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EDUCATION

University of Plymouth, Interdisciplinary Centre for Computer Music Research Plymouth U.K.
PhD Quantum Computing in the Arts, Music and Humanities Exp. September 2028

- 4-year doctoral research program fully funded by the startup Moth Quantum
 - Dr. Eduardo Reck Miranda as the Director of Studies who oversees my quantum audio distortion work
- Indiana University Bloomington, Jacobs School of Music** Bloomington, IN
Bachelor of Music in Oboe Performance, GPA 3.55/4.00 May 4th, 2024
Major: B.M. Oboe Performance (Music Education coursework for 2-3 years within this degree)
- Scholarships: 21st Century Scholar, Hudson & Holland Scholar

MUSIC TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Musical Director – University of Plymouth Big Band 25/26 Plymouth, U.K.

- Conduct and rehearse a group of ~20 students every Monday from 7pm-9:30pm (~25 total hours in Fall)
- We perform swing, blues, jazz, bossa, and funk music around Plymouth and South West England

Guest Paraprofessional – Bloomington High School North, Fall 2022 Bloomington, IN

- Taught 25+ hours of brass sectionals (French horns/trumpets/trombone/tuba) to year 10 students
- Private oboe lessons were also provided to a year 10 student

Music Instructor – Young Winds Program, Spring 2023 Bloomington, IN

- Taught year 6, year 7, and year 8 alto and tenor sax on Saturdays for a semester
- Also taught music lessons to year 3 and year 4 students for music education coursework that semester

Day Counselor – Indiana University Summer Music Clinic 2022 Bloomington, IN

- Supervised and mentored year 10, year 11, year 12, and year 13 students during a music camp

PERFORMANCE EXPERIENCE

Professional Trumpet Player in the Devon/Cornwall Area Plymouth, U.K.

- Performed over 67 live shows in the area since arrival in Plymouth in September 2024, many were paid
- Freshly Squeezed Trumpet Player for 1+ years, now also as a rapper with prepared and freestyled bars