

MICHAEL WATSON

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WEB SITE DESIGN EXPERIENCE

Webmaster for Coon Rapids High School (www.anoka.k12.mn.us/crhs). Added to teaching duties in Fall 2003.

Webmaster for Suzuki Association of Minnesota (www.suzukiminnesota.org). Site was launched in October 2003.

Webmaster for Minnesota String and Orchestra Teachers Association's website (www.mnsota.org). Site was launched in April 2002.

Personal music education web site (mwatsonmusic.com) receives over 2,000 hits a month.

OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE

University of Wisconsin at River Falls, River Falls, WI, Adjunct Instructor, 9/04 to current.

Minneapolis Pops Orchestra, Minneapolis, Minnesota, section bass, Summer 2004 & 2006.

Anoka-Hennepin Schools, Coon Rapids, MN, Instrumental Music Teacher, 8/02 to current.

- Coon Rapids High School Orchestra Director and Varsity Band Director
- Implemented comprehensive curriculum including composition, analysis, music theory, and peer evaluation.
- Use technology for music theory instruction and composition project.

Hamline University, St. Paul, MN, Adjunct Instructor, 2/00 to current.

Minnesota Opera, St. Paul, Minnesota, substitute section bass, 1997-2006.

Self-employed Double Bass teacher, St. Paul, Minnesota, 10/95 to current.

- Students performed with Minnesota Youth Symphonies, Greater Twin Cities Youth Symphonies, All-State Orchestra, All-State Band and MnSOTA Middle Level Honors Orchestra.

EDUCATION

Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois, Master of Music Education, 6/00 to 8/03

St. Cloud State University, St. Cloud, Minnesota, Bachelor of Science, Education - Instrumental and Classroom Music (K-12), 9/96 to 5/98.

Guildhall School of Music and Drama, London, England, Post-Diploma Orchestral Training Program, 9/94 to 7/95.

University of Rochester, Rochester, New York, Take Five Program (addendum to Bachelor's Degree with full tuition scholarship), 8/93 to 5/94.

Eastman School of Music of the University of Rochester, Bachelor of Applied Music (Double Bass), 8/89 to 5/93.