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| Objective |

To obtain a full-time teaching position in secondary music education that will challenge the skills I have gained through my educational and practical experiences.

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| Highlights of Qualifications |

❖ Experience teaching at both the secondary and elementary levels

❖ Excellent communication skills

❖ Enjoys working around young people

❖ Adaptable teaching style

❖ While voice is primary, can teach and play a variety of instruments

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| Career Related Experience |

2006-2009 **St. Andrews United Church Senior Choir** North Vancouver, B.C.

❖ Leader of the bass section

❖ Lead rehearsals in the absence of the conductor

2002-present **Laudate Singers Chamber Choir**  North Vancouver, B.C.

❖ Principle Singer in the bass section

❖ Lead sectional rehearsals

❖ Provided a strong musical foundation for bass section, and choir

2011-1013 **Clinician**  Port Coquitlam/Vancouver, B.C.

❖ Assisted children of all age levels

❖ Lead sectional rehearsals

❖ Instructed students on all instruments as well as voice

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| Education |

2014 University of British Columbia Vancouver, B.C.

❖ **Bachelor of Education Degree** (in progress)

2013 University of British Columbia Vancouver, B.C.

❖ **Bachelor of Music Degree**

2008 Capilano College North Vancouver, B.C.

❖ **Bachelor of Music Transfer Diploma**

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| Teaching Practicum |

2013-2014 Sentinel Secondary School (10 wkWest Vancouver, B.C.

**Grade 7 Beginner Band / Grade 8 Concert Band / Grade 9 Concert Band /**

**Stage Band /** **Orchestra / R&B Band / Concert Choir**

❖ Developed lesson and unit plans for bands and choirs

❖ Directed bands and the choir in rehearsal and performance settings

❖ Conducted a trumpet ensemble performing “The Last Post” for Remembrance Day Assemblies

❖ Chaperoned the school music tour to Whistler

3 week practicum CBFE (add details later?)

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| Volunteer Experience |

2012-2013 **Riverside Secondary School**  Port Coquitlam, B.C.

❖ Lead sectionals

❖ Held festival auditions

❖ Lead students in a “Man in Motion” Homecoming Festival

2012-2013 **Edmonds Community School**  Burnaby, B.C.

❖ Assisted the teacher with teaching larger classes

❖ Participated in class activities

❖ Voice sectionals to males in choir

2013 **Moscrop Secondary School**  Burnaby, B.C.

❖ Assisted and participated in orchestra rehearsals

❖ Conducted choral warm ups

❖ Taught choir sectionals

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| Additional Training |

2013 Red Mountain High School Mesa, AZ.

**Jazz A-Z “A Change is Gonna Come”**

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| Awards and Achievements |

2014 Soloist at Capilano University for Mozart’s Requiem

2012 Featured in an article in the Tri City News for public performance and musical passion

2012 Soloist at Coquitlam Chorale Spring Concert

2009 Performed at Notre Dame Cathedral, Paris

2004 Performed for the Dalai Lama

2002 Recipient of WCAMS Summer Camp Scholarship

2001 Recipient of Michael Kamann scholarship

1999-2001 Honour Roll Student

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| References |

Dr. Karen V. Lee Michael Toth Karin Johnson John White

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