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EMPLOYMENT (ORCHESTRAL):

2022 – present	San Francisco Academy Orchestra <i>Maestro Andrei Gorbatenko</i> <i>Flute</i>	San Francisco, CA
2019 – present	Santa Cruz Symphony <i>Maestro Daniel Stewart</i> <i>Second Flute</i>	Santa Cruz, CA
2017–2019	Symphony San Jose <i>Principal Flute</i>	San Jose, CA
2017–2018	Opera Project Columbus <i>Flute/Piccolo</i>	Columbus, OH
2016–2017	Johnstown Symphony Orchestra <i>Maestro James Blachly</i> <i>Piccolo/Flute 3</i>	Johnstown, PA

EMPLOYMENT (TEACHING):

2019 – present	San Jose Youth Symphony <i>Conductor, Avant and Avancé Flute Choirs</i>	San Jose, CA
2019 – present	Community School of Music and Arts <i>Flute Faculty</i>	Mountain View, CA
2017 – present	Private Flute Studio	San Jose, CA
2019 – 2022	Scherzo Music School <i>Flute Faculty</i>	San Mateo, CA

SUBSTITUTE LISTS (ORCHESTRAL):

2022 – present	Reno Philharmonic	Reno, NV
2019 – present	Stockton Symphony	Stockton, CA
2018 – present	Opera San Jose	San Jose, CA

AUDITION EXPERIENCE:

2019	Semifinalist of National Arts Centre National Audition <i>Second Flute/Piccolo</i>	Ottawa, ON, Canada
2018	Finalist of Marin Symphony Audition <i>Second Flute/Piccolo</i>	San Rafael, CA
2017	Finalist of Boise Philharmonic Orchestra Audition <i>Flute 3</i>	Boise, ID
2017	Semifinalist of Milwaukee Symphony Orchestra Audition <i>Associate Principal/Second Flute</i>	Milwaukee, WI
2017	Semifinalist of Vancouver Symphony National Audition <i>Associate Principal Flute/Piccolo</i>	Vancouver, BC, Canada

EDUCATION:

2015 – 2017	Carnegie Mellon University <i>Master of Music, Flute Performance, Graduate Teaching Assistant</i>	
2011 – 2015	University of Oregon <i>Bachelor of Music, Flute Performance, Summa Cum Laude</i>	

PRIMARY TEACHERS:

2015 – 2017	Alberto Almarza, Jeanne Baxtresser, Lorna McGhee	
2011 – 2015	Molly Barth	
2009 – 2011	Natalie Haworth-Liu	