# SHANNON DRAUCKER, CLARINET

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#### **EDUCATION**

Boston University, Ph.D. in English (2019), M.A. in English (2014)

-Dissertation: "Sounding Bodies: Music and Physiology in Victorian Literature"

Dartmouth College, B.A. in English and Music (concentration: clarinet performance) (2013)

- -Macdonald-Smith Prize for Excellence in Music Performance (2012, 2013)
- -Foreign Study Program in Music, Vienna, Austria (Spring 2011)
- -Student of Jan Halloran, Portland Symphony Orchestra

## ADDITIONAL MUSICAL TRAINING

- -New England Conservatory, Adult Continuing Education Chamber Music Program (2015-2017)
- -University of Michigan, Clarinet Workshop (Summer 2009)
- -Boston University Tanglewood Institute, Clarinet Workshop (Summer 2008)

#### ENSEMBLE MEMBERSHIP

- -Union College Community Orchestra, Schenectady, NY (2020-present)
- -Music Company Orchestra, Ballston Spa, NY (Winter 2020)
- -Dudley House Orchestra, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA (2013-2019)
- -Boston Civic Symphony (substitute) (2013-2019)
- -Dartmouth Symphony Orchestra, principal clarinet (2009-2013)
  - -Concerto Soloist, Franz Krommer, Concerto for Two Clarinets in E-Flat, Op. 35 (2012)
- -Cleveland Orchestra Youth Orchestra (2008-2009)

## REPERTOIRE PERFORMED

- -Concerti: Franz Krommer, Concerto for Two Clarinets in E-Flat, Op. 35; W.A. Mozart, Clarinet Concerto in A, mvt. I, Allegro
- -Orchestral parts (as principal clarinet): Ludwig van Beethoven, Symphony No. 5; John Adams, "Short Ride in a Fast Machine;" Claude Debussy, Rondes de Printemps; Gustav Mahler, Symphony No. 5; Leonard Bernstein, Symphonic Dances from "West Side Story;" Carl Nielsen, Symphony No. 4; Igor Stravinsky, "Petrushka;" Edward Elgar, Cello Concerto Op. 85; Mahler, Symphony No. 2; Johannes Brahms, Symphony No. 3; Dmitri Shostakovich, Cello Concerto No. 1 Op. 87; Richard Strauss "Don Juan;" Antonín Dvořák, Symphony No. 8; Elgar, "Enigma Variations"
- -Other orchestral pieces played: Beethoven, Choral Fantasy; Joseph Haydn, Symphony No. 104; Anton Bruckner, Symphony No. 9; Johannes Brahms, Symphony No. 2; Brahms, Symphony No. 4; Robert Schumann, Symphony No. 3; Mahler, Symphony No. 1; Beethoven, Symphony No. 7; Sergei Prokofiev, Symphony No. 5; Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky, Symphony No. 5
- -Chamber music: Brahms, Trio for clarinet, cello and piano; Darius Milhaud, Suite for clarinet, violin, and piano; Milhaud, "La Cheminée du Roi René;" eighth blackbird, "Thirteen Ways;" Felix Mendelssohn, Concertpiece No. 2 for Two Clarinets
- -Solo repertoire: Mozart, Clarinet Concerto; Carl Maria von Weber, Clarinet Concerto no. 2; Camille Saint- Saëns, Clarinet Sonata; Francis Poulenc, Clarinet Sonata; Norbert Burgmuller, Duo for Piano and Clarinet; Arthur Honegger, Sonatine for Clarinet and Piano

## RECORDINGS

Available here (under "Music"); more available upon request