

■ Curriculum Vitae (Draft for US Faculty Position)

Sun Young Yu, D.M.A.

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EDUCATION

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (UIUC) | Urbana, IL, USA

Doctor of Musical Arts (D.M.A.) in Piano Performance(2005)

Dissertation: "A Study of Selected Piano Works of Samuel Adler"

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (UIUC) | Urbana, IL, USA

Master of Music (M.M.) in Piano Performance(2001)

Seoul National University | Seoul, South Korea

Bachelor of Music (B.M.) in Piano Performance(1997)

Seoul Arts High School | Seoul, South Korea

Graduated (1993)

Yewon School | Seoul, South Korea

Graduated (1990)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Konkuk University | Seoul, South Korea

Adjunct Professor (2012 - 2016)

Role: Provide piano instruction to undergraduate/graduate students.

Baekseok Conservatory | Seoul, South Korea

Instructor(2005 - 2009; Present)

Kaywon Arts High School & Middle School | Seongnam, South Korea

Instructor(Present)

[Previous Academic Positions]

Soongsil University Conservatory | Seoul, South Korea

Instructor(Mar 2009 - Jun 2011)

Sahmyook University | Seoul, South Korea

Adjunct Professor(Mar 2008 - Aug 2011)
Gangnam University| Yongin, South Korea
Adjunct Professor(Mar 2008 - Feb 2010)
Chonnam National University| Gwangju, South Korea
Adjunct Professor(Mar 2006 - Aug 2007)
Mokwon University| Daejeon, South Korea
Adjunct Professor(Sep 2005 - Aug 2007)
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (UIUC)| Urbana, IL, USA
Accompanying Assistant(2000 - 2004)
*Role:*Served as a department accompanist for instrumental and vocal studios.

PROFESSIONAL LEADERSHIP & SERVICE

The Society of Music and Art (Eumak Yesul Hakhoe)
President(2017 - 2023)
*Role:*Leading academic conferences, organizing regular concerts, and overseeing society administration.
The Pianissimo
President(2023 - 2025)
Piano da Camera
Founding Member & Pianist(2005 - Present)

AWARDS & HONORS

3rd Prize, UIUC School of Music Piano Concerto Competition (1999)
2nd Prize, Teenager Piano Competition (1988)
2nd Prize, Samick Piano Competition (1985)
2nd Prize, The Music Association of Korea Competition (1980)

SELECTED PERFORMANCE EXPERIENCE

[Solo Recitals](Selected)
Solo Recital, Yeongsan Art Hall (Nov 2013)
Solo Recital, Sejong Center for the Performing Arts (Chamber Hall) (Jun 2009)
Solo Recital, Sejong Center for the Performing Arts (Chamber Hall) (Feb 2007)
Homecoming Recital, Kumho Art Hall (May 2005)
Solo Recitals (6 performances), Smith Hall, UIUC, USA (2000 - 2005)
[Chamber Music & Collaborative Performances](Selected)
The Pianissimo 'War and Music', Inchun Art Hall (Sep 2025)
Piano da Camera 'Healing Concert', Inchun Art Hall (Feb 2025)

Korea Convergence Society Performance: Rachmaninoff Duo, Seongsan Art Hall (Dec 2024)

The Pianissimo 'Scent of a Woman II', Ilshin Hall (Aug 2024)

Piano Duo Recital with Ju-Hye Lee, Hermann Art Hall (May 2024)

Stepping Stone Project Concert, National Gugak Center (Jan 2024)

Music Influence Concert Series, Yongin & Gwacheon (2023)

The Society of Music and Art Regular Concerts, Seoul Arts Center IBK Hall & Sejong Chamber Hall (Multiple performances: 2013 - 2023)

Piano da Camera Regular Concerts, Seoul Arts Center, Kumho Art Hall, Sejong Chamber Hall (Multiple performances: 2005 - 2022)

Grand Piano Concert, Seoul Arts Center (Dec 2008)

Joint Recital, Jan Deyl Conservatory, Prague, Czech Republic (Jul 2005)

Community & Educational Outreach Concerts

42회 광화문 음악회 “음악의 사계” 종교교회 (2024, 2월)

“온 마을 음악회”포천중앙침례교회 (2024, 6월)

“옥방 마을 음악회”봉화 옥방교회”(2024, 9월)

“사계의 선율, 계절에 물든 음악이야기” 내를건너서숲으로도서관 (2024, 9월)

“우리마을 공감 음악회” 과천중앙교회 (2024, 10월)

“울산 시민을 위한 힐링 음악회” 울산동성교회 (2024, 11월)

“제4회 문화촌 작은 음악회” 문화촌제일교회 (2025, 6월)

“양동교회 창립 77주년 기념음악회” 양동교회 (2025, 6월)

“힐링 음악회” 영천중문교회 (2025, 9월)

“추수감사음악제” 성광감리교회 (2025, 11월)

“한일 크리스천 음악 교류 콘서트” 일본 후쿠오카 히아로 침례교회(2026, 1월)

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Prague International Masterclass, Certificate of Completion (2005)

Yale University & Hong Kong Music Camp, Performer (1996)

Berlin Winter Music Course, Participant (1996)

London Unisex University Music Camp, Participant (1994)

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Bachelor of Music (B.M.) in Piano Performance Seoul National University, Seoul, South Korea | 1997

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Adjunct Professor Sookmyung Women's University, Seoul, South Korea | Sep 2022 - Aug 2023

Operating Professor Inuri Lifelong Education Center, Seoul, South Korea | Mar 2014 - June 2018 (seasonal)

Instructor Baekseok Conservatory, Seoul, South Korea | Sep 2005 - Dec 2017

Instructor Kaywon Arts High School, Seongnam, South Korea |

Instructor Kaywon Arts Middle School, Seongnam, South Korea | Mar 2012

Adjunct Professor Konkuk University, Seoul, South Korea | Mar 2014 - Dec 2017

Instructor Soongsil University Conservatory, Seoul, South Korea | Mar 2009 - Jun 2011

Adjunct Professor Sahmyook University, Seoul, South Korea | Mar 2008 - Aug 2011

Adjunct Professor Gangnam University, Yongin, South Korea | Mar 2008 - Feb 2010

Adjunct Professor Chonnam National University, Gwangju, South Korea | Mar 2006 - Aug 2007

Adjunct Professor Mokwon University, Daejeon, South Korea | Sep 2005 - Aug 2007

Accompanying Assistant University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (UIUC), Urbana, IL, USA | 2000 - 2004

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<Community & Educational Outreach Concerts>

Thanksgiving Music Festival, Sungkwang Methodist Church (Nov 2025)

Healing Concert, Yeongcheon Jungmun Church (Sep 2025)

Yangdong Church 77th Anniversary Concert, Yangdong Church (Jun 2025)
The 4th Munhwachon Small Concert, Munhwachon Jeil Church (Jun 2025)
Healing Concert for Ulsan Citizens, Ulsan Dongsung Church (Nov 2024)
Our Village Empathy Concert, Gwacheon Central Church (Oct 2024)
Melodies of the Four Seasons, Naereul Geonneoseo Supeuro Library (Sep 2024)
Okbang Village Concert, Bonghwa Okbang Church (Sep 2024)
Whole Village Concert, Pocheon Central Baptist Church (Jun 2024)
42nd Gwanghwamun Concert: “The Four Seasons of Music”, Chongkyo Church (Feb 2024)

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