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Education

1983-86

Bachelor of Music Education

University of Adelaide, South Australia



1991-92

Advanced Studies in Conducting and Musical Direction

Western Australian Academy of Performing Arts. Perth Western Australia.



Activities and Awards

2014

Recipient of KBB Music, Midwest Clinic Scholarship

2012

Nominated for NEITA Excellence in Teaching Award

2011

Cover Article of Sunday Magazine for GleeNZ

Professional Affiliation

2017 - Present

Association of Band and Orchestra Directors Aotearoa (President)

2015- Present

Board Member MENZA (Music Education New Zealand/ Aotearoa)

2013 - Present

Lankhuyzen/Whetu-Kairangi Masonic Trust (Trustee)

2009- 2017

NZ Concert Bands Association (President)

2009 - Present

American Choral Directors Association

2012 - Present

Australian and New Zealand Association for Research in Music Education

2008 - Present

ISME - International Society of Music Education

Teaching History

2015 - Present	Head of Music <i>St Patrick's College. Wellington</i>
2009 - 2015	Director of Music <i>Scots College. Wellington</i>
2008 - 2009	Head of Music <i>Great Marlow School. Marlow, UK.</i>
2006 - 2008	Head of Music <i>Australian International Performing Arts High. Sydney, Australia</i>
2006 - 2008	Director of Ensembles <i>Australian International Conservatorium of Music</i>
2007 - 2008	Lecturer in Music Business <i>JMC Academy. Sydney, Australia</i>
1996 - 2002	Woodwind Lecturer <i>The Music Practice. Sydney. Australia</i>
1996 - 2000	Head of Music <i>Christian Brothers College. Burwood, Sydney. Australia</i>
1993- 1995	Head of Music <i>Northfield High School, Adelaide. Australia</i>
1989 - 1992	Woodwind Teacher. <i>Port Pirie District. South Australia.</i>

Other Professional Experience

- 2016** Founder and President of ABODA
- 2014** Founder and Conductor, NZ Youth Symphonic Winds
- 2012** Organiser of Summer Conducting School
- 2012** Founder and Organiser of Wellington Bands and Orchestras Festival
- 2010** Founder and Director of GleeNZ
- 2009** Founder of Great Marlow School Choir
- 1999** Asst. Musical Choir Director, Sydney Gay and Lesbian Choir with Jonathon Welch
- 1994-96** Musical Director, Adelaide Junior String Orchestra
- 1993** Musical Director, Carols By Candlelight Perth WA
- 1993** Co-composer, arranger and musical director “The Bridge” by Robyn Archer at WAAPA
- 1991** Co-founder of SA Youth Theatre Company and Orchestra

Other Work Experience

2002- 2006

The Music Branch

CEO/Owner

Duties:

- Management of 20 state teaching staff
- Establishment and maintaining KPI's
- Conducting and organising instrumental demonstrations in schools
- Recruitment of teaching staff
- Development of recruitment guidelines for teachers
- Development of Policies and Procedures document for all staff
- Liaising with school management teams on improving music department structures
- Establishment of hub music programs within high schools and primary schools in greater western Sydney
- Marketing and advertising of programs amongst schools
- Conducting instrumental demonstrations
- Conducting music examinations

2001- 2002

Academy Teaching Australia

State Manager

Duties:

- Management of 25 state teaching staff
- Establishment and maintaining KPI's
- Conducting and organising instrumental demonstrations in schools
- Recruitment of teaching staff
- Development of recruitment guidelines for teachers
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2000– 2001

Musicorp Australia

Education Manager

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