
Shayna Stahl

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Education

University of Washington	<i>Doctor of Musical Arts</i> Instrumental Conducting	2019
University of Hartford	<i>Master of Music</i> Music Education/Instrumental Conducting Concentration	2014
Stony Brook University	<i>Master of Arts</i> Liberal Studies/Music Concentration	2008
Temple University	<i>Bachelor of Music - Cum Laude</i> Music Education	2005

Full-Time Teaching Experience

University of Kentucky July 2021 - Present
Assistant Director of Bands/Director of Athletic Bands

- Instructor, MUC 188 – Symphony Band (Fall 2022 - Present)
- Instructor, MUC 190.401 - Marching Band (Fall 2021 - Present)
- Instructor, MUC 190.001 – Pep Bands (Fall 2021- Present)
- Instructor, MUC 187 – Concert Band (Fall 2021 & Spring 2022)
- Instructor, MUP 588 – Graduate Conducting Lessons (Spring 2022 - Present)
- Instructor, Independent Study – Conducting (Spring 2022)
- Drill Designer, all halftime and pregame shows
- Advisor – 3 Wind Conductor Graduate Students and 1 Marching Percussion Graduate Students
- Instructor, all halftime and pregame drill
- Instructor, music for Wildcat Marching Band and Pep Band
- Instructor, band showmanship and choreography
- Instructor and coordinator, drum major camp
- Instructor and coordinator, leadership workshops and training
- Coordinator, instrument/equipment inventory
- Coordinator, uniform inventory
- Coordinator, recruitment and retention of the bands program
- Creator and manager, schedules for football games, basketball games, university, and off campus events
- Coordinator, travel arrangements for both marching band and pep band
- Coordinator, resource planning and budgeting with Director of Bands and Business Services Office
- Committee Member – Recruitment Committee in the School of Music
- Committee Member – Undergraduate Committee
- Doctoral Committee Member – 2 DMA Students (Spring 2024)
- Faculty Advisor – Kappa Kappa Psi, Sigma Alpha Iota, and Wildcat Color Guard Indoor Performance Ensemble

University of North Carolina at Charlotte July 2019 - June 2021
Associate Director of Bands/Director of Athletic Bands (July 2019 - June 2021)

- Instructor, MUPF 118 - Marching Band (Fall 2019 and Fall 2020)

- Instructor, MUPF 113 - Symphonic Band (Fall 2019, Spring 2020, Fall 2020, Spring 2021)
- Instructor, MUSC 3134.001 - Fundamentals of Conducting (Fall 2019 and Fall 2020)
- Instructor, MUSC 2222.001 - Marching Band Techniques (Spring 2021)
- Instructor, MUSC 2222.001 - Marching Band Techniques (August - October - Fall 2019)
- Instructor, MUSC 2222.002 - Marching Band Techniques (October - December - Fall 2019)
- Instructor, MUPF 114 - Basketball Band (Spring 2020 and Spring 2021)
- Drill Designer, all halftime and pregame shows
- Instructor, all halftime and pregame drill
- Instructor, music for Pride of Niner Nation Marching Band and Basketball Band
- Instructor, band showmanship and choreography
- Instructor and coordinator, drum major camp
- Instructor and coordinator, leadership workshops and training
- Coordinator, virtual guest lecturers
- Coordinator, recruitment and retention of the athletics bands program
- Creator and manager, schedules for football games, basketball games, university, and off campus events
- Coordinator, travel arrangements for both marching band and pep band
- Coordinator, resource planning and budgeting with Director of Bands and Business Services Coordinator
- Committee Member - Senior Percussion Recital (Fall 2019)
- Faculty Advisor - Sigma Alpha Iota - Mu Psi Chapter (Fall 2019 - Present)

Stony Brook University

August 2006 - July 2016

Director of Athletic Bands (2013 - 2016)

Assistant Director of Athletic Bands (2008 - 2013)

Graduate Assistant Director of Athletic Bands (2006 - 2008)

- Instructor, MUS 268 - Marching Band
- Instructor, LDS 101 - Intro to Stony Brook
- Conductor, The Spirit of Stony Brook Marching Band
- Conductor, The Spirit of Stony Brook Pep Band
- Conductor, The New York Dragons Arena Football League Pep Band (March - June 2008)
- Drill Designer, all halftime and pregame shows
- Instructor, all halftime and pregame drill
- Instructor, music for The Spirit of Stony Brook Marching Band and Pep band
- Instructor, band showmanship and choreography
- Instructor and coordinator, drum major camp
- Instructor and coordinator, leadership workshops and training
- Coordinator, recruitment and retention of both marching band and pep band
- Creator and manager, schedules for football games, basketball games, university, and off campus events
- Coordinator, travel arrangements for both marching band and pep band
- Coordinator, band camp meals, field reservations, rehearsal reservations, scheduling, and training
- Coordinator, annual High School Pep Band Day
- Coordinator, resource planning and budgeting with Interim Associate Dean of Students
- Arranger, 2015 Stony Brook Warm Up
- Arranger, 2014 Stony Brook Fanfare

Middle Country Central School District

September 2005 - July 2013

Band Director/Music Teacher

Dean/Administrative Team

Advisor for the International Thespian Society

Choreographer

- Director, Marching Band (2006 - 2013)
- Conductor, Wind Ensemble 9th-12th Grade (2006 - 2013)
- Conductor, Concert Band 9th Grade (2006 - 2013)
- Conductor, Jazz Ensemble 9th-12th Grade (2006 - 2013)

- Conductor, 8th grade band (2005 - 2006)
- Conductor, Middle School Jazz Band (2005 - 2006)
- Instructor, Music Theory 1- 10th-12th Grade (2006 - 2008)
- Instructor, High School General Music - 9th-12th grade (2010 - 2012)
- Coordinator, annual student music department trips (2011 - 2013)
- Coordinator, recruitment and retention of instrumental band students
- Supervisor, student teachers
- Dean, 11th grade students (2011 - 2013)
- Advisor, International Thespian Society 9th - 12th grade
- Composer, Newfield High School Fight Song
- Choreographer, high school musicals (2006 - 2013)
- Choreographer, middle school musicals (2005 - 2006)

Additional Professional Experience

University of Washington

July 2016 - Present

Graduate Assistant Director - Husky Marching Band/Pep Band
 Assistant Conductor - Wind Ensemble
 Conductor - Concert Band

- Teaching Assistant, Marching Band Techniques (2016 and 2018)
- Teaching Assistant, Advanced Undergraduate Conducting (2018)
- Teaching Assistant, Introductory Music Methods II (2017)
- Coordinator, Summer Conducting Symposium
- Editor, Prized Composer webpage
- Assistant Conductor, Wind Ensemble
- Assistant Conductor, Chamber Wind Ensemble
- Conductor, Concert Band
- Conductor, Pregame Performances
- Conductor, Halftime Performances
- Conductor, Football Stands
- Conductor, Volleyball Pep Band
- Conductor, Basketball Pep Band
- Conductor, Run-out performances
- Drill Writer, Holiday Show 2018
- Drill Writer, Veteran's Day Tribute Show 2018 (Revised Medley and Designed Sweet Land of Liberty)
- Drill Writer, Best of Broadway 2018
- Drill Writer, Veteran's Day Tribute Show 2017
- Drill Writer, Cult Movie Classics 2017
- Drill Writer, 1991 Football Tribute Show 2016
- Drill Writer, Band Day 2016 and 2017

Washington Marching Band Camps

July 2017/July 2018

Drum Major Instructor

- Instructor, Conducting Techniques
- Instructor, Basic Fundamentals of Field Conducting
- Instructor, Effective Teaching and Cleaning of Marching Fundamentals
- Instructor, Leadership Development
- Instructor, Visual and/or Whistle Commands
- Instructor, Drum Major Salutes

Long Island University-Post
Marching Band Consultant

March 2016 - May 2016

- Consultant, Staffing
- Consultant, Program description
- Consultant, Rehearsal allocation and facilities
- Consultant, Equipment purchasing

South Huntington School District
Dance Instructor
Music Instructor

July 2006 - July 2012

- Dance instructor, ballet and jazz - ages 10 - 17
- Instructor, beginner recorder - ages 7 - 9
- Instructor, beginner clarinets - 4th grade
- Conductor, beginner band - ages 10 - 14

Private Lesson Teacher
French horn Instructor

July 2001 - January 2011

- Instructor, basic French horn fundamentals
- Instructor, solo competition performances

Performance Groups

University of Washington Wind Ensemble
o Performer, French Horn

September 2016 - June 2018

Atlantic Wind Symphony (oldest fully professional concert band on Long Island) April 2013 - July 2016
Performer/Executive Board

- Executive Board (Chairperson, Awards Concert & Solo Competition, 2015 - 2016)
- Assistant Principal Horn (2015 - 2016)
- Substitute French horn (2013 - 2015)

Suffolk Horn Club
Performer

September 2009 - July 2016

Huntington Community Band
Performer

July 2010 - August 2011

Awards/ Scholarship

- Finalist for the American Prize in Conducting – Professional and College/University Division (2019 - 2020)
- Semi – Finalist – The American Prize in Conducting – Professional and College/University Band Division (2019 - 2020)
- Winner - The American Prize in Conducting – Band/Wind Ensemble – Community Division (2018 – 2019)
- Honorable Mention - The American Prize in Conducting – Band/Wind Ensemble - College/University Division (2018 - 2019)
- Winner - American Prize in Conducting, Community Band/Wind Ensemble Division (2017 - 2018)
- Recipient of the 2011 Collegiate Band Directors Association Conducting Study Grant
 - Awarded to women and people of diverse ethnicity seeking an opportunity for professional development. Award recipients receive tuition-free participation

- at a sponsored summer conducting workshop.
- Woman of the Year Award, Stony Brook University Marching Band (Spring 2011)
 - Awarded for outstanding contributions to the Athletic Bands Department
- Sigma Alpha Iota, Ruby Sword of Honor winner for outstanding service (Spring 2005)

Professional Affiliations

- SEC Band Directors (2023 - Present)
 - Commissioning Committee
- Kentucky Intercollegiate Band (2023 - Present)
 - Secretary
- Kentucky Music Educators Association (2021 - Present)
 - College/University Chair – District 7
 - Member
- WBDI – Women Band Directors International (2019 - Present)
 - Chair – Composition Competition Committee
 - Member of Diversity Committee
- CBDNA - Collegiate Band Directors National Association (2010 - Present)
 - Diversity Committee Member
- NBA - National Band Association (2016 - Present)
- SAI – Sigma Alpha Iota, Professional music fraternity for women (Spring 2002 - Present)
 - College and Community Outreach Committee Chairwomen (2019)
 - Alumni Chapter - Vice President of Ritual (2018 - 2019)
- Kappa Kappa Psi, Honorary Member (Spring 2018 - Present)
- SCMEA - Suffolk County Music Educators' Association (2005 - 2016)
 - Chairperson of the Band Conductor Selection Committee (2015 - 2016)
- NYSSMA - New York State School Music Association (2005 - 2016)
 - NYSSMA Winter Conference Marching Band Chairperson

Guest Conducting

Guest Conductor	New York State Band Directors Association <i>High School Honor Band</i>	March 2024
Guest Conductor	KYVA - Summer Winds <i>Summer Band Guest Conductor</i>	June 2023
Guest Conductor	Grand Night - Lexington, KY <i>Guest Conductor</i>	June 2023
Guest Conductor	KMEA District 12 <i>Jefferson County Public Schools All County Symphonic Band</i>	November 2022
Guest Conductor	University of Kentucky Wind Symphony <i>Guest Conductor KMEA Performance</i>	February 2022
Guest Conductor	KMEA District 7 <i>9th Grade All District Band</i>	January 2022
Guest Conductor	UNC Charlotte Wind Symphony <i>CBDNA South Division Conference</i>	February 2020
Guest Conductor	UNC Charlotte Honor Band Festival <i>Charlotte, NC</i>	December 2019
Guest Conductor	Andrew Koch's Doctoral Organ Recital <i>Seattle, WA</i>	March 2018
Guest Conductor	Atlantic Wind Symphony <i>Patchogue, NY</i>	June 2016
Guest Conductor	Huntington Community Band <i>Huntington, NY</i>	July 2015
Guest Conductor	SCMEA Day of Horn <i>Northport, NY</i>	January 2014
Guest Conductor	Huntington Community Band <i>Huntington, NY</i>	July 2011

Clinicians & Masterclass Presentations

Presenter	NYSBDA <i>Back to Basics - The Healthy Conductor</i>	March 2024
Presenter	KMEA <i>Back to Basics - The Healthy Conductor</i>	February 2024
Guest Clinician	Smith Walbridge Clinics <i>Head Clinician - Drum Major Camp</i>	July 2023
Guest Speaker	Governor School of the Arts - Kentucky <i>Becoming a Conductor</i>	July 2023
Guest Clinician	Washington Marching Band Camps - Seattle, Washington <i>Clinician – Drum Major Camp</i>	June 2023
Presenter	College Band Directors National Association <i>Athletic Band Conference</i> <i>Successful Band Relationships with Spirt Squads - Cheerleaders and Dance Team</i>	May 2023
Presenter	NAfME Eastern Division Conference <i>Student Leaders and Your Marching Band</i>	April 2023
Presenter	NAfME Western Division Conference <i>The Healthy Conductor - Tips, Tricks, and Quick Fixes</i>	February 2023
Guest Lecturer	University of Washington - Instrumental Methods Class <i>Directing a Marching Band</i>	February 2023
Guest Lecturer	University of Washington - Graduate Conducting Class <i>Applying and Interviewing for Higher Education Jobs</i>	February 2023
Guest Clinician	Smith Walbridge Clinics <i>Head Clinician - Drum Major Camp</i>	July 2022
Guest Speaker	Governor School of the Arts - Kentucky <i>Becoming a Conductor</i>	July 2022
Guest Clinician	University of Kentucky - Conducting Symposium <i>Video Review Clinician</i>	June 2022
Presenter	NYSCAME Virtual Presentation <i>Conductor's Toolbox - Tips, Tricks and Quick Fixes to Healthy Conducting</i>	January 2022
Guest Speaker	Marching Arts Education <i>Grand Nationals Guest Speaker - Live</i>	November 2021
Presenter	NCMEA Conference <i>Student Leaders and Your Marching Band</i>	November 2021
Guest Speaker	Marching Arts Education <i>Virtual Roundtable - College Band Directors</i>	October 2021
Guest Speaker	Living Learning Program - University of Kentucky <i>Art Talk Series</i>	September 2021
Guest Speaker	University of Kentucky <i>Convocation Speaker</i>	September 2021
Guest Clinician	Women Band Director International <i>Pain and Injury Among Wind Conductors</i>	July 2021
Guest Speaker	Governor School of the Arts <i>Co-presenter - Wind Band Conducting and Music Selection</i>	July 2021
Guest Clinician	Atlantic Wind Symphony <i>Virtual Clinic - Leadership and the Transition from HS to College</i>	June 2021
Guest Speaker	Career in Music - Virtual Clinic <i>Lake Washington High School - Kirkland, Washington</i>	May 2021
Guest Lecturer	Laban Conducting Workshop <i>Northwestern State University - Natchitoches, LA</i>	February 2021
Guest Speaker	UNC Charlotte <i>Virtual Ensembles</i>	August 2020
Presenter	Virtual Workshop (2) <i>Higher Education Job Search</i>	May 2020
Guest Speaker	Band Director's Shop Talk	May 2020

Guest Clinician	<i>Conductor's Roundtable</i> Porter Ridge High School Concert Bands <i>North Carolina MPA Preparation</i>	March 2020
Guest Clinician	Cuthbertson High School Concert Band Camp <i>North Carolina MPA Preparation</i>	February 2020
Guest Clinician	North Lincoln High School Concert Bands <i>North Carolina MPA Preparation</i>	February 2020
Guest Clinician	Newport High School <i>Washington Assessment Preparation</i>	March 2018
Guest Clinician	Maple Mountain High School <i>Utah Assessment Preparation</i>	March 2018
Guest Clinician	Sheyenne High School <i>North Dakota Assessment Preparation</i>	March 2018
Presenter	University of Washington Leadership Retreat <i>Co-Presenter - True Colors</i>	September 2017
Guest Clinician	North Creek High School <i>Marching Band Camp, Washington</i>	August 2017
Guest Clinician	Monterey Middle School <i>Canada Assessment Preparation</i>	May 2017
Guest Clinician	West Jordan High School <i>Utah Assessment Preparation</i>	April 2017
Guest Clinician	Kawananakoa Middle School <i>Hawaii Assessment Preparation</i>	March 2017
Guest Clinician	WG Murdock School <i>Alberta Assessment Preparation</i>	March 2017
Presenter	University of Washington Leadership Retreat <i>Co-presenter - Leadership Styles</i>	September 2016
Presenter	NYSSMA Winter Conference <i>Student Leaders and Your Marching Bands</i>	December 2015

Adjudicator

Guest Adjudicator	University of Illinois Marching Band Championship <i>Visual Individual Judge</i>	October 2022
Guest Adjudicator	Murray State University <i>Visual Ensemble and Visual Individual Judge</i>	October 2022
Guest Adjudicator	University of Kentucky Windfest <i>Music Adjudicator and Clinician</i>	April 2022
Guest Adjudicator	KMEA District 9 <i>Kentucky Large Ensemble Assessment</i>	April 2022
Guest Adjudicator	Arkansas State Marching Band Festival <i>Drum Major Adjudicator</i>	October 2019
Guest Adjudicator	Northlake Region Band 1 Festival <i>Large Ensemble Judge</i>	May 2018
Guest Adjudicator	Commencement Bay Music Educators Association Festival <i>Large Ensemble Judge</i>	March 2018
Guest Adjudicator	Hazen High School <i>Large Ensemble Judge</i>	March 2017
Guest Adjudicator	San Juan Solo & Ensemble Contest <i>Solo & Ensemble Adjudicator - Washington</i>	January 2017
Guest Adjudicator	NYSSMA Solo Festival <i>Huntington, NY</i>	May 2015

Significant Performances

University of Kentucky Symphony Band	KMEA Conference	February 2024
University of Kentucky Marching Band	Tax Slayer Gator Bowl	December 2023

University of Kentucky Marching Band	Music City Bowl Performance	December 2022
University of Kentucky Wind Symphony	KMEA Conference	January 2022
University of Kentucky Marching Band	Citrus Bowl Performance	December 2021
UNC Charlotte Wind Ensemble	CBDNA South Division Conference	February 2020
UNC Charlotte Marching Band	Makers Wanted Bahamas Bowl	December 2019
UNC Charlotte Marching Band	Thanksgiving Day Parade - Charlotte, NC	November 2019
UNC Charlotte Marching Band	Halftime Performance - Clemson University	October 2019
University of Washington Wind Ensemble	China Tour	March 2019
University of Washington Marching Band	Rose Bowl Performances - California	January 2019
University of Washington Marching Band	Tournament of Roses Parade - California	January 2019
University of Washington Marching Band	Fiesta Bowl	December 2017
University of Washington Marching Band	Fiesta Bowl Parade	December 2017
Pacific Northwest Intercollegiate MB	St. Patrick's Day Parade - Dublin, Ireland	March 2017
University of Washington Marching Band	Peach Bowl - Georgia	December 2016
University of Washington Marching Band	Peach Bowl Parade	December 2016
University of Washington Marching Band	PAC - 12 Championship Game	December 2016
Stony Brook University Marching Band	<i>Walk the Moon</i> – Performance	September 2015
Stony Brook University Marching Band	Pepsi - Online Superbowl Commercial	January 2014
Stony Brook University Marching Band	NYC - <i>Columbus Day Parade</i>	October 2014
Stony Brook University Marching Band	NYC - <i>Columbus Day Parade</i>	October 2013
Stony Brook University Marching Band	NYC - <i>Columbus Day Parade</i>	October 2012

Collegiate Marching Band Drill Design

University of Kentucky – Lexington, KY

- Pregame Show - Drill Writer - Fall 2023
- WMB Honor Band Day - Show Advisor - September 2023
- Pop 2K - Show Advisor - September 2023
- Alumni Band Day - Show Advisor - September 2023
- Metallica Show - Show Designer and Drill Writer - September 2023
- Women of Pop - Show Designer and Drill Writer - October 2023
- Veteran's Day Tribute - Show Advisor - November 2023
- University of Kentucky Pregame Show - Drill Writer - Fall 2022
- John Williams Tribute - Designer/Writer - September 2022
- Great Horn Bands of the 70s - Advisor/Editor - September 2022
- Broadway Classics - Advisor/Editor - October 2022
- Modern Broadway - Advisor/Editor - October 2022
- American Salute - Advisor/Editor - November 2022
- Elements Halftime - Designer/Writer - November 2022
- 2021 Pregame Show - Drill Writer
- Social Media Hits - Designer/Writer - September 2021
- Together Again! - Advisor/Editor - October 2021
- Marvel Movies - Advisor/Editor - October 2021
- Veteran's Day Show - Advisor/Editor - November 2021
- 80s Halftime Show - Designer/Writer - November 2021

University of North Carolina at Charlotte – Charlotte, NC

- Pregame Show - Fall 2019
- The 90s - August 2019
- Elton John Halftime Show - September/October 2019
- Pop Playlist - October 2019
- Armed Forces Salute - November 2019

University of Washington - Seattle, WA

- Best of Broadway - Rose Bowl Edition - 2019
- A Swingin' Husky Holiday - 2018
- Salute to Service - 2018

- Best of Broadway - 2018
- Cult Classic Movie Themes - 2017
- Salute to Service - 2017
- 1991 National Championship Tribute – 2016

Stony Brook University - Stony Brook, NY

- Shrek Part 2 show - 2018
- Shrek Part 1 show- 2018
- Pregame Revisions - 2018
- Veteran’s Day show - 2015
- Halloween show - 2015
- Billy Joel show - 2015
- Summer’s Greatest Hits show - 2015
- Pregame Revisions - 2015
- Veteran’s Day Tribute - 2014
- The Great Horn Bands of the 70s show - 2014
- Fall Out Boy/Paramore show - 2014
- Pregame Revisions - 2014
- Veteran’s Day show - 2013
- Latin Jazz show - 2013
- Mash Up show - 2013
- Pregame Revisions - 2013
- Veteran’s Day show - 2012
- Hurricane Tribute show - 2012
- Top 40s Hits show - 2012
- Pre-Game Revisions - 2012
- Veteran’s Day show - 2011
- Long Island Music Hall of Fame show - 2011
- Pop show - 2011
- Pregame Revisions - 2011
- Veteran’s Day show - 2010
- Drumline Live show - 2010
- Glee show - 2010
- Pregame Revisions - 2010
- Veteran’s Day show - 2009
- Surf show - 2009
- Decades show - 2009
- Pregame Revisions- 2009
- Veteran’s Day show - 2008
- Earth, Wind, and Fire show - 2008
- Paul Simon show - 2008
- Pregame show - 2008
- Veteran’s Day show - 2007
- Billy Joel show - 2007
- Pregame show - 2007
- Inaugural Halftime show – 2006

High School Marching Band Drill Design

Ward Melville High School – East Setauket, NY

- Women of Pop - 2023
- Mambo - 2022
- Guardians of the Galaxy - Galactic Rewind - 2021
- A Message of Hope - 2020

- Queen Halftime Show - 2019
- Billy Joel Show - 2018
- 80s Halftime Show - 2017
- Video Game Show - 2016
- Latin Jazz Show - 2015
- James Bond - 2014
- Incredibles Show - 2013

Snohomish High School – Snohomish, WA

- Throw Back Halftime Show - 2023
- Marvel - 2022
- Pop Halftime Show - 2019
- Sounds of Seattle Show - 2018
- Queen Show - 2017
- Student Choice Show - 2016

North Creek High School – Bothell, WA

- Pregame/Halftime Drill - 2018
- Marching Band Technique - 2017
- Pregame/Halftime Entrance - 2017
- Pregame/Halftime Concert Formations - 2017

Marching Band Compositions/Arrangements

2016 We are the Champions Tag Revisions
 2015 Stony Brook Warm Up Composer
 2014 Pregame Fanfare