

# Kallie Marrison

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## Education

- Mississippi University for Women, Columbus, MS **Aug. 2022 – May 2025**
- Master of Fine Arts in Theatre Education (graduated with 4.0 GPA)
  - Recipient of several scholarships as well as the President's Fund for thesis project
- Valley City State University, Valley City, ND **Aug. 2020 – May 2023**
- Bachelor of Science in Music with Piano Pedagogy and Composition Certificates (graduated with honors)
  - Recipient of the Outstanding Senior Award
- Michigan State University Lansing, MI **Sep. 2018 - May 2020**
- Bachelor of Fine Arts in Acting and Film Studies Minor (graduated with honors)
  - Participated in an intense and immersive five-week theatre study abroad experience in London
  - Participated in a stage makeup class and designed many makeup creations as well as used those skills for designing makeup for a character in a student film
  - Collaborated with a stagehand crew team for a show through teamwork and effective communication
  - Performed in Haunted Auditorium through teamwork, collaboration, character development, and creativity – all which contributed to helping MSU raise \$20,000+ for student grants
- Lansing Community College, Lansing, MI **Jun. 2016 – Aug. 2018**
- Associates Degree in Theatre (Summa Cum Laude)
- Dale Carnegie, Elsie, MI **Feb. 2014 – Apr. 2014**
- Graduated with Honors including the Golden Book Cube, 10x pin, and multiple pens/books.

## Experience:

- Piano Teacher – self-employed, Dewitt, MI **Sep. 2014 – Present**
- 25 years of piano playing experience
  - 11 years of teaching experience – including 4 years of online teaching experience
  - Educating, guiding, encouraging, and critiquing 27 students ranging from 5 to 55 years old
  - Creating and designing weekly lesson plans and letters to parents
  - Organized many piano recitals – including creating programs, contacting individuals, and planning/rehearsing
- First National Bank of America, Lansing, MI **Feb. 2025 – Present**
- Communicating with Title Companies to collect and document Final Title Policies, Deed of Trusts, and Assignment of Liens as well as inputting new accounts into the system
  - Indexing bills/other documents and creating welcome packets for new clients
- Lansing Community College, Lansing, MI **June 2016 – Present**
- Performed as an actor in 10+ shows
  - Teacher Assisted a stage combat class (and taught an acting workshop at LCC's Steam Fest)
  - Directed a one act play "Snow White and the Seven Dudes" and a 10-minute play "The Right Way"
  - Music directed "My Emperor's New Clothes" - taught music to cast, rehearsed regularly with them, and performed live for all performances
- Okemos Music Academy, Okemos, MI **Feb. 2021 – Dec. 2021**
- Educated, guided, encouraged, and critiqued 15 students ranging from 5 to 40 years old
  - Created and designed weekly lesson plans
- Christ Episcopal Church, Owosso, MI **Sep. 2016 – Sep. 2020**
- Collaborated and assisted musicians at Christ Episcopal Church to share love of music and bless the congregation through playing piano/guitar and singing.
- Children's Community Theatre, Perry, MI **June 2019**
- Educated and guided 60+ children by showing them stage makeup techniques at summer drama camp
  - Educated and guided 20 children on different warmups/acting games, script analysis, and character creation analysis/techniques
- Our Town Family Theater, Perry, MI **Sep. 2014 – May 2016**
- Assisted teacher/director with summer camp for children by helping with acting games, playing piano, and stage managing the performances
  - Accompanied live show performances on the piano and worked on songs with actors during rehearsal
  - Performed as an actor in two shows