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## **Objective**

To teach and inspire students via my knowledge, experience, and love of music along with my training in pedagogy

## **Music & Teaching Experience**

2015	<b>University of Rhode Island - Student Teaching</b> <i>Agnes Little Elementary School in Pawtucket, RI with Mr. Donald Dupre</i> <i>Exeter-West Greenwich Jr. &amp; Sr. High School with Mr. Gregg Charest</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Taught K-7 general music and Jr. &amp; Sr. High Concert Band</li></ul>	Kingston, RI
2015	<b>Curious Child Daycare</b> <i>Early Childhood Music Teacher</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Provided group music instruction to children ages 18 months - 5 years old</li></ul>	Cranston, RI
2008-2015	<b>Beneficent Congregation Church</b> <i>Musician, Youth Band Co-director, Camp Councilor</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Lead a Jr./Sr. High youth praise band to perform during worship services</li><li>• Provided music instruction for summer arts camp program</li><li>• Served as drummer/percussionist for church's music program</li></ul>	Providence, RI
2007-Present	<b>Self-Employed</b> <i>Teacher, Musician, Sound Engineer, DJ</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Music instructor &amp; lesson coordinator for local teachers' alliance</li><li>• Solo &amp; ensemble musician performing a wide selection of diverse repertoire</li><li>• Sound engineer &amp; producer for home recording studio &amp; mobile sound unit</li><li>• DJ, MC &amp; event coordinator for functions, weddings, parties, festivals, etc.</li></ul>	Cranston, RI
2003-2007	<b>Quinebaug Valley Community College</b> <i>Accounting Department Aide</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Provided private &amp; group tutoring for through college sponsored program</li></ul>	Danielson, CT
2002-2003	<b>Guitar Center</b> <i>Sales / Operations</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Department head responsible for product expertise, customer service &amp; sales</li><li>• Oversaw shipping, receiving, reporting &amp; inventory under Operations Manager</li></ul>	Warwick, RI
2000-2005	<b>Charlie's DJ Company</b> <i>Disc Jockey</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Utilized public speaking, customer service &amp; event planning skills delivering music to diverse audiences in a fast-paced atmosphere</li></ul>	Danielson, CT

## **Other Work Experience**

- 2011-2013      **Atrion Networking Corporation**      **Warwick, RI**  
**Accounts Payable Clerk**
  - Finance team member responsible for AP, ACH/Credit Cards, Bank & Account Reconciliation & Month/Year End reporting for large IT company
- 2009-2011      **RI Hospitality Association**      **Cranston, RI**  
**Bookkeeper**
  - Full-charge bookkeeper for grant-funded non-profit organization made up of a membership association, education foundation & political action committee
- 2008-2009      **Jay Packaging Group, Inc.**      **Warwick, RI**  
**Senior Accounting Coordinator**
  - Payroll, Job Cost Production, AP & Billing for high-volume manufacturing company, coordinating directly with Finance Manager, Cost Accountant & CFO
- 2005-2007      **Vasco, Inc.**      **Seekonk, MA**  
**Internal Accountant**
  - Performed all accounting and human resources duties for multi-state construction co.

## **Education**

- 2015      **University of Rhode Island**      **Kingston, RI**  
**Bachelor of Music: Music Education & Bachelor of Arts: Psychology**
  - K-12 Teaching Certification in Music Education
  - Graduated Magna Cum-Laude
- 2006      **Quinebaug Valley Community College**      **Danielson, CT**  
**A.S. in Business Management & A.S. in Accounting**
  - Graduated Summa Cum-Laude; Alpha Beta Gamma.
- 2001      **Career Connections**      **Reno, NV**  
**Certification in Sound Engineering**
  - Distance Learning Program & Internship at L&R Productions Hartford, CT.

## **Awards and Credits**

**Scholarships:** *Awarded the Drew Memorial Scholarship by the Retired RI Educators' Association*  
*Awarded the Ferko Endowment Scholarship by Beneficent Congregational Church*

**Music Credits:** *URI Percussion Ensemble, Wind Ensemble, Concert Band (Percussion, Classical)*  
*Beneficent Youth Band, Beneficent Arts Camp, RIUMA Youth Choir (Youth)*  
*Beneficent Praise Band, CCRI Chamber Singers, URI Chorus (Choral, Gospel)*  
*Kevin Williams, Ron Pacheco, URI Jazz Combo (Blues, Jazz, Funk, R&B)*  
*The Friday Episode, Little Blue Pill, The Brohemians (Top 40, Dance, Rock Covers)*  
*Octopus Triangle, Of Dreams & Madness, Crimson Sky (Original Rock/Fusion)*  
*GodSpell, The Gondoliers (Musical, Opera)*  
*D.R.U.M. (Drum Circle, World, Spiritual)*

**References will be furnished upon request**