

Elizabeth Kapitaniuk

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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Music Education – Wheaton College , Wheaton, Illinois	2013-2017
<i>Primary Instrument/Private Teacher:</i> Clarinet/Trevor O’Riordan	
<i>Musical Ensembles:</i> The Wheaton College Symphonic Band—Principal Clarinetist (2016-17)	2013-2017
The Wheaton College Symphony Orchestra—Co-Principal Clarinetist (2015-17)	2014-2017
The Wheaton College Concert Choir	2016-2017
Wheaton College Jazz Combo	2013-2014
Student Teaching –Yorkville High School CUSD 115-Victor Anderson Gregory Fischer Middle School IPSD 204 - Allison Rider	Fall 2017
<i>Ensembles/Courses</i>	
– Yorkville: Concert Band; Philharmonic Orchestra; Wind Ensemble; Symphonic Band; Treble Choir; Varsity Choir; Music Theory	
– Fischer: 8 th Grade Band; 7 th Grade Band; 6 th Grade Woodwind Class; 6 th Grade Brass Class; General Music	
<i>Additional Responsibilities:</i> YHS Marching Band	

EXPERIENCE

Performance

Faculty Orchestra Member: Birch Creek Music Festival Symphony Orchestra Session	2016-Present
Principal Clarinetist for Wheaton College Opera Music Theater	Jan 2017, Jan 2018
Freelance Chamber Performing in Chicagoland Suburbs	Fall 2017
Senior Clarinet Recital : Pierce Chapel, Wheaton College	1/17/2017
Principal Clarinetist of the Wheaton College Symphonic Band	2016-2017
Substitute Clarinetist in the DuPage Symphony Orchestra	Fall 2017
Co-Principal Clarinetist and Bass Clarinetist of Wheaton College Symphony Orchestra	2015-2017
Featured Orchestral Soloist with the Wheaton College Symphony Orchestra –	2015-2016
– Performed Weber: Concertino in E-flat Major, Op. 26 on Winter concert and California Tour	

Directing/Conducting

Music Director at Spring Valley Presbyterian Church in Roselle, IL	2017-Present
Guest Clinician for High School and College Orchestra Rehearsals	March 2018
Performed in concert with Wheaton College Concert Choir on tour to South Korea with FEBC	May 2017
Honor’s Conductor for the WCSO, rehearsals and concert, Wagner The Flying Dutchman Overture	Spring 2017
Assistant Conductor of the Wheaton College Concert Choir under John W. Trotter	2016-2017
Rehearsed and premiered <i>York</i> by Elliot Leung in recital and recording session with the WCSO	12/8/2016
Conducted performance of film score to Christopher Sin’s Film <i>One Chopstick</i> , composed by Elliot Leung	12/6/2016
Prepared and premiered Sing Dumb by Shawn Okpebholo for SATB choir, percussion, and piano	11/14/2016
Prepared and premiered <i>Cheonji</i> by <i>YougMin You</i> in recording session and recital with the WCSO	4/30/ 2016
Served as Honor’s Conductor of the Wheaton College Symphonic Band, Mendelssohn Overture for Winds	4/22/2016
Conducted selected movements of Handel’s <i>Messiah</i> with student chamber orchestra and choir	3/31/2016
Conducted Tchaikovsky’s <i>Serenade for Strings</i> with string quintet in several performances	Jan-March 2016
Prepared and premiered contemporary chamber piece <i>Song of Lament</i> by <i>Bethany Randal</i>	9/26/2015

Teaching

Private Clarinet Teacher	2011-2017
Teaching Assistant at Birch Creek Summer Music Festival	2016-2017
Student Practicum Teacher, Franklin Middle School, Wheaton IL—Daniel Dupree	Spring 2015
Band Teacher Aid, Wheaton Academy, West Chicago, IL—Steve Willemsen	Fall 2014
Staff member at the Indiana State University Drum Major Camp	July 2014

Administrative

WC Symphonic Band Cabinet President	2015-2016
WC Symphonic Band Vice President	2014-2015

Professional Development

Conducting Masterclass with Maestro John Nelson	February 2017
Midwest Orchestra and Band Clinic	December 2016
Illinois Music Educators Association Annual Conference	January 2016
Associate of The Conductor's Institute of South Carolina	June 2015
Improvisation Masterclass with Ken Medema	4/6/2015

HONORS AND AWARDS

Presser Undergraduate Music Scholarship	April 2017
Wheaton College Deans List	2013-2017
Stella Russell Scholarship in Music	April 2016
Concerto Competition Winner—Winds Division	October 2015
The Stella Russell Sophomore Class Award	April 2015
John Philip Sousa Award	May 2013
National Merit Semifinalist Award	September 2013

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

College Orchestra Director's Association (CODA)
Conductor's Guild
National Association for Music Education (NAfME)

REFERENCES

Trevor O'Riordan: Clarinet Professor at Wheaton College (IL); Principal Clarinetist of Illinois Philharmonic Orchestra and South Bend Symphony, Second Clarinetist of Elgin Symphony Orchestra; trevororiordan@me.com
Dr. Timothy Yontz: Professor of Music Education and Director of Bands at Wheaton College (IL); timothy.yontz@wheaton.edu
Dr. Daniel Sommerville: Professor of Orchestral Music and Conducting; Director of the Wheaton College (IL) Symphony Orchestra; daniel.sommerville@wheaton.edu
Dr. John W. Trotter: Associate Professor of Conducting and Concert Choir Director at Wheaton College (IL); john.trotter@wheaton.edu
Victor Anderson: Department Chair and Director of Bands at Yorkville High School (IL); vanderson@y115.org
Allison Rider: Band director at Fischer Middle School in Aurora, IL; allison_rider@ipsd.org