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EDUCATION

Master of Library and Information Science May 2023
University of North Carolina at Greensboro

Bachelor of Music in Music Performance May 2018
Appalachian State University

LIBRARY EXPERIENCE

Music Library Manager 2020 - present

Appalachian State University, University Libraries, Boone, NC

- Connects users with information and services by providing excellent customer service that maintains and enforces library procedures, policies, and goals.
- Hires, trains, supervises, and schedules student assistants to provide excellent customer service to faculty, student, and community users and process materials for circulation.
- Directs library operations for loan policies, fines and replacements, stacks maintenance, study room scheduling, and technology assistance.
- Handles acquisition of books, eBooks, scores, and recordings to provide more diverse materials and resources for users.

Music Library Student Assistant 2007 - 2016

Appalachian State University, University Libraries, Boone, NC

- Assisted in circulation and user inquiries to locate materials in physical and digital collections.
- Processed and repaired materials of various formats for circulation.

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Hayes School of Music DEI Committee 2021 - present

Music Library Representative

- Assisted in the creation and implementation of DEI initiatives and policies within the School of Music and the Ernerston Music Library.
- Analyzed School of Music performances from past ten years to evaluate level of diverse composer representation in faculty and student performances.
- Promotes and encourages faculty and students to request compositions of underrepresented composers for purchase to further diversify our collection.

Library Council 2022 - present

Chair-elect (2022-2023)

- Provides feedback and suggestions to Library Administration on projects, planning, communication, or business matters.
- Serves as a forum for library personnel to submit ideas, suggestions, or concerns.
- Communicates library news, updates, and matters of concerns to colleagues.
- Shares suggested ideas or projects with various library teams as appropriate.

PRESENTATIONS

Oral Presentations

- *Aristide Cavaillé-Coll: Restorer of the French Organ: His Instruments and their Organists*. National Conference on Undergraduate Research, March 31, 2011
- *Scottish Fiddle Marches: an introduction to new players of the style*. Jink and Diddle School of Scottish Fiddling, July 28, 2022

Poster Presentations

- *Fostering Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Access in the Nicholas Erneston Music Library*. DEI Connect Conference, Appalachian State University, March 29, 2023

OTHER EXPERIENCE

Church Musician

2017 - 2023

Saint Thomas Episcopal Church, Burnsville, NC

- Led congregational worship on piano and violin/fiddle.
- Planned liturgy with Priest and selected music for services drawn from on Anglican, Celtic, Appalachian, and other musical traditions.

Assistant Guest Service Manager

2016 - 2020

Lowe's Foods, Boone, NC

- Provided exceptional customer service to provide an enjoyable shopping experience.
- Assisted in supervising and managing front end employees in accordance with business policies and procedures.
- Ensured all store funds were properly handled, recorded, deposited, and accounted for.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- American Library Association
- Southeast Music Library Association
- American Guild of Organists
- Music Library Association
- North Carolina Library Association
- Kappa Kappa Psi

SKILLS AND PROFICIENCIES

Library Systems and Technologies

- iii Sierra
- WorldCat
- OCLC Connexion
- LibApps: LibCal and LibGuide
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Classification Schemas

- Library of Congress Classification
- Dickinson Classification

Software Packages

- Zoom
- Microsoft Office
- Canvas
- Finale
- Microsoft Teams
- Google Suite
- Moodle
- Sibelius