

## Vitae

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**Education**

Texas Tech University  
 Lubbock, Texas

Doctor of Philosophy in Fine Arts  
 Concentration: Music and  
 University Administration-  
 August, 2007

Dissertation Title: An Assessment  
 of Tenured Music Faculty Perceptions  
 to Post-Tenure review in Public  
 Universities in Texas

University of North Texas  
 Denton, Texas

Graduate Coursework  
 1990,1982,1981,1980

Southwestern Oklahoma State University  
 Weatherford, Oklahoma

Master of Education: Music  
 Education- July, 1977

University of Houston  
 Houston, Texas

Graduate Coursework  
 1976

Southwestern Oklahoma State University  
 Weatherford, Oklahoma

Bachelor of Music Education  
 May, 1975

**Current Position**

1977-Present: Angelo State University  
 Associate Professor of Music  
 (Tenured)

San Angelo, Texas

## **Prior Teaching Positions**

1977-1976 Westchester High School Spring Branch, Texas  
Studio Low Brass Teacher

1976-1975 Southwestern Oklahoma State Univ. Weatherford, Oklahoma  
Adjunct Instructor of Tuba

## **Professional Experience**

### **Courses Taught**

Mus. 1121, 1221, 3121, 3221 Studio Tuba, Trombone, Euphonium  
Mus. 2131 Brass Methods and Pedagogy  
Mus. 1116 University Jazz Ensemble  
Mus. 1114 Brass Choir  
Mus. 1351, 1352, Freshman Music Theory  
Mus. 1151, 1152, 2151, 2152 Freshman and Sophomore Aural Skills  
Mus. 1341 Introduction to Music - Art Music  
Mus. 1342 Survey of Rock and Roll  
Mus. 1361 Fundamentals of Music

### **Additional Professional Activities**

Clinician and adjudicator for the Southwestern Oklahoma State University Jazz Festival, 2008

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Adjudicator of Texas Interscholastic League solo and ensemble contests and region auditions for Texas All-State Band

University Interscholastic League Region 7 jazz ensemble clinician- 2002, 1998, 1995, 1990.

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Former Province Governor and member of the National Board of Governors- Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia, National Music Fraternity

Former member of the San Angelo Cultural Affairs Council- Cactus Jazz Series Board, producing concerts by: The Jazz Crusaders, The Yellow Jackets, Arturo Sandoval, and other performers

Former member of the Long Range Planning Committee with the San Angelo Symphony Orchestra Board organized to identify and present future needs, goals, and objectives and to oversee assessment and evaluation of current goals, board policies, structure, and programs

Former member of the Board of Directors for the ICD Family Shelter and Training Residences of San Angelo

### **Selected Performance Activities**

San Angelo Symphony Orchestra- Principal Tuba and substitute trombonist, 1978-present

Trombonist with the West Texas Rehabilitation Center Telethon Orchestra, 1994-present

San Angelo Museum of Fine Arts Concert Series “ASU Faculty and Friends” performances 2010, 2009

Midland-Odessa-Lone Star Brass “St. Patty’s Day Concert” performance-March 2010

Tubaist with the West Texas Brass Project 2009, 2006

Lubbock Symphony Orchestra substitute tuba, March 2007

Performances of Miles Davis’ *Birth of the Cool* Cactus Jazz Series Concerts, 2006

Chamber Performances on *Temporada de Conciertos Primavera 2003*, concert series in Chihuahua, Mexico 2003

Tuba soloist Chihuahua Symphony Orchestra, Chihuahua, Mexico 2002

Big Country Brass Quintet, 2002-2001

Brass quintet performances with the San Angelo Chamber Arts Series, and the Abilene Chamber arts Series 2002,1988, 1987, 1986

Lubbock Symphony Orchestra substitute section trombone, 2000-1999

Big Spring Symphony Orchestra, principal tuba, section trombone, 1993

Abilene Philharmonic Orchestra, substitute tuba, 1992

Trombonist with the Ringling Brothers-Barnum and Bailey Circus, 1992

Tuba soloist with the San Angelo Symphony Orchestra 1988, 1986, 1982

Tuba Soloist with the Angelo State University Symphonic and Concert Bands, 1981

Pit orchestra member for both university and locally produced musicals: *Anything Goes*, *South Pacific*, *Jesus Christ Superstar*, *West Side Story*, *Pirates of Penzance*

### **Professional and Academic Affiliations**

College Music Society

Texas Music Educators Association

Pi Kappa Lambda-Music Honor Society

National Society of Collegiate Scholars

American Federation of Musicians-Dallas-Ft. Worth Local 72- 147

Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia-National Music Fraternity

Kappa Kappa Psi-National Band Fraternity

### **Primary Teachers**

Mr. Albert Buswell-former principal tuba-Oklahoma City Philharmonic

Mr. Dave Pack-principal tuba-Phoenix Symphony

Mr. William Rose-former principal tuba-Houston Symphony

Mr. Don Little-University of North Texas-Dallas Opera Orchestra

Mr. Rich Matteson-University of North Texas-jazz studies

Dr. Terry Segress-Southwestern Oklahoma State University

Mr. Robert Chambers-substitute trombonist-Oklahoma City Philharmonic

### **Ancillary Teachers**

Mr. Daniel Perantoni-Indiana University

Mr. Harvey Phillips-Indiana University