

Allison DeFrancesco, Flute

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ORCHESTRAL EXPERIENCE

Sarasota Opera, 2nd Flute/Piccolo
2022 - 2023

Houston Symphony, Substitute
2019 - PRESENT

San Antonio Symphony, Substitute
2017 - 2020

River Oaks Chamber Orchestra, Substitute
2022 - PRESENT

Houston Ballet Orchestra, Substitute
2022 - PRESENT

New World Symphony, Substitute
2022 - PRESENT

Shreveport Symphony, Substitute
2019

EDUCATION

Rice University, Shepherd School of Music
August 2019 - May 2022
Master of Music, Student of Leone Buyse
Studio Assistant
Kathleen and Robert L. Clarke Prize

University of Texas at Austin, Butler School of Music
August 2016 - May 2018
Master of Music, Student of Marianne Gedigian

University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign
August 2012 - May 2016
Bachelor of Music, Student of Jonathan Keeble

ORCHESTRAL AUDITIONS

Cincinnati Symphony | Piccolo— Finalist, 2022

Dallas Symphony | Piccolo— Semifinalist, 2022

San Diego Symphony | Piccolo— Semifinalist, 2022

Rochester Philharmonic | 2nd Flute/Piccolo— Semifinalist, 2022

Houston Grand Opera | Principal Flute— Semifinalist, 2018

Louisville Orchestra | 2nd Flute— Semifinalist, 2018

SUMMER FESTIVALS

Orchestra of the Americas — 2019, 2018

National Orchestral Institute — 2017

Brevard Music Center — 2016

Aspen Music Festival — 2015

Eastern Music Festival — 2014

COMPETITIONS

19th International Friedrich Kuhlau Competition, 3rd place (2021)

National Flute Association Young Artist Competition, Semifinalist (2022)

Flute Society of Washington Young Artist Competition, top prize (2022)

San Diego Flute Guild Young Artist Competition, 1st place (2021)

Florida Flute Association Young Artist Competition, 1st place (2021)

Houston Flute Club Byron Hester Flute Competition, 1st place (2020)