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Music Teacher

Personal Development Through Engaging Music Instruction.

Dedicated music teacher with high school and college teaching experience, adept at challenging students to reach their full potential. Accomplished educator who ensures that every student is held to high expectations and progresses through the use of differentiated instruction.

Summary

- Over 20 years of teaching experience
- Over 6 years classroom teaching experience
- Interactive teaching and learning
- Excellent classroom management
- Positive atmosphere promotion
- Skilled at differentiated education

Education

- M.M. Music Performance - University of South Florida, 2016.
- B.A. Music Performance – University of South Florida, 2001.

Teaching Experience

2018 – Present: University of Tampa (Adjunct Professor of Contemporary Percussion)

- Educating performance majors and non-majors in a variety of styles to prepare them for the realities of a career in music via a self created, four year program.
- Developing skills associated with professional performing and graduate study (e.g. chart reading, lead sheet interpretation, jazz drum set musicality and recital preparation).

2015 – Present: Hillsborough Community College (Adjunct Professor of Jazz Percussion)

- Applying a self-created four-semester program, focusing on jazz drum set skill development for professional musicians and students who plan to attend higher universities.
- Teaching individual applied lessons for music majors and an introduction to music course to non-music majors.

2015 – Present: Tampa Bay Music Academy (Private Music Instructor)

- Instructing students of all ages and levels on music reading, technique, and college preparation.
- Conducting two successful rock band ensemble programs.

2015 - 2016: USF College of Music (Graduate Assistant)

- Performed with head of program and managed an online Survey of Jazz course for non-music majors.
- Taught ensembles focusing on concert preparation, performance skills and musical communication.
- Developed a two year curriculum as part of a Jazz Pedagogy directed study course with a focus on the specific needs of jazz majors and non-majors.

2009 – 2015: Carrollwood Day School (High School IB Music Teacher)

- Taught via lectures, discussions and demonstrations to deepen understanding of music history, performance techniques and music theory.
- Level 2 International Baccalaureate Music certification earned in July, 2011.

Other Employment

2014-2016: Jazz Summer Camp Instructor, University of South Florida

2012-2015: Private Music Instructor and Summer Camp Faculty, Patel Conservatory

2009- Present: Performing Musician, Valerie Gillespie Ensemble

2007-2008: Performing Musician, Norwegian Cruise Lines

2005-2006: Performing Musician, Howl at the Moon

2004-2006 Performing Musician, Tampa Bay Performing Arts Center

1997-2007: Private Music Instructor and Road Representative, Music Showcase

References

- **Jack Wilkins**, Head of Jazz Studies Program at USF. 3755 USF Holly Drive, MUS 101, Tampa, FL 33620. (813) 240-0373
- **Valerie Gillespie**, Bandleader and Current Employer. 17748 Jordan Pines Drive, Dade City, FL 33523. (813) 494-7670
- **Joe Grady**, Personal Friend. 8186 El Portal Drive, Tampa, FL 33604. (813) 789-7209