

Jeremy Wade

Music Educator

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Education

University of the Cumberlands

Williamsburg, KY

Master of Arts in Teaching (M.A.T.)
Integrated Music P-12 (Dec 2023)

University of Kentucky

Lexington, KY

Bachelor of Arts (B.A.)
Telecommunications (May 2011)
Summa Cum Laude

Additional Experience

- Studied Irish music in Ireland: *Craiceann* (2017-2019, 2023). *Búla Buzz Online* (2020-2022).
- Spanish and Irish language experience.
- Online music instruction/ curriculum development.
- 20+ years of Finale Notation Software experience.
- Audio Editing: PreSonus Studio One, Audacity, Garage Band, Soundtrap.
- Active member of the Percussive Arts Society (PAS).

Bodhrán Clinics

- Appalachian State University
- Campbellsville University
- Eastern Kentucky University
- East Tennessee State University
- Kentucky Day of Percussion
- Morehead State University
- Tennessee Day of Percussion
- University of the Cumberlands
- University of Kentucky
- Governor's School for the Arts

Experience

November 2022 – Present

Teaching Artist • Lexington Philharmonic Orchestra

- Design inclusive, culturally-responsive, project-based curricula for in-class and after-school programming (FCPS).
- Provide differentiated instruction in music performance, composition, and theory that is accessible to musicians and non-musicians alike.
- Conducted semester-long residencies at Crawford MS, STEAM Academy, Harrison Elementary, and Julius Marks Elementary.

July 2016 – May 2023

Percussion Instructor • Clark County Public Schools

- Provided in-class instruction for 40-50 percussionists in grades 5-12.
- Directed the GRC High School Percussion Ensemble.
- Assisted with the instruction of the CCPS concert/ jazz ensembles.
- Collaborated with professors and world music specialists to provide regular multicultural programming in class.
- Advised the CCPS band directors on matters pertaining to the percussion curriculum, ensuring vertical alignment.

July 2008 – Present

Percussion Instructor • Lexington Christian Academy

- Established the LCA Percussion Ensemble.
- Instruct approximately 10-15 students – grades 4-12 – in classical, rudimental, world, and novelty percussion techniques.
- Program percussion concerts and educational community events.
- Arrange music for the percussion ensemble.

Cultural Arts Organizations

October 2020 – Present

Co-Director • Kentucky Irish Music Academy

- Established the Kentucky Irish Music Academy.
- Provide in-class and private instrumental instruction for 10-20 students (children and adults).
- Organize Irish music presentations and workshops for community events and folk/ world music festivals.
- Provide musical accompaniment for Irish dance competitions and community events.
- Craft interactive online courses in music theory, performance, and technology, reaching students from at least five different countries.

April 2016 – Present

Music/ Dance Teacher • Kentucky McTeggart Irish Dancers

- Coordinate the Children's Beginning Irish Dance classes.
- Instruct 20-30 children in Irish dance fundamentals and music theory.
- Collaborate with the Children's Program faculty members to ensure vertical alignment within the overall curriculum.
- Prepare students for "Grade Level" assessments and competition.
- Instituted a school-wide assessment rubric.