

DR. LAURA PILLMAN | FLUTE

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EDUCATION

University of North Texas, Doctor of Musical Arts in Flute Performance, 2019

- Major Professor: Mary Karen Clardy

University of North Texas, Related Field in Musicology, 2019

- Related Field Professor: Peter Mondelli

Bowling Green State University, Master of Music in Flute Performance, 2014

- Major Professor: Conor Nelson

Baldwin Wallace University, Bachelor of Music in Flute Performance, 2012

- Major Professor: George Pope

- Ovation Creative Award recipient

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Northeastern State University, Artist Instructor, 2018-present

Courses taught: Applied Flute, Pedagogy of Studio Teaching, Seminar in Music, World Music, Rock Music History. Director, NSU Flute Choir.

Other responsibilities include teaching weekly studio class and flute choir, coaching chamber ensembles, and preparing students for junior standing exams and senior recitals. Additional service responsibilities include assisting with promotion and organization of the annual Instrumental Day and guest artist events, and organizing recruiting events for prospective students.

Southwestern Oklahoma State University, Instructor, 2019

Maternity leave for Dr. Shelley Martinson. Courses taught: Applied Flute.

Responsibilities include teaching applied flute lessons and advising students as necessary.

University of North Texas, Teaching Fellow - Center for Chamber Music and Instrumental Studies, 2015-2018. Director, UNT Flute Choir, 2017-2018.

Responsibilities included teaching flute choir, coaching chamber ensembles, organizing four chamber music concerts per semester and finding coaches for several

undergraduate groups, and preparing students for sophomore barrier exams and senior recitals. Additional service responsibilities include assisting with promotion and organization of guest artist events, and organizing recruiting events for prospective students.

Bowling Green State University, Graduate Assistant, 2012-2014.

Responsibilities included organizing the music education curriculum lab, teaching undergraduate students, and teaching piano classes and coaching chamber ensembles.

PRIVATE INSTRUCTION (Texas and Oklahoma)

Tahlequah HS

Teaching duties include teaching applied lessons and directing the flute choir.

Denton ISD

Teaching duties included teaching applied flute lessons.

Duncanville ISD

Teaching duties included applied flute lessons, sectional and chamber music coaching.

Little Elm ISD

Teaching duties included applied flute lessons, sectional and chamber music coaching.

Lewisville ISD

Teaching duties included applied flute lessons, sectional and chamber music coaching.

MASTERCLASSES AND INVITED LECTURES

National Flute Association, Invited Lecturer, Salt Lake City Convention 2019.

“Transcriptions of Vocal Repertoire for Flute”

Southwestern Oklahoma State University, Invited Lecturer, Flute Day, 2019.

“Find Your Best Technique.”

Oklahoma Flute Society, High School and Adult Flute Choir, Director, SWOSU Flute Day,

2019.

Wichita State University, Guest Artist and Masterclass Clinician, 2019.

Missouri Southern State University, Guest Artist and Masterclass Clinician, 2019.

Southwestern Oklahoma State University, Flute Day Guest Clinician, SWOBDA All State Etudes, 2019.

Kansas State University, Flute Day Guest Artist and Clinician, 2019.

Oklahoma Flute Society, Flute Fair Guest Clinician and Invited Lecturer, 2019.

“Fundamentals for Flutists.”

Southwestern Oklahoma State University, Guest Artist and Masterclass Clinician, 2019.

Tahlequah HS, All State Etude Clinic, 2019.

Flute! In Granbury, Guest Artist and Clinician, 2018.

COMPETITIONS

Old Guard Fife and Drum Corps, November 2019 Audition, Finalist.

16th Gheorge Dima International Music Competition, Romania, Finalist.

Coeur d’Alene Young Artist Competition, Winner and Soloist in season subscription concerts.

Grand Prize Virtuoso Rome International Music Competition, 2nd Prize.

American Protégé International Music Competition, 1st Prize and performance in Carnegie Hall.

MTNA Texas State Competition Solo Division, Alternate.

MTNA Texas State Competition Chamber Music Division, Honorable Mention.

TMTA Young Artist Competition Texas State Division, Winner.

MTNA Ohio State Competition, Honorable Mention.

Young Texas Artists Competition, Finalist.

Oklahoma Flute Society Competition, Finalist and Prize-winner.

BGSU Concerto Competition Graduate Division, Finalist.

RECITALS

Carnegie Hall, solo recital, 2018.

Bethany Christian Church, solo recital, 2020.

Southwestern Oklahoma State University Faculty Chamber Recital, 2019.

Southwestern Oklahoma State University, solo recital, 2019.

Kansas State University, solo recital, 2019.

Northeastern State University, faculty recital, 2019.

St. John's Episcopal Church, Tulsa, solo recital, 2019.

PERFORMANCE EXPERIENCE: Professional

Tulsa Camerata.

Amarillo Symphony Orchestra, 2nd flute, substitute.

Richardson Symphony Orchestra, piccolo, flute, alto flute, substitute.

Roswell Symphony Orchestra (NM), piccolo, substitute.

Longview Symphony Orchestra, 2nd flute, substitute.

Odysseus Chamber Orchestra, piccolo.

Lima Symphony Orchestra (OH), flute, substitute.

Ohio Light Opera Orchestra.

CHAMBER MUSIC and NEW MUSIC/PREMIERES

41st International Computer Music Conference, featured performer.

Work for Flute and Piano, Valerie Coleman, commission and world premiere through Flute New Music Consortium, 2020.

Cityscapes by Matthew Bilik, world premiere, 2018.

Pathogen by Tim Harenda, commission and world premiere, 2016.

In Radiance Flute Quintet

Performances at National Flute Association Convention, 2017 and 2018.

Member, 2017-present.

FESTIVALS

Prague Summer Nights Artist Festival.

Pierre Monteux School and Festival for Conductors and Orchestral Musicians.

Ohio Light Opera Orchestra.

Bach Festival Orchestra, Baldwin Wallace University.

Bay View Summer Music Festival.

ACADEMIC

University of North Texas Concert Orchestra, Principal, 2016-2018.

University of North Texas Wind Symphony, Flute and Piccolo, 2017-2018.

ACADEMIC HONORS, GRANTS, AND SCHOLARSHIPS

Fulbright U.S. Student Grant, Alternate.

Sigma Alpha Iota Doctoral Grant.

College of Music Travel Grant.

University of North Texas Graduate Travel Grant.

Toulouse Academic Achievement Scholarship.

UNT Cornerstone Fund for Scholars.

UNT Tuition Grant for Graduate Students.

Graduate Library Assistant - Audio/Visual Collection, University of North Texas.

Presidential Scholarship, Baldwin Wallace University.

Dean's List, Baldwin Wallace University.

Griffiths Scholarship, Baldwin Wallace University.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

National Flute Association.

College Music Society.

Pi Kappa Lambda Honor Society.

Sigma Alpha Iota.

SERVICE: FLUTE ASSOCIATIONS/NATIONAL

Texas Flute Society, Festival Committee. Former Publicity Chair.

Oklahoma Flute Society, Sponsorship Chairperson.

Flute New Music Consortium Composition Competition, Final Round judge, 2019.

Oklahoma Flute Society Young Artist Competition, Final Round judge, 2019.

SERVICE: UNIVERSITY

Northeastern State University, RiverHawk Day.

Northeastern State University, Audition Day Woodwind Coordinator.

Southwestern Oklahoma State University, Concerto Competition Final Round, Judge, 2019.

University of North Texas Hearing Perception Research Study.

Music Plus Program: Teach underserved students from Toledo, OH.

Bay View Summer Music Festival Outreach Department, teacher.

RECORDINGS

University of North Texas Wind Ensemble: Taylor Made. Label: GIA.

University of North Texas Symphony Orchestra with Eugene Rousseau: Saxophone Concertos. Label: Jeanne Inc.

RADIO APPEARANCES

KPBX-FM Spotlight: Interview and solo performance to promote Coeur d'Alene Symphony concerts.

GUEST ARTISTS BROUGHT TO NORTHEASTERN STATE U.

Dr. Erin Murphy, Assistant Professor of Flute, Oklahoma State University.

Dr. Carmen Lemoine, Assistant Professor of Flute, Wichita State University.

Dr. Elizabeth Robinson, Assistant Professor of Flute, Missouri Southern State University.

Dr. Bethany Padgett, Instructor, Navarro College.

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

Graduate Assistant, Southwestern Oklahoma State University.

Winner, Northeastern State University Concerto Competition.

Flute Performance Majors: Stephen F. Austin State University, Oklahoma State University, Texas Christian University.