.com/watch?v=dtEEal5T28w	San Francisco, CA
2016-09-25	Vanguard New Music Guest Artist Series, Kent State University Works by Eric Wubbels, Jonathan Harvey, Alex Mincek, Jason Thorpe Buchanan	Kent, OH
2016-07-13	VIPA Festival, Ensemble-in-Residence Works by Rand Steiger**, Tyler Gilmore^*, Stefano Gervasoni**, Theocharis Papatrechas^*, James Bean^*, Igor Santos^*, Timothy McCormack^* McCormack: soundcloud.com/timothy-mccormack/karst-survey-2016-the-switch-ensemble	Valencia, Spain
2016-07-09	VIPA Festival, Ensemble-in-Residence Works by Anna Walton^*, Rand Steiger**, Jeremy Corren^*, Matthew Arrellin^*, Namhoon Kim^*, Baldwin Giang**, Samuel Gillies^* Walton: www.youtube.com/watch?v=BP9b-C1nprs	Valencia, Spain
2016-05-22	Queens New Music Festival Works by Chris Chandler, Lisa Streich, Clay Mettens, Santiago Diéz Fischer**, Anthony Vine, Alexander Schubert**	Long Island City, NY
2015-05-15	MATA Interval Series Works by Zach Sheets^*, Stylianos Dimou^*, Stefan Prins**, Wojtek Blecharz, Jason Thorpe Buchanan^* Thorpe Buchanan: soundcloud.com/jasonbuchanan/hunger-part-iii-scene-2-m61-the-switch-ensemble-mata-interval-series	Manhattan, NY
2015-10-27	Eastman Computer Music Center Concert Works by Rand Steiger, Henk Badings, Jonathan Harvey	Rochester, NY
2013-11-20	Eastman Computer Music Center Concert Works by Philippe Leroux, Christopher Chandler Leroux: www.youtube.com/watch?v=H0YE5RGodfk	Rochester, NY

*Indicates world premiere

**National Premiere

^Indicates a work commissioned by or written for the [Switch~ Ensemble]

FESTIVAL AND CONFERENCE ADMINISTRATION

- 2019 **Academy Director**, Thailand International Composition Festival, music.mahidol.ac.th/ticf
Founding international academy director for existing 5-day TICF Festival/competition. *Duties*: Call for applications, participant selection, scheduling concerts and rehearsal, fundraising for guest ensembles and faculty, coordinating composer and technical needs, preparing programs and pedagogical events, lessons, managing student staff. Sound engineer during concerts. Ensembles-in-Residence: Hong Kong New Music Ensemble, Duo Ostinato (France).
- 2014-2017 **Executive Director**, Valencia International Performance Academy (VIPA), Spain
Founding executive director of the composition program and 10-days festival for contemporary

music. *Duties:* Managed all technical components of the festival including audio and video documentation, web design, graphic design, post-production of media, marketing and social media. Scheduling, finances, fundraising, grant writing, call for applications, concert production, and managing staff, interns, and work fellowship holders. Liaison to ensembles, faculty, soloists, and students. Worked alongside artistic director Carlos Amat of the Conservatorio Superior de Música Joaquín Rodrigo in Valencia. Ensembles-in-residence: Mivos Quartet, Ensemble Interface (DE), Smash Ensemble (SP), the [Switch~ Ensemble], B3:Brouwer Trio (SP), NOMOS Group (SP), Alxarq Percussió (SP), Eastman Broadband Ensemble, flute soloist Erik Drescher (DE), piano soloist Jenny Lin. Faculty members have included S. Gervasoni, R. Steiger, J.V. Grossman, R. Zohn-Muldoon, J.M. Sánchez-Verdú, M. Wagner, J.T. Buchanan, G. Jiménez, and others. Guests included T. McCormack, J. Bean, C. Sanchez-Gutierrez, C. Cano, and more. www.vipafestival.org

- 2008 **Festival Coordinator**, Nevada Encounters of New Music Festival (NEON)
Duties: Produced an international festival in Las Vegas with a dozen student composers, scheduling, rehearsals, concerts, programs, marketing. Liaison to ensemble and composers. Faculty: Ricard-Zohn-Muldoon, Augusta Read Thomas, Tom Flaherty Ensemble-in-Residence: Talea Ensemble.

SERVICE AND LEADERSHIP

Departmental, College of Music, Mahidol University

- 2019 **Departmental Program Review Committee**, Theory & Composition Department
Duties: Examine current program curriculum and redesign syllabi for theory sequence, contemporary ensemble course, electronic music courses, and History of 20th Century Music.

Departmental, University of Nevada, Las Vegas

- 2009-2010 **Graduate Assistant**, Composition Area/Nextet New Music Ensemble, UNLV
 Produced 6 concerts each year featuring works of student and guest composers.

External

- 2017-2019 **Curator**, San Francisco Center for New Music, www.centerfornewmusic.com
 Curated and produced 6 concerts per year with guest artists and ensembles.
- 2012-2014 **Board Member, Treasurer, Technical Director**, Ossia New Music
 Student run new music ensemble at the Eastman School of Music. *Duties:* Produced concerts including works of Romitelli, Donatoni, Francesconi, Scelsi, Papatrechas, Harvey, Stockhausen, Rihm, Ligeti, Feldman, Takemitsu, Lindberg, Chandler, Bates, Garner, Akiho, Crumb, Zohn-Muldoon, Chin, Saariaho, Haas, and more. Worked with Ossia President and Office of the Dean to manage the organization's budget. Conducted two international composition competitions and served as adjudicator. www.ossianewmusic.org
- 2012-2013 **Coordinator**, Eastman Graduate Composers' Sinfonietta
Duties: Produced 2 concerts each year of new works by graduate student composers. Managed the ensemble budget, worked with Eastman administration and student composers, scheduled concerts, rehearsal, and recruited performers.
- 2007-2012 **Director & Founder**, Melos Music Composers Consortium & Concert Series
 Produced concerts in Chicago, San Francisco, Philadelphia, and released a CD of composer members' works recorded in San Francisco. *Duties:* Created an LLC and national concert series, website design and marketing, released two CDs of works by composers members.

STUDIO PROJECTS

- 2018 Nov. **Remote Studio Installation**, College of Music, Mahidol University
- Built a new mobile Electroacoustic Music Studio in the College of Music's D Building.
 - Worked with Equipment Services to secure equipment necessary for an electroacoustic concert series in various spaces, including two in the Southeast Asia Music Museum.
- 2013 **Studio Renovation**, Eastman Computer Music Center
- Cleared out, reorganized, and recabled the computer and audio systems in the ECMC's 5.1-channel surround and 8.1-channel ambisonic studios
 - Worked with Physical Plant department to install a 55-inch LCD display.
 - Installed a dual monitor desktop switch to allow switching between OSX and Linux computers in both studios.

- ## AUDIO AND VIDEO RECORDING, MIXING, EDITING

- ## OTHER CURATION, DIRECTION, & A/V RECORDINGS AS ENGINEER & EDITOR

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2018-01-16	D U C K R U B B E R , Center for New Music Works by Feldmann, Krebs, Katharina Rosenberger, Wyttenbach	San Francisco, CA
2017-07-02	Smash Ensemble , VIPA Festival Works by Aaron N. Price ^{^*} , Nicolas Chuaqui ^{^*} , Nathanael Gubler ^{^*} , Hallie Smith ^{^*} , Sun Bin Kim ^{^*} , Jorge V. Grossmann ^{^*} Grossmann: bit.ly/2PuStsr	Valencia, Spain
2017-07-07	Mivos Quartet , VIPA Festival Works by Jacob Sachs-Mishalanie ^{^*} , Zach Pierce ^{^*} , Stefano Gervasoni, Yip Ho Kwen Austin ^{^*} , Kai-Young Chan ^{^*} , Stephin Yip ^{^*} , Nathaniel Haering ^{^*} Sachs-Mishalanie: youtu.be/wbYmuYaEby4 Haering: youtube.com/watch?v=7kcsrnkM7Q0	Valencia, Spain
2017-07-06	Erik Drescher , VIPA Festival Works by Parker Callister ^{^*} , Amando Bono ^{^*} , Evan Anderson ^{^*} , Ian Evans Guthrie ^{^*} , Alvin Lucier, Diana Marcela Rodriguez ^{^*} , Phil Nilblock	Valencia, Spain
2017-07-02	Ensemble Interface , VIPA Festival Works by Victoria Cheah ^{^*} , Stefano Gervasoni, Gregorio Jiménez, Christopher Mitchell ^{^*} , Melinda Wagner ^{**} , Jason Thorpe Buchanan ^{^*}	Valencia, Spain
2017-07-30	Ensemble Interface , VIPA Festival Works by Adam Kennaugh ^{^*} , Andrew Koss ^{^*} , Andrzej Karalow ^{^*} , Lisa Cheney ^{^*} , Jason Balthazar Eldridge ^{^*} , Stefano Gervasoni ^{**} , José María Sánchez-Verdú	Valencia, Spain
2017-05-31	Phil Pierick , saxophone, Center for New Music Works by Kati Agócs, Marcos Balter, Javier Quisiant, Stefano Gervasoni, David Reminick, Lei Liang	San Francisco, CA
2017-05-26	Kyle Motl: Transmogrifications , Center for New Music	San Francisco, CA
2016-07-15	Erik Drescher , VIPA Festival Works by Michèle Rusconi ^{^*} , Duncan Krummel ^{^*} , Luke Martin ^{^*} , Andrew Harlan ^{^*} , Salvatore Sciarrino ^{**} , Michael Maierhof ^{**} Martin: www.youtube.com/watch?v=TLfg93NRsQE	Valencia, Spain
2016-07-14	Mivos Quartet , VIPA Festival Works by John Liberatore ^{^*} , Joungbum Lee ^{^*} , Francisco del Pino ^{^*} , Shiuan Chang ^{^*} , Shin Mizutani ^{^*} , Benjamin Zucker ^{^*} , Jorge V. Grossmann	Valencia, Spain

*Indicates world premiere

**National Premiere

[^]Indicates a work commissioned by or written for the [Switch~ Ensemble]

COMMERCIAL DISCOGRAPHY AS COMPOSER

2012	<i>Asymptotic Flux: First Study in Entropy</i> , 3 rd Annual Melos Music Concert	Melos Music (USA)
2012	<i>Berlin Songs</i> , 2 nd Annual Melos New Music Concert	Melos Music (USA)
2010	<i>A Zarzuela & Other Lost Works</i> , Tad Wind Symphony v.8	Windstream (Japan)

COMMERCIAL DISCOGRAPHY AS CONDUCTOR

2019	<i>lamento</i> by Igor Santos, [Switch~ Ensemble]	Sound For Your Ears (USA)
2014	<i>Smoke & Mirrors</i> , Christopher Chandler, [Switch~ Ensemble]. Music from SEAMUS-Vol.23	
2011	<i>Wanderer Moon</i> by Tonia Ko, <i>Butterflies and Dragons</i> by Daniel Temkin, and <i>Berlin Songs</i> by Jason Thorpe Buchanan, Musicians from Nonsemble6 and San Francisco Conservatory, 2 nd Annual Melos New Music Concert	Melos Music (USA)

REVIEWS

“Jason Thorpe Buchanan's *Hunger*, loosely based Knut Hamsun's novel, is a kind of training session in mental disintegration. Darcie Dennigan's libretto is elliptical... An ungodly opera needs ugly music, singers who produce primal sounds, an electric guitar that sounds scraped raw, a wailing orchestra effects, cuts the ear like a knife. Buchanan delivers.”

- Mark Swed, Los Angeles Times (*HUNGER*, The Industry's FIRST TAKE 2015 with wild Up)

“an unearthly collage of sounds... though conceptually direct, the resulting sounds were delightfully ambiguous: frantic joy could be as easily heard as extreme distemperment.”

- Daniel J. Kushner, New Music Box (*Asymptotic Flux: First Study in Entropy*, June in Buffalo)

“The plain speaking poetry of Katherine Thorpe glittered in this setting, all sharp colors and piano notes like drops of water... shimmering.”

- Adam Broner, Piedmont Post (*Berlin Songs*, 2nd Annual Melos Music Festival, San Francisco)

“Rowdy and Raucous” - Jacob Gotlib, ARTx FM (*Double Concerto for Two Horns and Chamber Orchestra*)

RADIO

- 2015 Sep. VPRO/Gaudeamus Muziekweek interviews, profile, broadcasts, Netherlands
- 2015 May WCLV Cleveland Radio interview, ClevelandClassical.com interview & composer profile
- 2014 Sep. Winner, 2014 International Iron Composer Competition, Live on Air WCLV, Cleveland
- 2014 May *Double Concerto* featured on ARTxFM's radio show "Muddle Instead of Music"

PUBLICATIONS

- 2015 Apr. *Behavior and Compositional Process in Georges Aperghis' "Luna Park"*. ProQuest/UMI.
- 2015 Feb. NewClassic.la interview and composer profile
- 2013 Spr. *First Study for Piano and Electronics: absence* featured in *Manor House Quarterly*

TECHNICAL QUALIFICATIONS

Music Software:

- Expert Max/MSP/Jitter, Pro Tools, Finale, Logic Pro, Digital Performer, Adobe Audition, Pure Data, Kontakt, Waves Plugins, Spear, Reaktor, iZotope RX, Audacity
- Intermediate Csound, Audiosculpt, Mammut, SoundHack, Supercollider, Sibelius, Ableton Live

Non-Music Software:

- Expert Final Cut Pro, Microsoft Office Suite, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, Adobe Dreamweaver, Adobe Lightroom, Scrivener, Syphon
- Intermediate After Effects, InDesign, Processing, Adobe Premiere

Programming and Markup Languages:

- Expert HTML, CSS, PHP, Wordpress
- Intermediate Javascript, Python, Ruby, Git

Languages Spoken

- Fluent English
- Intermediate German
- Beginner Spanish, French, Thai, Italian

Miscellaneous Technical Areas of Expertise

Live video processing, Video documentation and editing, Live sound, Audio mixing and production, Ambisonics, Analog Audio Hardware, Arduino, Film Scoring, Computer Assisted Composition (Open Music & Max), Panasonic Gh4 Cameras

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- Society for ElectroAcoustic Music in the United States (SEAMUS)
- American Composers Forum (ACF)
- Society of Composers Incorporated (SCI)
- American Society of Composers, Authors, and Publishers (ASCAP)
- College Music Society
- Chamber Music America (Switch~ Ensemble)
- International Exchange Alumni
- Fulbright Association & Alumni

LIST OF WORKS

A complete list of performances by work is available at the end of this CV.

A media-rich portfolio can be found here: www.jasonthorpebuchanan.com/ThorpeBuchanan_Portfolio.pdf

- 2020 **Hunger: A Multimedia Opera in Four Parts** (*approx. 105'*)
- 2019 **New Work** (23') for fl, b.cl, pno, perc, 2 vlms, vla, vc, electronics, and video
New Work (16') for two contrabass clarinetists, three percussionists, electronics, and video processing
New Work (8') for fl, cl, sax, tbn, perc, gtr., keyboard, vln, vc, and electronics
- 2018 **surface, tension** (13') for two percussionists, electronics, and live video processing
 Video: vimeo.com/306876693
- 2017 **ACTOR-NETWORK THEORY** (10') for soprano, b.fl, b.cl., perc, hp, pno, vln, vla, vc, & elec.
 Video (excerpts): vimeo.com/306331445 Score: bit.ly/2xR4zW6
PANIC ARCHITECTURE (8') for sinfonietta (1.1.1.1-1.1.1.0- 2 perc., harp, piano, strings) & elec.
 Video: vimeo.com/245320082 Score: bit.ly/2yzGr7q
soliloquios del viento (14') for flute, clarinet, piano, percussion, violin, cello, and electronics
 Audio: bit.ly/2fyBwfD Score: bit.ly/2xN7tdU
- 2016 **soliloquios del viento** (14') for six singers (sop, mz, ct, ten, bari, bass) and eight instrumentalists
 Audio: bit.ly/2fyBwfD Score: bit.ly/2xN7tdU
- 2015 **hunger fragments** (7') for sixteen solo voices
 Score: bit.ly/2xFmaAq
gimme shelter (14') for percussion trio, electronics, and video processing
 Video: vimeo.com/312736806 Score: bit.ly/2fGcqIB
walkside, lost (10') for percussion trio, electronics, and video processing
 Video: vimeo.com/140159929 Score: bit.ly/2ffKi3X
de/ter| |ior.ation (10') for chamber orchestra: (2.2.2.1 - 1.2.0.0 - Timp+1 Perc - Strings)
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 Video: vimeo.com/148583261 Audio: bit.ly/2kaJmB8 Score: bit.ly/2xI2byx
Second Study for Alto Saxophone: pulp (13') for alto saxophone, electronics, and video processing
 Video (excerpts): vimeo.com/207523271 Audio: bit.ly/2xRE7LS Score: bit.ly/2hDPm4y
Hunger (Part III) (25') for three singers, a.fl, b.cl., b.sax, e-gtr, vln, vc, pno, perc, elec, & video projection
 Video (Scene 1): vimeo.com/111313656 Audio (Scene 2): bit.ly/2fY0eXe Score: bit.ly/2hBuJpq
- 2014 **oggetti 2.b** (2') for viola, cello, contrabass, and electronics
antistasis I (6') for saxophone, piano, and percussion
 Video: youtu.be/S_tkvKRIJcs Score: bit.ly/2hCwenk
oggetti I (Omaggio a Sciarrino) (4') for wind quintet (alto flute, oboe, clarinet, bassoon, horn)
 Video: vimeo.com/109020216 Score: bit.ly/2x2iQ2V
Double Concerto for Two Horns & Chamber Orchestra (9') for 1.1.2.1-4.1.1.0-3 prc, pno, strings
 Video: vimeo.com/110432545 Score: bit.ly/2fzdwZS
- 2013 **...durat(A)ions: "broken landscape"** (13') for four percussionists (indefinite pitch multi-percussion)
 Video: youtu.be/rGdumjQBYB8 Score: bit.ly/2hDVfP2
Asymptotic Flux: Second Study in Entropy (8') for sinfonietta 1.1.2.1 – 1.1.1.0 – 2 perc, pno, strings
 Video: vimeo.com/109624253 Score: bit.ly/2fEYTHR
- 2012 **Asymptotic Flux: First Study in Entropy** (7') for b.cl, vln, vla & vc
 Video: vimeo.com/123763683 Score: bit.ly/2xQwDbZ
First Study for Piano and Electronics: absence (12') for piano & electronics
First Study for Alto Saxophone: doublethink (2012) – 11'
 New Video and Audio recordings (forthcoming): jasonthorpebuchanan.com/media.html
- 2011 **Berlin Songs** (18') for soprano, baritone, fl, cl, b.cl, 2 vlms, 2 vlcs, pno & 2 perc.

PERFORMANCE HISTORY (AS COMPOSER)

New Work (*in progress*, 2019)

2019-11-29 MATA Festival, Hong Kong New Music Ensemble New York, NY

New Work (*in progress*, 2019)

2019-07-08 TACET(i) Ensemble, Thailand New Music and Arts Symposium Bangkok, Thailand

surface, tension (2018)

2018-05-26 Alexandra Bellon & Anne Briset Geneva, Switzerland

2019-01-07 Chin Chinnapat and Vinn Temsittichok, Mahidol University Bangkok, Thailand

ACTOR-NETWORK THEORY (2017)

2017-09-08 Voix Nouvelles Ensemble, Royaumont Asnières-sur-Oise, France

PANIC ARCHITECTURE (2017)

2017-08-02 Talea Ensemble, Time Spans Festival, DiMenna Center, J.Means, conductor Manhattan, NY

soliloquios del viento (2017, sextet version)

2019-08-09 Hong Kong New Music Ensemble, TICF Academy & Festival Bangkok, Thailand

2019-10-19 Ensemble Interface, Transit Festival Leuven, Belgium

2017-07-02 Ensemble Interface, VIPA Festival Valencia, Spain

soliloquios del viento (2016)

2016-09-09 Talea Ensemble & EXAUDI, Royaumont, James Baker, conductor Asnières-sur-Oise, France

hunger fragments (2015)

2015-11-29 NY Virtuoso Singers, National Sawdust Brooklyn, NY

gimme shelter (2015)

2015-11-14 Eklekto Percussion, L'Abri – Espace culturel Geneva, Switzerland

walkside, lost (2015)

2015-09-13 Slagwerk Den Haag, TivoliVredenburg, Gaudeamus Muziekweek Utrecht, Netherlands

Hunger (Part III; 2014-15)

2015-05-15 MATA Interval 8 Series, the [Switch~ Ensemble] with S.Burgos, L.Dhegrae, J.Gavett, conductor D.Bassin, directed by Jason Thorpe Buchanan Manhattan, NY

2015-02-21 The Industry FIRST TAKE New American Opera Workshop Los Angeles, CA
Yuval Sharon (Art.Dir), Marc Lowenstein (Mus.Dir), S.Aston, L.Bohn, A.Dwan & wild Up

2014-08-15 Internationales Musikinstitut Darmstadt Contemporary Opera Workshop Darmstadt, DE
Ensemble Interface, S.Schreiber, L.Steier, S.Aston, B.K.Majewska, S.Storck

2014-08-14 Internationales Musikinstitut Darmstadt Contemporary Opera Workshop Darmstadt, DE
Ensemble Interface, S.Schreiber, L.Steier, S.Aston, B.K.Majewska, S.Storck

Second Study for Alto Saxophone: pulp (2015)

2019-01-07 Nitchan Pitayathorn - Mahidol University Bangkok, Thailand

2018-12-20 Nitchan Pitayathorn - Mahidol University Bangkok, Thailand

2017-04-26 Matt Evans - University of Richmond Richmond, VA

2017-03-06 Casey Grev - Center for New Music San Francisco, CA

2017-03-05 Casey Grev - Hot Air Music Festival, San Francisco Conservatory San Francisco, CA

2016-09-25 Matt Evans - Kent State University Kent, OH

2016-05-14 Sean Fredenburg - Portland State University Portland, OR

2016-04-29 Emily Loboda - University of Richmond Richmond, VA

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2016-04-24	Emily Loboda - University of North Carolina, Greensboro	Greensboro, NC
2016-03-11	Casey Grey - Michigan State University	East Lansing, MI
2015-07-14	Matt Evans - World Saxophone Congress	Strasbourg, France
de/ter ior.ation (2015)		
in/ minate		
2015-05-09	Blue Water Chamber Orchestra, Jason Thorpe Buchanan, conductor	Cleveland, OH
oggetti 2.b (2014)		
2014-09-26	Ingenuity Festival, Great Lakes Science Center	Cleveland, OH
antistasis I (2014)		
2014-07-10	Ensemble Nikel, Tzvil Meudcan International New Music Festival	Tel Aviv, Israel
oggetti I (Omaggio a Sciarrino) (2014)		
2014-06-25	Chamber Music Campania, Jason Thorpe Buchanan, conductor	Lucera, Italy
Double Concerto for Two Horns and Chamber Orchestra (2014)		
2014-03-21	Eastman Musica Nova Ensemble, Brad Lubman, conductor	Rochester, NY
...durat(A)ions: “broken landscape” (2013)		
2015-04-18	UNLV Perc. Ens., collaboration with Lighting Design Dept.	Las Vegas, NV
2015-04-17	UNLV Perc. Ens., collaboration with Lighting Design Dept.	Las Vegas, NV
2015-04-13	UNLV Perc. Ens., collaboration with Lighting Design Dept.	Las Vegas, NV
2013-10-04	Iktus Percussion, Eastman School of Music	Rochester, NY
Asymptotic Flux: Second Study in Entropy (2013)		
2015-09-09	Insomnio, Gaudeamus Muziekweek 2015	Utrecht, Netherlands
2013-07-27	Alarm Will Sound	Columbia, MO
Asymptotic Flux: First Study in Entropy (2012)		
2015-09-16	NEON Festival, MIVOS Quartet + Madison Greenstone	Las Vegas, NV
2015-09-09	New European Ensemble, Gaudeamus Muziekweek, 2015	Utrecht, Netherlands
2015-07-24	MIVOS Quartet + Madison Greenstone	Valencia, Spain
2014-06-02	New York City Electroacoustic Music Festival, the [Switch~ Ensemble]	New York, NY
2013-06-07	June in Buffalo, Ensemble Linea	Buffalo, NY
2012-12-07	Melos 3 rd Annual New Music Concert, ensemble39	Philadelphia, PA
2012-11-12	ECMC Concert, the [Switch~ Ensemble]	Rochester, NY
2012-10-04	Ossia New Music Concert, the [Switch~ Ensemble]	Rochester, NY
First Study for Piano and Electronics: absence (2012)		
2012-04-17	Benson Creative Forum, Daniel Pesca, piano	Rochester, NY
First Study for Alto Saxophone: doublethink (2012)		
2013-04-18	East(a)lia, Michel Bianchini, saxophone	Rochester, NY
2012-10-25	Allison Balcetis, New Music at The Bohemia	Admontion, Alberta
2012-05-07	Eastman School of Music – Diane Hunger, saxophone	Rochester, NY
2012-03-15	N.A.S.A., Michael Rene Torres, saxophone	Tempe, AZ
Berlin Songs (2011)		
2011-10-13	Eastman Composers’ Forum, Jason Thorpe Buchanan, conductor	Rochester, NY
2011-08-19	2 nd Annual Melos Music Concert, J.T.Buchanan, conductor	San Francisco, CA
2011-03-22	Fulbright Annual Pan-European Conference/Gala Concert	Berlin, Germany

PERFORMANCE HISTORY (AS CONDUCTOR)

2019-02-28	<i>Infinite Extension</i> by Adrien Trybucki, for sextet and electronics, world premiere the [Switch~ Ensemble] – Areté Venue & Gallery	Brooklyn, NY
2019-02-28	<i>Songs for Antonin</i> by Esaïas Järnegard, for septet and electronics, world premiere the [Switch~ Ensemble] – Areté Venue & Gallery	Brooklyn, NY
2019-02-15	<i>Strayed</i> by Pichak Siripanich, for septet, soprano voice, and electronics Mahidol Contemporary Ensemble – College of Music, Mahidol University	Thailand
2019-02-15	<i>Replacement</i> by Pichak Siripanich, for quintet and electronics Mahidol Contemporary Ensemble – College of Music, Mahidol University	Thailand
2018-03-06	<i>Unwound Path</i> by Matt Sargent, for sextet the [Switch~ Ensemble] – Buffalo State University Residency	Buffalo, NY
2018-03-02	<i>Unwound Path</i> by Matt Sargent, for sextet the [Switch~ Ensemble] – Cornell University Residency Video: www.youtube.com/watch?v=MBC-1Qb4NFI	Ithaca, NY
2018-03-02	<i>Once Upon a Time...</i> by Jihyun Kim, for sextet, world premiere the [Switch~ Ensemble] – Cornell University Residency	Ithaca, NY
2018-02-25	<i>Unwound Path</i> by Matt Sargent, for sextet, world premiere the [Switch~ Ensemble] – Bard College Residency	Annandale-on-Hudson, NY
2017-12-13	<i>Química del agua</i> by Victor Ibarra, for quintet, American Premiere the [Switch~ Ensemble] – UC Berkeley Hertz Hall	Berkeley, CA
2017-12-12	<i>Química del agua</i> by Victor Ibarra, for quintet, American Premiere the [Switch~ Ensemble] – San Francisco Center for New Music	San Francisco, CA
2017-05-14	<i>pa-an</i> by Joungbum Lee, for sextet and electronics, world premiere the [Switch~ Ensemble] – University of Chicago Residency	Chicago, IL
2016-07-13	<i>lamento</i> by Igor Santos, for sextet and electronics, world premiere the [Switch~ Ensemble] – 2016 VIPA Festival	Valencia, Spain
2016-07-09	<i>Komorebi</i> by Namhoon Kim, for quartet, world premiere the [Switch~ Ensemble] – 2016 VIPA Festival Video: www.youtube.com/watch?v=1VOjrRp7S6w	Valencia, Spain
2016-05-22	<i>Smoke & Mirrors</i> by Christopher Chandler, for sextet and electronics the [Switch~ Ensemble] – 2016 Queens New Music Festival	Long Island City, NY
2015-05-09	<i>de/ter </i> <i>ior.ation</i> by Jason Thorpe Buchanan, for chamber orchestra, world premiere Blue Water Chamber Orchestra – guest composer/conductor Video: vimeo.com/148583261	Cleveland, OH
2014-04-25	<i>Oggetti I</i> by Jason Thorpe Buchanan, for quintet, world premiere the Fiati 5 – June 2014 Chamber Music Campania, Lucera (Italy) Video: vimeo.com/109020216	Lucera, Italy
2014-06-02	<i>Asymptotic Flux</i> by Jason Thorpe Buchanan, for quartet and electronics the [Switch~ Ensemble] – 2014 NYC Electroacoustic Music Festival	Manhattan, NY
2014-06-02	<i>Smoke & Mirrors</i> by Christopher Chandler, for sextet and electronics the [Switch~ Ensemble] – 2014 NYC Electroacoustic Music Festival Video: www.youtube.com/watch?v=cKzJ15zQh40	Manhattan, NY
2014-04-14	<i>TsTs</i> by Bryan Jacobs, for octet and electronics the [Switch~ Ensemble] – Eastman Computer Music Concert Video: www.youtube.com/watch?v=TZPGeIO4478	Rochester, NY
2013-11-20	<i>Voi(rex)</i> by Philippe Leroux the [Switch~ Ensemble] – Eastman Computer Music Concert Video: www.youtube.com/watch?v=H0YE5RGodfk	Rochester, NY
2013-11-20	<i>Smoke & Mirrors</i> by Christopher Chandler the [Switch~ Ensemble] – Eastman Computer Music Concert.	Rochester, NY
2013-04-08	<i>Märchenbilder</i> by Hans Abrahamsen Eastman Musica Nova Ensemble – Abrahamsen Portrait Concert	Rochester, NY
2013-03-29	<i>UR</i> by Magnus Lindberg the [Switch~ Ensemble] – OSSIA New Music Concert.	Rochester, NY

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2013-03-21	<i>Delusive Proximity</i> by Stylianos Dimou, for sinfonietta, American premiere Eastman Graduate Composers' Sinfonietta	Rochester, NY
2013-03-21	<i>Stillhunting</i> by Daniel Kohane, for sinfonietta, world premiere Eastman Graduate Composers' Sinfonietta	Rochester, NY
2012-11-19	<i>Cronica de una vuelta</i> by Theocharis Papatrechis, for sinfonietta, world premiere Eastman Graduate Composers' Sinfonietta	Rochester, NY
2012-11-19	<i>Octamerism</i> by Nathan Stang, for octet, world premiere Eastman Graduate Composers' Sinfonietta	Rochester, NY
2012-11-12	<i>Amok Koma</i> by Fausto Romitelli, for nonet and electronics the [Switch~ Ensemble] - Eastman Computer Music Concert	Rochester, NY
2012-10-04	<i>Asymptotic Flux</i> by J. Thorpe Buchanan, for quartet and electronics, world premiere the [Switch~ Ensemble] - OSSIA New Music Concert Video: vimeo.com/123763683	Rochester, NY
2012-10-04	<i>Amok Koma</i> by Fausto Romitelli the [Switch~ Ensemble] - OSSIA New Music Concert	Rochester, NY
2012-04-21	<i>The Gods of Pegana</i> by Jason Thorpe Buchanan, for sinfonietta, world premiere Sound ExChange Orchestra – Music & Dance Concert	Rochester, NY
2012-04-21	<i>Midnight Swim</i> by Jennifer Bellor, for sinfonietta Sound ExChange Orchestra – Music & Dance Concert	Rochester, NY
2012-04-21	<i>I am a drop of rain on your window</i> by Weijun Chen, for sinfonietta, world premiere Sound ExChange Orchestra – Music & Dance Concert	Rochester, NY
2011-11-28	<i>Garden Rain</i> by Toru Takemitsu, for brass ensemble OSSIA New Music Ensemble , Ossia, Eastman School of Music	Rochester, NY
2011-10-13	<i>Berlin Songs</i> by Jason Thorpe Buchanan, for octet and two singers Eastman Composers' Forum Concert , Eastman School of Music	Rochester, NY
2011-10-13	<i>the resonance after...</i> by Christopher Chandler, for sextet Eastman Composers' Forum Concert , Eastman School of Music	Rochester, NY
2011-07-19	<i>Wanderer Moon</i> by Tonia Ko 2nd Annual Melos New Music Concert – SF Community Music Center	San Francisco, CA
2011-07-19	<i>Butterflies and Dragons</i> by Daniel Temkin, world premiere 2nd Annual Melos New Music Concert – SF Community Music Center	San Francisco, CA
2011-07-19	<i>Berlin Songs</i> by Jason Thorpe Buchanan, American premiere 2nd Annual Melos New Music Concert – SF Community Music Center	San Francisco, CA
2010-03-22	<i>Fanfare for Brass & Percussion</i> by Chin Ting Chan, world premiere UNLV Brass Ensemble , University of Nevada, Las Vegas	Las Vegas, NV
2009-05-01	<i>Vasava</i> by Jason Thorpe Buchanan, world premiere UNLV Brass Ensemble , University of Nevada, Las Vegas	Las Vegas, NV
2009-07-06	<i>Household Mechanics</i> by Tom Brennan, world premiere ITCH New Music Ensemble , Brevard Music Center	Brevard, NC
2008-04-25	<i>Lines...</i> by Jason Thorpe Buchanan Chamber Choir , Art & Music concert at Le Petit Trianon	San José, CA
2012-2014	Assistant Conductor to Brad Lubman – Eastman Musica Nova Ensemble. Responsibilities include admin duties and rehearsing repertoire during Lubman's away dates - works by Boulez, Chin, Gordon, Lang, Liptak, Lubman, Sánchez-Gutiérrez, Morris, Wolfe, Wuorinen, Zorn, Czernowin.	
2009	Assistant Conductor, UNLV Brass Ensemble, Takayoshi Suzuki	

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Jason Thorpe Buchanan is an American composer of operatic, orchestral, chamber, electroacoustic, and intermedia works. Artistic Director of the [Switch~ Ensemble] and Lecturer in Composition, Music Theory, and Electronic Music Composition at Mahidol University's College of Music in Thailand, his works have been described as "an unearthly collage of sounds", "sharply-edged", and "free jazz gone wrong—in a good way", commissioned and performed internationally by conductors, ensembles, and organizations such as Brad Lubman, James Baker, Alan Pierson, Jean-Philippe Wurtz, Jeffrey Means, Marc Lowenstein, Ulrich Pöhl, Alarm Will Sound, Talea Ensemble, Interface (DE), Nikel (Israel), Linea (FR), Insomnio (NL), EXAUDI (UK), Slagwerk Den Haag (NL), Eklekto (Switzerland), Gaudeamus (NL), Mivos, Iktus Percussion, the [Switch~ Ensemble], The Industry, Royaumont Académie Voix Nouvelles Ensemble (FR), wild Up, OSSIA, Blue Water Chamber Orchestra, Mizzou, International Horn Society, Tzllil Meudcan Festival (Tel Aviv), Chamber Music Campania (Italy), the German/American Fulbright-Kommission (DE), and the Eastman Musica Nova Ensemble. Nominated for the 2015 Gaudeamus Prize, three works were presented by Insomnio, New European Ensemble, and Slagwerk Den Haag at Gaudeamus Muziekweek.

Scenes from his multimedia opera *Hunger* have received performances at Darmstadt (2014) with Ensemble Interface, The Industry's FIRST TAKE in L.A. (2015) with wild Up, and the MATA Interval Series in New York City (2015) with the [Switch~ Ensemble]. "*Hunger* is a kind of training session in mental disintegration... An ugly opera needs ugly music, singers who produce primal sounds, an electric guitar that sounds scraped raw, a wailing orchestra effects, cuts the ear like a knife. Buchanan delivers." – *L.A. Times*

Honors and awards include a Fulbright Fellowship (2010-11) at the Hochschule für Musik und Theater in Hamburg (DE) as a visiting scholar, a fellowship and commissions from Royaumont Académie Voix Nouvelles (2016 & 2017), a commission from the Earle Brown Music Foundation for the Talea Ensemble & Time Spans Festival (NYC, Aug. 2017), Artist-in-Residence USF Verftet/City Council of Bergen, Norway (2015), an American-Scandinavian Foundation Grant (2015), a commission from the International Horn Society (2014) and an ASCAP Morton Gould Award (2015) for *Double Concerto* (2014), written for the Eastman Musica Nova Ensemble and conductor Brad Lubman, an ASCAP Morton Gould Award (2014) & Howard Hanson Orchestral Prize (2014) for *Asymptotic Flux: Second Study in Entropy* (2013), commissioned by the Mizzou International Composers Festival for Alarm Will Sound, a commission from the Blue Water Chamber Orchestra as winner of Iron Composer (2014), winner of newEar Composer's Competition, and 2018 Artist-In-Residence at the Embassy of Foreign Artists in Geneva, Switzerland.

Primary mentors have included Pierluigi Billone, Chaya Czernowin, Steven Takasugi, Raphaël Cendo, Ricardo Zohn-Muldoon, David Liptak, Virko Baley, Peter Michael Hamel, Jorge Villavicencio Grossmann, Pablo Furman, and Georges Aperghis. Jason served for three years as Executive Director of the Valencia International Performance Academy & Festival (Spain), for two years as a Curator for the San Francisco Center for New Music, and Founding Director of the TICF Academy for Young Composers, as well as course instructor in electronic music and composition, board member of OSSIA, and assistant conductor for the Musica Nova Ensemble with conductor Brad Lubman at the Eastman School of Music.

He is widely sought internationally as a guest composer and lecturer at institutions including Chamber Music Campania (Italy), the VIPA Festival (Spain), the University of Virginia, San Jose State University, the University of Nevada, Las Vegas, Queens New Music Festival, MATA, Hamilton College, Portland State University, University of Richmond, University of North Carolina at Greensboro, Michigan State University, University of Northern Colorado, the Bergen Center for Elektronisk Kunst (BEK) in Norway, the University of Chicago, and Stanford University. He holds a Ph.D. in Composition from the Eastman School of Music, and degrees in Composition and Music Technology from San José State University and the University of Nevada, Las Vegas, where he taught courses in composition and theory (2008-2010). Current projects include the multimedia opera *Hunger*, a commission for the TACETi Ensemble in Bangkok, and a large work for the Hong Kong New Music Ensemble, commissioned by the MATA Festival in NYC (2019).

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