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PIANO

- Meritas Academic Olympiad Music Competition Rancho Solano Qualifier First Place *04/2015*
- Arizona State Music Teachers Association Arizona Study Program Piano and Theory Level 12 (Highest Level) Superior with Honors *05/2018*
- Featured guest performer on AZRadio.Live *05/2018*
- Phoenix Music Teachers Association Fall Festival Silver Medal *11/2018*
- Performed in Jerome Lowenthal's masterclass at Interlochen Summer Camp *06/2019*
- American Protégé International Music Talent Competition Second Place Winner (Performed at Weill Recital Hall, Carnegie Hall) *11/2019*
- Phoenix Music Teachers Association Fall Festival Silver Medal *11/2019*
- Crescendo International Youth Music Competition First Place Honors (Invited to perform at Weill Recital Hall, Carnegie Hall) *12/2019*
- Golden Classical Music Awards International Competition Second Prize Winner (Invited to perform at Zankel Hall, Carnegie Hall) *01/2020*
- Dean & Carolyn Elder Competition Excellent Honors *03/2020*
- Grand Prize Virtuoso Competition Piano First Prize Winner (Invited to perform at Beethoven-Haus Bonn) *10/2020*
- Phoenix Music Teachers Association Fall Festival Silver Medal *11/2020*

VOICE

- Princeton Tigertones A Cappella Tenor 1 *02/2022 -*
- Princeton University Chapel Choir Bass 2 and Baritone *10/2021 -*
- Early Music Princeton SATB Choir Bass *10/2021 - 09/2022*
- Princeton University Glee Club Baritone *02/2022 - 10/2022*
- American Protégé We Sing Pop! International Song Contest Third Place Winner (Invited to perform at Stern Auditorium/Perelman Stage, Carnegie Hall) *12/2019*
- Grand Prize Virtuoso Competition Voice Second Prize Winner *10/2020*
- Chosen as Arizona Representative to MTNA Southwest Regional Senior Voice Competition *11/2020*

WORK

- Accompanist for Kirk's Studio for the Performing Arts
- Piano and vocal performer at private events

VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES

- Belmont Village Senior Living Piano and Voice Volunteer *11/2017-03/2020*
- Piano Donation and Talk at Changgouyu Primary School in Beijing *06/2018*
- Make A Difference Day Family Fun Fair for Children with Special Needs Performer *11/2018*
- Hospice of the Valley Piano and Voice Volunteer *02/2019-03/2020*
- Family Comfort Hospice Piano and Voice Volunteer *02/2019-03/2020*
- Chosen to perform at Rock the District Annual Benefit Concert *04/2020*

AWARDS & RECOGNITION

- Guitar Student of the Year *05/2015*