

# Tyler Wigginton | Curriculum Vitae

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## Education

<b>Bachelor of Music</b> Conc. in Musical Composition. – Metropolitan State University of Denver, Expected graduation May 2017	2013-Current
<b>High School Diploma</b> – Aurora Central High School, Aurora CO	2003-2007

## Awards and Accomplishments

<b>Joseph Dorfman Composition Competition, 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize</b> , International Summer Academy of Music	8/05/2016
<b>Max Dijulio Prize for Composition</b> , Metropolitan State university of Denver	8/20/2016
<b>13<sup>th</sup> International Placer, McPhly Quartet</b> , Barbershop Harmony Society	7/01/2015
<b>Sound Design Internship</b> , Sonic Audio Productions	01/2015-12/2015
<b>Singing Intern</b> , St. Martins Professional Chamber Choir	08/2014-10/2014
<b>2010 RMD Quartet Champion</b> , Barbershop Harmony Society	10/10/2010
<b>2010 International Youth Chorus Champion</b> , 52Eighty, Tallahassee FL	1/10/2010

## Compositions

<b>“Nadir”</b> for Voice, Cello and Electronics.	2016
<b>“Thousand-Yard Stare”</b> For Large Chamber Ensemble and Soprano Solo.	2016
<b>“We are Star Stuff”</b> For Viola, Piano, and Percussion.	2016
<b>“On the Threshold of Eternity”</b> For String Quartet.	2016
<b>“Sequoiadendron Giganteum”</b> For Brass Quintet.	2016
<b>“Abies”</b> For Woodwind Quartet.	2016
<b>“Kodamas”</b> For Solo Flute.	2015
<b>“Exulansis”</b> For Solo Cello.	2015
<b>“Caverns”</b> For Solo Vibraphone.	2015
<b>“The Big Freeze”</b> For Solo Piano.	2015
<b>“Where Clouds Meet the Sky”</b> For Horn and Piano.	2015
<b>“Flight of the Dirigible.”</b> For Clarinet, Flute, and Piano.	2015
<b>“Fog”</b> For Clarinet, Flute, and Piano.	2015
<b>“The Gunslinger”</b> For Solo Piano.	2015
<b>“12 Tones.”</b> For Solo Piano.	2015
<b>“Remember When We”</b> For Solo Piano.	2014
<b>“Sonder”</b> For Solo Piano.	2014

“The Unfinished Story” For Solo Piano.	2014
“Various Electronic Pieces” Computer Generated Music.	2010-2014

## Performance of Works

“Sequoiadendron Giganteum” for Brass Quintet. King Center Performance Hall, Denver CO.	12/5/2016
“Thousand-Yard Stare” for Chamber Ensemble. King Center Performance Hall, Denver CO.	12/4/2016
“We Are Star Stuff” for Chamber Ensemble. Landesmusikakademie, Ochsenhausen DE.	08/4/2016
“Kodamas” for Solo Flute. King Center Performance Hall, Denver CO.	03/7/2016

## Teaching Experience

<b>Private Instructor</b> – Whole Body Singing Private Instructor of Piano, Voice, and Musical Production	2015-Current
<b>Mouth Music Co-Director</b> – Whole Body Singing Co-Director of Mouth Music A cappella. This class teaches beginners of all ages the techniques and practices of contemporary A cappella music.	2015-Current
<b>Clinician/Instructor</b> – Mouth Music Acapella Camp “Arranging Without Paper” This class was intended to teach camp participants the basics of Digital Audio Workstations and the practicality of arranging using them.	June 2016
<b>Clinician/Instructor</b> – 2011 RMD Youth in Harmony Festival Clinician and Bass Section Instructor. This festival was meant to introduce high school students to the practice of A cappella music.	July 2011

## Notable Performances

<b>Donor Event</b> – Hillary for President, Denver Center for Performing Arts, Denver CO Performed for Hillary Clinton before she spoke to a crowd of potential donors in Denver Colorado.	11/2015
<b>Mayoral Inauguration Ceremony</b> – Ellie Caulkins Opera House, Denver CO Performed for the Inauguration of Denver’s Current Mayor Michael Hancock.	06/2015
<b>Ms. Colorado Pageant</b> – Ellie Caulkins Opera House, Denver CO Main entertainment for 2015 Ms. Colorado pageant attendees before announcements were made.	04/2015
<b>2016 Denver Young Scholars</b> –Boettcher Concert Hall, Denver CO	04/2015

## Leadership Roles

<b>Bass section Leader</b> – Metropolitan State University Chorale	1/2013-12/2015
<b>Co-Owner/Musical Director</b> – Motive Vocal Band	1/2013-05/2016
<b>Music Team/Co-Director/Section Leader</b> – 52Eighty Youth Chorus	12/2007-01/2011
<b>Music Team/Section Leader</b> – Sound of The Rockies	5/2007-12/2012

## Research and Presentations

**Independent Study “Math and Music in Education”** – Metropolitan State University of Denver, Denver CO      Spring 2017

I will be working with the MSU Denver Math department to help develop a module that incorporates math and music for non-music majors.

**Keynote Speaker “Harmony and its Effects on my Life”** – BHS Int'l. Convention, Reno NV      01/2016

I was the keynote speaker at the International Barbershop Midwinter Convention for the Harmony Foundation Donor Dinner.