# David S. Gerard

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#### **OBJECTIVE:**

Obtain a full-time career as Director of Instrumental Music where I will utilize all of my professional skills and knowledge to increase student learning and development.

#### **EDUCATION:**

## WEST CHESTER UNIVERSITY – West Chester, Pennsylvania

- Bachelor of Music, *Music Education* Program Completed, Fall 2003
- Instrumental Music Track with emphasis in Secondary Instrumental and Elementary General Music
- Primary Instrument Trumpet

#### **CERTIFICATION:**

Arizona – Standard Secondary Certificate, Music 7-12

• Endorsements for Music K-12 and SEI K-12

**Pennsylvania** – Professional Certificate, Music K-12

Ohio – 5 year Professional License, Multi-Age P-12, Music

#### **RELEVANT JOB SKILLS:**

Proficient in music theory, trumpet performance, jazz improvisation, score study, and conducting

### **COMPUTER SKILLS:**

Proficient in; Microsoft Word, PowerPoint, Muse Score, and iPAS (Standard of Excellence Beginning Band Method)

# **EMPLOYMENT HISTORY:**

Director of Instrumental Music – Bicentennial North School, Glendale, Arizona

- July 2014 Present
- Organized recruitment and scheduling of beginning band students
- Taught ensembles at the beginning, intermediate, and advanced levels
- Organized a school-first Jazz Ensemble

### General Music Teacher – Bicentennial North School, Glendale, Arizona

- July 2007 May 2014
- Taught Classroom Music Appreciation and General Music Classes to grades 4 through 8

**REFERENCES:** see attached...