

Ryan Max Heinlein

EDUCATION

May 2019 University of Missouri- Kansas City, Kansas City, MO
Doctor of Musical Arts-Trombone Performance

May 2013 University of Missouri- Kansas City, Kansas City, MO
Music Education Certification

August 2008 Wichita State University, Wichita, KS
Master of Music- Trombone Performance

December 2003 Wichita State University, Wichita, KS
Bachelor of Music- Trombone Performance

PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

2016- present Johnson County Community College, Overland Park, KS

Associate Professor of Music,

Chair; Music, Theater and Recording Arts

- Direct all instrumental ensembles.
- Teach jazz improvisation, sight singing and music appreciation courses.
- Coordinator of College Now music program.
- Recruit and retain music students.
- Partner and consult with Performing Arts Series.

2015- 2016 Friends University, Wichita, KS

Adjunct Jazz Instructor

- Teach jazz improvisation to all brass students.
- Direct Tuesday jazz combo.

2011- 2016 Ottawa University, Ottawa, KS

Director of Bands, Music Education/Low Brass Instructor

- Provide applied classical and jazz lessons to all low brass students.
- Direct concert and athletic bands.
- Teach all music education courses.
- Perform in faculty jazz ensemble.
- Teach music business course to upperclassmen music majors.

2014- 2015 Avila University, Kansas City, MO

Director of Avila Athletic Bands and Jazz Band, Adjunct Instructor of Instrumental Music

- Direct Avila Jazz Band.
- Direct Avila Drum Line.
- Direct Avila Basketball Pep Band.
- Give private lessons to all wind and percussion students.
- Teach music appreciation course to non-music majors.
- Responsible for recruitment and retention of music majors and minors.

2011- 2013 Bethany Lutheran School, Overland Park, KS

Director of Bands

- Maintain band program, grades 4-8.

2010-2011 Kansas City Academy, Kansas City, MO

Music Instructor

- Perform in community outreach jazz combo.
- Teach private trombone lessons.

2009 University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS

Graduate Assistant, Jazz Studies

- Direct Jazz Combos 4 and 5.
- Responsible for ensemble development, evaluation and assessment.
- Perform in community outreach jazz combo.
- Perform in faculty big band during the Midwestern Music Camp.

2006- 2008 The Independent School, Wichita, KS

Director of Bands

- Maintain band program, grades 5-12.
- Established high school wind ensemble.
- Directed high school drum line, pep band and jazz band.
- Developed general music courses, grades 6-8.
- Received superior ratings at district and area festivals.
- Beginning band program doubled in size in two years.

2005- 2008 Wichita State University, Wichita, KS

Graduate Assistant, Jazz Studies and Athletic Bands

- Oversee all aspects of “Shocker Sound” athletic band.
- Manage and chaperone group on school-sponsored trips.
- Responsible for ensemble development, evaluation and assessment.
- Assist with Jazz Arts Ensembles 1 and 2.
- Book and manage annual 3-day recruitment tour to Kansas City and Western Kansas.

2005- 2007 Butler County Community College, El Dorado, KS

Adjunct Instructor of Low Brass and Music Appreciation

- Provide applied lessons to all low brass students.

- Perform with university wind ensemble, jazz band and stage band.
- Teach music appreciation course to non-music majors.

RELATED EXPERIENCE

2018- present Kansas Music Educators Association

Jazz Education Advisor

- Choose clinics for statewide teacher in-service workshop.
- Preside over clinics and performances at teacher in-service workshop.

2015- present Coleman Hawkins Jazz Camp, Topeka, KS

Music Counselor

- Direct student combos.
- Perform in faculty ensemble.
- Teach improvisation, listening and music theory workshops.

2013- 2014 University of Arkansas- Fort Smith Jazz Camp, Fort Smith, AR

Music Counselor

- Direct student big bands and combos.
- Perform in faculty ensemble.
- Teach improvisation, listening and music business workshops.

2013 Lee's Summit School System, Lee's Summit, MO

Student Teacher

- Conducted high school concert bands and jazz bands.
- Assisted with beginning band program, grades 5-6.

2013 Liberty School System, Liberty, MO

Student Teacher

- Assisted with general music program, grades K-5.

2011 Artist INC Live, Kansas City MO

- Completed professional development program for music business.

ADJUDICATOR

- Basically Basie Competition (Kansas City, KS) 2024
- Branson Jazz Festival (Branson, MO) 2024
- Bellevue Jazz Festival (Bellevue, NE) 2016, 2024
- Friends University Jazz Festival (Wichita, KS) 2017-2019, 2023
- Washburn Jazz Festival (Topeka, KS) 2015-2018, 2022-2023

- Wichita Jazz Festival (Wichita, KS) 2006-2009, 2014-2016, 2023
- Northwest Missouri State Jazz Festival (Maryville, MO) 2020
- Hutchinson CC Jazz Festival (Hutchinson, KS) 2017, 2020
- Baker University Jazz Festival (Baldwin City, KS) 2019
- Eau Claire Jazz Festival (Eau Claire, WI) 2018-2019
- Olathe Middle School Concert Band Festival (Olathe, KS) 2017
- Missouri District 3 Jazz Auditions (Kansas City, MO) 2012-2014, 2016-2017
- Ottawa Jazz Workshop (Ottawa, KS) 2011-2015
- Goddard Festival of Bands (Goddard, KS) 2004-2009
- Mid-Kansas Winds Festival (Goddard, KS) 2004-2006

CLINICIAN

- Shawnee Mission Jazz on the Bridge (Lenexa, KS) 2017, 2024
- ECKMEA District Jazz Band (Overland Park, KS) 2023
- SEKMEA District Jazz Band (Pittsburg, KS) 2023
- Colby CC Jazz Day (Colby, KS) 2023
- Olathe West Area Jazz Festival (Olathe, KS) 2023
- Get Trombonafide! (Rose Hill, KS) 2012, 2023
- Friends University Jazz Festival (Wichita, KS) 2017-2019, 2023
- NWKMEA District Jazz Band (Hays, KS) 2021
- Northwest Missouri State Jazz Festival (Maryville, MO) 2020
- SCKMEA District Jazz Band (Goddard, KS) 2018, 2019
- Lansing High School (Lansing, KS) 2018
- Eau Claire Jazz Festival (Eau Claire, WI) 2018-2019
- Hutchinson CC Jazz Festival (Hutchinson, KS) 2017, 2020
- Olathe South Jazz Festival (Olathe, KS) 2017
- Olathe North High School (Olathe, KS) 2016-2018
- Olathe East High School (Olathe, KS) 2016-2018
- Future Jazz (Overland Park, KS) 2016-2018
- University of Missouri-Kansas City (Kansas City, MO) 2016
- Iola High School (Iola, KS) 2015-2016
- Wichita South High School (Wichita, KS) 2015
- Wellington High School (Wellington, KS) 2015
- Ottawa Jazz Workshop (Ottawa, KS) 2011-2015
- Missouri Western State University (St. Joseph, MO) 2014-2015
- Lee's Summit High School (Lee's Summit, MO) 2013
- Wichita East High School (Wichita, KS) 2013, 2014
- Kansas City Kansas Jazz Day (Kansas City, KS) 2013
- Bethel College (North Newton, KS) 2013
- Chaparral High School (Anthony, KS) 2013
- Blue Valley Southwest High School (Overland Park, KS) 2012-2014
- Kansas City Kansas Community College (Kansas City, KS) 2012

- Lee's Summit West High School (Lee's Summit, MO) 2012
- Shawnee Mission Northwest High School (Shawnee, KS) 2012
- Wichita Southeast High School (Wichita, KS) 2012
- Derby High School (Derby, KS) 2012, 2015
- Wichita Collegiate School (Wichita, KS) 2011, 2015-2016
- Eisenhower High School (Goddard, KS) 2011-2017
- Wichita Jazz Festival (Wichita, KS) 2006-2009
- Goddard Festival of Bands (Goddard, KS) 2004-2009

PRESENTATIONS

- "Let's Play: Simple Ideas to Encourage Improvisation" KBA In-service Workshop, Wichita, KS, 2021, KMEA In-service Workshop, Wichita, KS 2022
- "Practical Practice" KBA In-service Workshop, Wichita, KS, 2020, KMEA In-service Workshop, Wichita, KS 2022
- "Timing is Everything" Charlie Parker Bootcamp, Kansas City, MO 2020
- "A Guide to Jazz Articulation" KMEA In-service Workshop, Wichita, KS 2018
- "Timing is Everything" KMEA In-service Workshop, Wichita, KS 2018

PUBLICATIONS

- "Timing is Everything: A Rhythmic Introduction to Improvisation" 2019
- "Listen Louder" 2024

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Recording Academy
 Kansas Music Educators Association
 National Association for Music Education
 Jazz Educator's Network
 International Trombone Association
 Mensa International

PERFORMANCE EXPERIENCE (Trombone)

Kansas City Jazz Orchestra
 Making Movies
 Brass & Boujee
 Moonlight Serenade Orchestra
 Bobby Watson's Concert Jazz Orchestra
 Parranderos Latin Combo
 New Jazz Order Big Band
 Tom Abbott's Big Bang Big Band
 Marcus Lewis Big Band

El Mambo Orquestra
The Band That Saved The World
The Fabulous Flippers
Kerry Strayer Orchestra
Kerry Strayer's New Kansas City Seven
Northland Symphony
Black House Improviser's Collective
Kansas City All Star Big Band
Michael Andrew's Atomic Big Band
New Era Brass Quintet
Brookside Trombone Quartet
627 Big Band
The Project H
The New Amsterdams
Julian Vaughn
Chris Hazelton's Boogaloo 7
Mike Finnegan
La Banda Hispanica
Air Capital Big Band

ADDITIONAL PERFORMANCES (Trombone)

2023 Headlining performer with Friends Jazz Festival
2023 Live Recording with Making Movies
2022 Featured Soloist with Fountain City Brass Band
2022 Four Freshmen and Five Trombones
2022 Jazz Education Network w/ Marcus Lewis Big Band
2021 Ana Gasteyer Sugar & Booze Tour
2021 Jazz Education Network w/ Marcus Lewis Big Band
2019 The Project H w/ Strings
2019 Frankie Negrón
2017 Featured artist for Shawnee Mission Jazz on the Bridge
2016 The Buckinghams
2015 Four Tops
2015 Michael Feinstein
2014-present Kansas Music Educators All Star Big Band
2013 Featured performer with Kansas City Kansas Community College (Kansas Music Educators Association In-service)
2009 Tommy Dorsey Orchestra
2006 Harry James Orchestra

COMMERCIAL RECORDINGS (as performer/composer)

2024 "En La Sala (En Vivo)" Making Movies & Asdru Sierra
2024 "Shorr & Miles Bonny" Shorr & Miles Bonny
2020 "Room Service 2" Kadesh Flow
2018 "Brass & Boujee" Marcus Lewis Big Band
2018 "One Stop" Shane Marler
2018 "Everyday, Forever" The Project H
2016 "Heavy Days" Katy Guillen & The Girls
2015 "Rhapsody" Kansas City Jazz Orchestra
2014 "Urbanites" Wyatt West
2014 "We Live Among The Lines" The Project H
2013 "Savannah Terez" Savannah Terez
2013 "Radio Bay USA" Gary "Winston" Apple
2012 "Become Light" The Project H
2011 "New Jazz Order" New Jazz Order
2009 "Welcome to April" The Project H
2006 "At the Foot of My Rival" The New Amsterdams

HONORS

- 2024 Research Sabbatical, Johnson County Community College
- 2020-2021 The Chair Academy: Leadership Professional Development
- 2020 Keynote Speaker, Charlie Parker Bootcamp
- 2018 Endorsing artist for Conn Selmer Instruments
- 2016 Escape 2 Create Residency- Seaside, Florida
- 2014 The Project H: "Best Jazz Ensemble"- Pitch Music Awards
- 2011 Full scholarship to Artist INC professional development program
- 2010 Bill and Linda Eddy Jazz Scholarship, UMKC Conservatory of Music and Dance.
- 2009 Zakoura Foundation Outreach Jazz Ensemble Grant.
- 2000- 2003 Outstanding Trombone Soloist Award, Wichita Jazz Festival.
- 1998 Outstanding Soloist, Southwest Missouri State Jazz Festival