

# JOSEPH W. FRYE

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## Curriculum Vitae

### EDUCATION

Doctor of Music	A.B.D.	The Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL Trombone Performance
Master of Music	2003	The Florida State University Tallahassee, FL Trombone Performance
Bachelor of Music	2000	The University of Tennessee Knoxville, TN Music Education

### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2001 - 2005	Graduate Teaching Assistant, The Florida State University Founder and Conductor, The Florida State University Trombone Choir Private Teaching Studio, Tallahassee, FL Low Brass Instructor, Spring Valley High School, Huntington, WV
1996 - 2000	Private Teaching Studio, Knoxville, TN Low Brass Instructor, White House High School, White House, TN Low Brass Instructor, Ceredo-Kenova High School, Kenova, WV

## **TEACHING RESPONSIBILITIES**

### **Florida State University Trombone Studio:**

My responsibility at Florida State consisted of teaching applied trombone and euphonium lessons as well as coaching chamber ensembles. The average semester load for applied lessons was approximately five students. I was responsible for developing an academic curriculum for these students including syllabi and appropriate supplemental materials. My duties as a chamber ensemble coaching were to assist students in the formation of high-quality ensemble techniques and prepare them for successful public performance.

### **Florida State University Trombone Choir:**

My responsibility to the Florida State University Trombone Choir was one of leadership. As well as being the founder of the group, I was also the director. Duties to the organization included auditioning prospective performers, planning concerts, making community contacts, arranging new music for the group, and also conducting. In addition to this, I also attended to the administrative and managerial aspects of directing the trombone choir.

### **Private Teaching Studio:**

I instruct students on tenor and bass trombone, and have also instructed euphonium and tuba students. I develop curriculum for the students, assess achievement, and prepare students for various competitions, All-State honor bands and orchestras, and collegiate auditions.

### **Low Brass Instructor:**

I have served as an instructor of low brass for high schools in Tennessee and West Virginia. Duties for each of my appointments included instruction of students in on-the-field situations, and assisting in the teaching of drill, including marching and maneuvering. Some of my appointments have included rehearsing and refining music with the entire brass section in addition to low brass group. I have also been involved with drill writing and music arranging for several of the bands for which I have worked.

## **PROFESSIONAL PERFORMANCE EXPERIENCE**

2005-2006	Trombonist, Princess Cruise Lines (M/v Regal Princess)
2005	Trombone Specialist, 531 <sup>st</sup> Air National Guard Band,

2005	Carswell Joint Reserve Training Complex, Fort Worth, TX
2002	Freelance Musician, Austin, TX
2001 - 2005	Principal Trombone Substitute, Tallahassee Symphony Orchestra, Tallahassee, FL
2001 - 2005	2nd Trombone, Tallahassee Symphony Orchestra
2001 - 2005	Conductor, Florida State University Trombone Choir, Tallahassee, FL
2001 - 2005	Freelance Musician, Tallahassee, FL
2001 - 2002	The Florida State University Graduate Brass Trio
2001 - 2002	Principal Trombone, The Florida State University Graduate Trombone Quartet
2001 & 2004	Principal Trombone Substitute, Albany Symphony Orchestra, Albany, GA
2001	2nd Trombone Substitute, Knoxville Symphony Orchestra, Knoxville, TN
2000 - 2001	2nd Trombonist, Oak Ridge Symphony Orchestra, Oak Ridge, TN
2000	Trombonist, Wildwood Music Festival, Little Rock, AR
1999 - Present	Trombone & Euphonium Specialist, 572nd Air National Guard Band, McGhee Tyson Air National Guard Base, Knoxville, TN
1999	Bass Trumpet, University of Tennessee Trumpet Ensemble, Knoxville, TN
1996 - 2001	Principal Trombone, The University of Tennessee Trombone Quartet
1996 - 2001	Freelance Musician, Knoxville, TN

## PRESENTATIONS

Spring 2005	Masterclass, <i>Low Brass Fundamentals</i> , Fernandina Beach Middle School, Fernandina Beach, FL
Fall 2004	Doctoral Lecture Recital, <i>Living in Arthur Pryor's Shadow, Gardell Simons: His Life and Trombone Compositions</i> , The Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL
Spring 2004	Masterclass, <i>Trombone Fundamentals</i> , Lincoln Symphonic Band Camp, Lincoln High School, Tallahassee, FL
Spring 2003	Masterclass, <i>Trombone Fundamentals</i> , Universidad de Costa Rica, San Jose, Costa Rica
Fall 2003	Masterclass, <i>Graduate School Auditions</i> , The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, TN
1997 - 2003	Masterclass, <i>Meet the Trombone</i> , Ceredo-Kenova Middle School, Kenova, WV

## RESEARCH

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| Present | <i>A Biographical Study of the Solo Trombonists of the John Philip Sousa Band, 1893-1931</i><br>Treatise<br>The Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL               |
| 2002    | <i>Living in Arthur Pryor's Shadow, Gardell Simons: His Life and Trombone Compositions</i><br>Doctoral Lecture Recital<br>The Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL |

## UNIVERSITY COURSES TAUGHT

- Trombone Choir
- Applied Trombone
- Applied Euphonium

## RECORDINGS

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| 2003 | <i>Ellen Taaffe Zwilich Concertos</i><br>Kalichstein, Laredo, Robinson Trio<br>Michael Stern, Conductor<br>The Florida State University Orchestra |
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## HONORS & AWARDS

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| 2005 | Honorable Mention, 2005 Emory Remington Trombone Choir Competition      |
| 2003 | Summa Cum Laude Graduate, The Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL |
| 2001 | Awarded Graduate Teaching Assistantship, Florida State University       |
| 2000 | Magna Cum Laude Graduate, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, TN        |

## PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

- The College Music Society
- International Trombone Association
- Phi Kappa Phi
- Pi Kappa Lambda
- Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia