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## **Voice Degrees:**

**University of Maryland*****D.M.A. (Doctor of Musical Arts) Vocal Performance***

- Dean's Music Fellowship Recipient, Full TA
- Dissertation: "*The Art Songs of Celius Dougherty 1902-1986*)
- Teaching Assistant: Class Voice, Italian Diction, French Diction, German Diction, Vocal Literature, Vocal Pedagogy, Opera Workshop

**College Park, MD***Awarded 2014  
2010-2014****M.M. (Master of Music, Opera Studio)***

- Graduate Assistant
- Acting, Improvisation, Mask, Stage combat, Shakespeare

*Awarded 2010***The Eastman School of Music*****B.M. (Bachelor of Music, Vocal Performance)***

- Independent Study: Italian & French Libretti
- Italian Immersion: Centro Studii Italiani, Urbana Italy
- German Immersion: Universität Bayreuth (*D.A.A.D. Scholarship*)
- Secondary Piano Studies (*Dr. Caleb Harris, D.M.A.*)

**Rochester, NY***Awarded 2007  
Spring 2007  
June 2006  
August 2005  
2004-2006*

## **Yoga / Movement Certification & Education:**

**RAD Yoga I: Foundations of Self-Myofascial Release***RAD Mobility and Recovery Specialist***Online Training***Completed June 2022***200 Hour RYT – Kali Yoga (now Dragon's Breath Yoga)***Vinyasa Yoga Training, Abby Dobbs, Instructor***Washington, DC***Completed April 2017***Myofascial Release Education 3-Part Series - Shift Yoga Studio***Jessie Kates, Instructor***Online Workshop***May 2020***Assisting 4-Part Workshop Series – Dragon's Breath Yoga***Michael Joel Hall, Instructor***Washington, DC***November 2018***Yoga Anatomy 4-Part Workshop Series – Dragon's Breath Yoga***Michael Joel Hall, Instructor***Washington, DC***September 2018*

**Independent Study: Movement & Yoga***Prof. Alcine Wiltz, Instructor***University of Maryland, College Park, MD***Sept. 2010-May 2011***Laban Movement & Dance – University of Maryland***Prof. Alcine Wiltz, Instructor***College Park, MD***Sept. 2008-May 2010***Ballroom on the Square (1 Year Scholarship Recipient, Private Instruction) Manheim, PA***Kenneth Wilson, Barbra Snyder, Instructors**2007-2008*

## **Somatic Voice Education:**

**Linklater Voice & Acting (Private Instruction)***Prof. Melissa Flaim, Instructor**Oct. 2020-May 2021***Lessac Kinesensics (Private Instruction)***Nancy Krebs, Instructor**Mar. 2018 - May 2019*

## **Collegiate Voice & Movement Teaching Experience:**

**Howard Community College (Wellness Division)***Vinyasa Teacher***Columbia, MD***January 2021-Present***Catholic University of America***Voice Faculty (Musical Theater), The Rome School***Washington, DC***Aug. 2018-Jul. 2022***University of Maryland***Lecturer, Movement for Singers (undergraduate voice majors)***College Park, MD***Fall Semester, 2021***American University***Substitute Voice Instructor***Washington, DC***Jan.-Feb. 2019***Montgomery College***Lecturer: "Class Voice for Non-Majors"***Takoma Park / Silver Spring, MD***Fall 2013-Spring 2015*

- Lectures in basic vocal pedagogy, vocal health & practice techniques.
- Student coaching & performance critiques (3 songs per semester)
- Writing Assignments: Students evaluate recordings and live performances.

**University of Maryland***Teaching Assistant***College Park, MD***2011-2013*

- Four Semester Duration (sole instructor):

- Lecturer, Class Voice: Teaching 1-2 sections per semester.

- Voice Minor Series Coordinator: Responsible for organizing auditions, juries, studio / pianist assignments, etc.

- Voice D.M.A. Coordinator: Responsible for official communication between D.M.A. students.
- One Semester Duration (assistant instructor): 5 lectures, syllabus & course outline, correct homework
  - Italian Diction
  - German Diction
  - French Diction
  - Vocal Literature
  - Vocal Pedagogy Assistant: Same as above.
- Opera Workshop Assistant: Responsible for directing three opera scenes for undergraduate Opera Workshop & assisting full time faculty

## **Additional Voice Teaching Experience:**

### **Windsong Studio (private studio)**

*Founder, Teacher*

- Voice instruction
- Studio recitals / masterclasses (1 per semester)
- Optional participation in NATS Auditions

**Columbia, MD**  
*Spring 2018-present*

### **Suitland High School**

*Voice Faculty, Head Teacher*

- Responsible for teaching 14-22 lessons per week.
- Studio classes (1-2 per academic year)
- Voice faculty communication facilitator

**Suitland, MD**  
*Fall 2012-Spring 2017*

### **Breath Body Sound Voice Studio (private studio)**

*Founder, Teacher*

- Voice, Piano and Yoga Instruction

**Annapolis, MD**  
*Fall 2015-Spring 2018*

### **Music and Arts**

*Voice & Piano Teacher*

- Studio recitals (quarterly)
- Voice instruction: all levels
- Piano instruction: beginner-intermediate levels

**Rockville, MD**  
*Mar. 2014-Sept. 2018*

### **Belvoir Terrace (A Fine and Performing Arts Camp for Girls)**

*Voice Faculty, Department Chairperson*

- Responsible for teaching 12-16 lessons per week.
- Music department recital coordinator
- Voice faculty communication facilitator
- Director, Opera Scenes Program (2013 only)

**Lenox, MA**  
*Summer '09, '10, '11, '13*

### **Reston Community Center**

*Voice Class Instructor*

**Reston, VA**  
*Spring & Summer Sessions, 2012*

**Lebanon Valley College Community Music Institute (CMI)**

*Voice Faculty*

- Private voice lessons
- Studio recitals (1 per semester)

**Anncville, PA**

*2007-2008*

## **Voice & Movement Workshop Teaching Experience:**

**National Association of Teachers of Singing (Arizona Chapter)**

*Guest Clinician, 'Movement and Yoga for Singers'*

**Online Workshop**

*November 2021*

**American Choral Directors Association (MD / DC Chapter)**

*Guest Clinician 'Teaching Embodied Singers'*

**Online Workshop**

*October 2021*

**St. John's Episcopal Church**

*Instructor, Online Voice Class Series*

**Chevy Chase, MD**

*October 2020-May 2021*

**Christ Episcopal Church**

*Vocal Coach, Children's Choir*

*Vocal Coach, Adult Choir*

**Columbia, MD**

*Sept. 2019-May 2021*

*Sept. 2020 - May 2021*

**The Vocal Arts Institute**

*Masterclass Clinician: 'Yoga for Singers'*

**Ashburn, VA**

*August 2019*

**Lynn Valley Church**

*Clinician – Voice & Yoga Workshop*

**Vancouver, BC**

*April 2019*

**American University**

*Guest lecturer – 'Mindfulness through Body Awareness in Performance' January 2019*

**Washington, DC**

**United States Naval Academy**

*Guest lecturer - "Positive & Powerful Presentation;*

**Annapolis, MD**

*November 2017*

**Potomac Vocal Institute Workshop 'When Life Happens'**

*Clinician - yoga instructor*

**Washington, DC**

*November 2017*

**National Association of Teachers of Singing (MD/DC Chapter)**

*Guest clinician - Voice & Yoga Workshop*

**Annapolis, MD**

*May 2017*

**Music & Arts**

*Guest teacher - Voice & Yoga workshop*

**Rockville, MD**

*March 2017, June 2017*

<b>Christ Lutheran Church Choir</b> <i>Guest teacher - Voice &amp; Yoga workshop</i>	<b>Washington, DC</b> <i>Nov. 2016, Apr. 2017, Apr.2018</i>
<b>Yoga Heights DC</b> <i>Guest teacher - Voice &amp; Yoga workshop</i>	<b>Washington, DC</b> <i>July 2016</i>
<b>Circle Yoga Studio</b> <i>Guest teacher - Voice &amp; yoga workshop</i>	<b>Washington, DC</b> <i>October 2014</i>
<b>Resurrection of Our Lord Church Choir</b> <i>Guest Lecturer – Voice Workshop</i>	<b>Laurel, MD</b> <i>Fall 2011-Spring 2013</i>
<b>Saint John’s Lutheran Church Choir</b> <i>Guest Lecturer – Voice Workshop</i>	<b>Aspen Hill, MD</b> <i>Summer, Winter 2012, Winter 2014</i>

## **Yoga Teaching Experience:**

<b>Windsong Studio (private home studio)</b> <i>Founder, Teacher</i> •Private yoga, vinyasa, weekly vin-yin + myofascial release	<b>Columbia, MD</b> <i>Nov. 2018-present</i>
<b>Eaton Wellness</b> <i>Vinyasa Teacher</i> •Ashtanga Flow, Chakra Toning & Sound Bath	<b>Washington, DC</b> <i>May-November 2019</i>
<b>Awaken Wellness</b> <i>Vinyasa Teacher</i> •Beginner Vinyasa	<b>Columbia, MD</b> <i>June-October 2019</i>
<b>Shift Yoga</b> <i>Substitute Vinyasa Teacher</i> •Mindful Movement, Gentle Strength, Slow Flow	<b>Laurel, MD</b> <i>May-September 2019</i>
<b>Yoga Center of Columbia</b> <i>Substitute Vinyasa Teacher</i> •Yoga 1&2, Gentle, Extra Gentle, Yoga for Men, Yoga for Teens	<b>Columbia, MD</b> <i>June 2019-July 2021</i>
<b>Yoga In the Park Series – Meridian Hill Park</b> <i>Vinyasa Teacher</i>	<b>Washington, DC</b> <i>July 14, 2019</i>
<b>The Blue Lotus</b> <i>Guest Teacher ‘Ashtanga Basics’ Workshop</i>	<b>Annapolis MD</b> <i>June 5, 2019</i>
<b>Hot Spot Dupont</b> <i>Vinyasa teacher</i>	<b>Washington, DC</b> <i>August-December 2017</i>

## **Workshops Attended:**

<b>YogaVoice Summer Intensive</b> <i>Mark Moliterno, Kristin Roney, Instructors</i>	<b>Online</b> <i>July 2022</i>
<b>The Stilson Institute</b> <i>*Masterclass Participant</i>	<b>Cincinnati, OH</b> <i>July 2022</i>
<b>Myofascial Release Online Workshop Series</b> <i>Jessie Kates, 500 Hour RYT, Instructor</i>	<b>Shift Yoga, Laurel, MD</b> <i>April-May 2020</i>
<b>Intro to Lessac (NATS workshop)</b> <i>Nancy Krebs, Instructor</i>	<b>Washington Adventist University, DC</b> <i>April 2018</i>
<b>Musical Theater for Classical Singers (NATS Masterclass)</b> <i>Rachelle Fleming, Instructor</i> <i>*Masterclass participant</i>	<b>American University, DC</b> <i>Nov. 2017</i>
<b>YogaVoice</b> <i>Mark Moliterno, instructor</i>	<b>King of Prussia, PA</b> <i>Mar. 2017, Nov. 2016, Sept. 2016</i>
<b>Ashtanga Yoga Workshop / Retreat</b> <i>Michael Joel Hall, Maggie Lively, Instructors</i>	<b>Harper's Ferry, WV</b> <i>Aug. 2018</i>
<b>Ashtanga Yoga Workshop / Retreat – Ashtanga Nation</b> <i>David Garrigues, Instructor</i>	<b>Arlington, VA</b> <i>Apr. 2018</i>
<b>Dance the 5 Rhythms – Kali Yoga</b> <i>Richard Jerram, Instructor</i>	<b>Washington, DC</b> <i>Spring 2015</i>
<b>Rocket Yoga Workshop / Retreat</b> <i>Jonathan Ewing, Instructor</i>	<b>Cambridge, MD</b> <i>Oct. 2014, Jan. 2015</i>

## **Recital and Concert Experience:**

<b>Olney Theater Outdoor Performance Series 'Italian Opera Night'</b> <i>Mezzo-soprano soloist</i>	<b>Olney, MD</b> <i>July 2022</i>
<b>Ukrainian National Shrine – CUA Benefit Concert for Ukraine</b> <i>Soloist</i>	<b>Washington, DC</b> <i>April 2022</i>
<b>Mixtape Recital Series, Capital One Hall</b> <i>DC Area Winner, Program: 'In her own words; A Girl's Triumph'</i>	<b>McLean, VA</b> <i>March 2022</i>

<b>Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Columbia</b> <i>Recitalist – Chalice Concert Series</i>	<b>Columbia, MD</b> <i>November 2019</i>
<b>Washington Arts Club</b> <i>Recitalist – Friday Concert Series</i>	<b>Washington, DC</b> <i>October 2019</i>
<b>Lynn Valley United Church</b> <i>Songscape Duo Recital</i>	<b>Vancouver, BC Canada</b> <i>April 2019</i>
<b>Washington Arts Club</b> <i>Recitalist - Friday Concert Series</i>	<b>Washington, DC</b> <i>February 2018</i>
<b>Annapolis Shakespeare Company</b> <i>Concert Series Featured Act ‘The Three Sopranos’</i>	<b>Annapolis, MD</b> <i>February 2018</i>
<b>Mary Gate of Heaven Church</b> <i>Recitalist - “A Breath of Fresh Air”</i>	<b>Myerstown, PA</b> <i>July 2016</i>
<b>Source Song Festival</b> <i>MNDuo Participant</i>	<b>Minneapolis, MN</b> <i>August 2015</i>
<b>Mary Gate of Heaven Church</b> <i>Songscape Duo Recital</i>	<b>Myerstown, PA</b> <i>July 2015</i>
<b>University of Maryland</b> <i>Songscape Duo Premiere ‘Ancient Woes’ cycle by William Kenlon</i>	<b>College Park</b> <i>April 2015</i>
<b>Suitland High School</b> <i>Songscape Duo Faculty Recital</i>	<b>Suitland, MD</b> <i>February 2015</i>
<b>Clarendon United Methodist Church</b> <i>Songscape Duo Recital: ‘A Story within a Song’</i> <i>Songscape Duo Recital ‘A Season of Love and Dreams’</i>	<b>Arlington, VA</b> <i>January 2015</i> <i>September 2014</i>
<b>University of Maryland</b> <i>Dissertation Recital: ‘Celius Dougherty and Aaron Copland’</i> <i>Dissertation Recital: ‘Celius Dougherty; the American’</i> <i>Dissertation Recital: ‘Introducing Celius Dougherty’</i> <i>Lecture Recital: ‘Try me, Good King’</i> <i>D.M.A. General Recital</i>	<b>College Park</b> <i>May 2014</i> <i>February 2014</i> <i>May 2013</i> <i>January 2012</i> <i>November 2010</i>
<b>University of Maryland</b> <i>Carmina Burana: Soprano soloist</i>	<b>College Park</b> <i>April 2013</i>
<b>Washington College</b>	<b>Chestertown, MD</b>

*Carmina Burana: Soprano soloist*

*November 2012*

**Lebanon Women's Club**

*Recitalist – Spring Concert Series*

**Lebanon, PA**

*Spring 2008*

**Eastman School of Music**

*Senior Recital*

**Rochester, NY**

*2007*

*Women in Music Festival Recital: 'Songs of Love and Time' by Madeleine Dring*

*2007*

*Women in Music Festival Recital: 'Journey' by Tania Leòn*

*2007*

## **Awards and Competitions:**

**Mixtape Recital Series**

*DC Area Winner, Program: 'In her own words; A Girl's Triumph'*

**March, 2022**

**National Association of Teachers of Singing**

*Honorable Mention*

**Mid-Atlantic Regional Auditions**

*2015*

**National Association of Teachers of Singing**

*1<sup>st</sup> Place Winner*

*2<sup>nd</sup> Place Winner*

*1<sup>st</sup> Place Winner*

**Maryland / DC NATS District Auditions**

*2016*

*2015*

*2013*

**The Metropolitan Opera Auditions**

*District Winner*

**Pittsburgh, PA**

*2006*

## **Professional Organizations:**

**Mixtape Recital Series**

*July 2022-present*

**National Association of Teachers of Singing (NATS)**

*Member, MD/DC Chapter*

*\*\*\*Chapter Vice President & Secretary*

*2015-present*

*2017-2019*

**Graduate Advisory Board**

*Member*

**University of Maryland, College of Arts and Humanities**

*2012-2013*

**Sigma Alpha Iota**

*Member, Sigma Theta Chapter*

**Eastman School of Music**

*2004-2007*

## **Opera Roles:**

**‘Un Affaire Taillefaire’ - Zach Bryant, Dissertation Recital**  
*Paula – La Pauvre Eugénie*  
*Cunegonde – Monsieur Petitpois*

**UMD, College Park**  
*April 2022*  
*April 2022*

**Maryland Opera Studio (MOS)**

**University of Maryland, College Park**

*Lady with a Hand Mirror – Postcard from Morocco* 2010  
*Beauty #1 / Nurse #1 – Shadowboxer \*Premiere cast* 2010  
*Arminda – La Finta Giardiniera* 2009  
*Giannetta – L’Elisir d’Amore* 2009  
*Romilda (cover) – Serse* 2009  
*Ensemble – Eugene Onegin* 2009  
*Tytania (cover) – A Midsummer Night’s Dream* 2008

**Annapolis Opera Outreach**

**Annapolis, MD**

*Gretel – Hansel and Gretel Scenes Program* *Fall 2009*

**Harrisburg Opera**

**Harrisburg, PA**

*Die Erste Dame – Die Zauberflöte* 2007

**Berkshire Opera**

**Lenox, MA**

*Ensemble – La Boheme* 2007

**Mercury Opera Rochester**

**Rochester, NY**

*Ensemble – Norma* 2006  
*Ensemble – L’Elisir d’Amore* 2006  
*Ensemble (quartet soloist) – Die Entführung aus dem Serail* 2005

**Eastman Opera Theater**

**Rochester, NY**

*Le Feu / Le Rossignol – L’Enfant et les Sortillèges* 2007  
*Mama – The Car Crash Opera \*Premiere Cast (concert)* 2007  
*Police Chief – L’Etoile* 2006  
*Ensemble – Cendrillon* 2006  
*Cunegonde – Candide (scenes)* 2006  
*Sandman – Hansel and Gretel (scenes)* 2006

**Oberlin in Italy**

**Urbania, Italy**

*Il cuculo – Sleeping Beauty* 2006

**Roles Studied:**

*Serpina – La Serva Padrona*

2007-2008

**Cantoring Experience:**

**Clarendon United Methodist Church**  
*Soloist, section leader*

**Arlington, VA**  
2013-2015

**St. Francis Episcopal Church**  
*Soloist, section leader*

**Potomac, MD**  
2011-2013

**St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church**  
*Cantor, soloist, section leader*

**Derwood, MD**  
2008-2011

**Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church**  
*Cantor, soloist*

**Rochester, NY**  
2006-2007

**St. Mary's Catholic Church**  
*Cantor, soloist*

**Rochester, NY**  
2003-2005

## **Language Training – Italian:**

**University of Maryland**  
•1 Semester Italian Diction

**College Park, MD**  
2009

**Eastman School of Music**  
•1 Semester Independent Study: 'Italian and French Opera Libretti'  
•1 Semester Italian Conversation  
•2 Semesters Italian Language  
•2 Semesters Italian Diction

**Rochester, NY**  
2007  
2006  
2003-2004  
2003-2004

**Centro Studii Italiani**  
•One month Italian Immersion course

**Urbania, Italy**  
2006

**Festival di Musica da Camera**  
•Two-week Italian song and opera repertoire intensive  
•Daily master-classes

**Ripatransone, Italy**  
2006

## **Language Training – German:**

**Eastman School of Music**  
•1 Semester German Film  
•1 Semester Advanced German  
•1 Semester German Conversation  
•2 Semesters Intermediate German  
•2 Semesters German Diction

**Rochester, NY**  
2006  
2006  
2005  
2004-05  
2004-05

**Universität Bayreuth**

- 1 Month German Immersion Course

*Full Scholarship, D.A.A.D. (Deutsche Akademische Austausch Dienst)*

**Bayreuth, Germany**

*August 2005*

**Lebanon Catholic High School**

- 4 Years German

**Lebanon, PA**

**Language Training – French:**

**University of Maryland**

- 1 Semester French Diction

**College Park, MD**

*2006*

**Eastman School of Music**

- 1 Semester Beginning French
- 1 Semester French Diction

**Rochester, NY**

*2005*

*2006*