# RYAN TANI, Conductor

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### Colorado Symphony

### **Cover Conductor**

2022 - Present

Serve as cover conductor for 6 weeks in the 22-23 season. Conducted the 2022 Halloween Family concert.

### Bozeman Symphony

Chorusmaster/Asst. Cond. **2021 – Present** 

Recruit and build choral ensemble of 80 amateur musicians to perform with the symphony on masterworks programs, as well as outreach concerts.

Montana State University Orchestra

**Interim Conductor** 2022 - Present

Illinois Symphony **Occasional Symphony** 

Won\*, Asst. Cond./MD Youth Orch. **Music Director** 2018 - 2021

Served as chair of the Programming Committee, developed innovative programs that explore many venues in the Baltimore area, and supported Baltimore composers through commissions (average 7/yr).

Yale Philharmonia

## **Conducting Fellow**

2019 - 2021

2022

Assisted Maestro Oundian and all guest conductors for Philharmonia concerts, preparing the orchestra frequently for guests as well as conducting subscription concerts. During COVID, I also developed curricula for remote-learning students and have served as producer for recorded concerts.

### New Music New Haven

#### **Resident Conductor**

2019 - 2021

Directed performances of new compositions by composition students and faculty alike, working with composition chair Aaron Jay Kernis, leading all new music components for the Yale Philharmonia and NMNH.

Montgomery Philharmonic

**Conducting Fellow** 

2017 - 2019

Chesapeake Youth Symphony Orchestra

**Assistant Conductor** 

2016 - 2019

Served as principal conductor of the Preparatory Orchestra (grades 3-6 strings) – I programmed pedagogically appropriate repertoire that helped create a strong upward lineage to advanced ensembles. Served as assistant conductor for and regularly rehearsed both the Concert and Symphony Orchestras (grades 7-12), running sectionals, and conducting when the Music Director was not present.

#### **COSMIC Symphony**

#### **Assistant Conductor**

2016 - 2018

Served as Assistant Conductor to Vladimir Lande, frequently covering rehearsals in California, MD and conducting in community concerts.

#### **USC Concerto Chamber Orchestra**

#### Founder, Music Director

2012 - 2015

Founded and conducted a student-led and directed orchestra in Southern California which provided high level performance opportunities to non-music-majors. I served as chair of the Programming Committee, operations manager, and librarian, among other duties.

# Other Conducting Opportunities

Mississippi Valley Orchestra	Guest Conductor	2022
Yale Philharmonia	Guest Conductor	2022
Choir of the Cathedral of the Madeleine	Guest Conductor	2016 - Present

Guest conduct every other year for classics performances.

#### Waterbury Symphony **Guest Conductor** Summer 2020

Conducted an outdoor performance of the Vivaldi Four Seasons from keyboard.

#### **Baltimore Concert Opera Guest Conductor** 2019

Conducted a partially staged performance of Wagner's Flying Dutchman for three performances.

#### **Peabody Community Chorus Cover Conductor** 2018

Prepared an amateur volunteer chorus of 50 singers for a performance of Bernstein's MASS.

#### **Chamber Music Institute Principal Conductor** 2017

Conducted orchestra, coached chamber music courses, and taught violin for young musicians aged 8-18.

#### Opera Études Conductor 2016

## Relevant Experience

### 2022 - Present **Bozeman Symphony** Serve as Music Librarian - coordinating bowings and errata with section principals, and preparing parts for 8-10 concert cycles per year. Billings Symphony Orchestra 2021 - Present Serve as Audio/Video Editing Assistant, working to streamline concert editing for later digital release on both radio and video platforms. University of Southern California 2011 - 2015Minor in Computer Science - work in databases demonstrating a technical proficiency with file storage, data analysis, and other related technical tools that might be necessary for working with an arts organization. Festivals and Workshops Cabrillo Festival Conductor's Workshop 2022 Selected as one of 6 Fellows. Charleston Symphony Conducting Workshop 2019 Masterclass with Mark Gibson culminating in final concert with Charleston Symphony International Conducting Workshop and Festival 2019 Masterclass with Larry Rachleff and Donald Schleicher Ithaca International Conducting Masterclass 2018 Masterclass with Larry Rachleff culminating in concert with Cornell Chamber Orchestra Conducting Masterclass & Workshop Series 2018 Masterclass with Donald Schleicher **Baltimore Symphony Orchestra** 2016, 2017 Masterclass with Marin Alsop Eastern Music Festival 2016 Selected as one of 8 Fellows for summer festival in Greensboro, NC under Gerard Schwarz. Awards Yale School of Music Dean's Award 2021 Given by Dean Robert Blocker to one student each graduating class, demonstrating highest artistic and academic excellence. **ACDA Choral Conducting Competition** First Prize, Undergraduate Division 2015 Education Yale University, School of Music, MMA Conducting, May 2021 2019 - 2021Advisor: Peter Oundjian Peabody Institute of Johns Hopkins University, MM Conducting '17 2015 - 2017Advisors: Marin Alsop, Markand Thakar University of Southern California, BM Vocal Performance, '15 2011 - 2015

Conducting Advisors: Donald Brinegar, Larry Livingston, Jo-Michael Scheibe

Other Conducting Teachers: Grant Cooper, José-Luis Novo, Larry Rachleff, Donald Schleicher,
Gerard Schwarz