

Brad Pilcher

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Education

- 2023-present M.M. Woodwind Performance
Florida State University, Tallahassee, Florida
Dr. Deborah Bish & Dr. Jonathan Holden, professors
- 2019-2023 B.M. Clarinet Performance, Summa Cum Laude
Columbus State University, Columbus, Georgia
Dr. Lisa Oberlander, professor

Teaching Experience

- 2019-present Freelance Private Lessons Teacher
Intermediate & Advanced Students
- 2019-present Freelance Music Theory & Aural Skills tutor
Proficiency in all four levels of Theory & Aural Skills
- 2023 Smiths Station High School- Guest Clinician
Low Reed Instructor

Employment outside of Teaching

- 2024-Present Instrument Library, Florida State
Distribute instruments for ensembles and Music Education classes, as well as take inventory of FSU-owned instruments and lock/unlock rooms around the College of Music
- 2024-Present Recital Tech, Florida State
Manage concerts from A/V booth and backstage
- 2019-Present Repair Technician, Freelance
Experience in the entirety of the clarinet family, including minor tweaks and major work (pad replacement, cork adjustment, key adjustment)
- 2021-2023 Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia Philanthropy
Ushering, Stage Managing
- 2020-2023 Student Facility Manager, Columbus State
Managed concerts from front-of-house and backstage, as well as performing necessary tasks around the Schwob school of music (ie:prepping classrooms, running auditions, aiding with donors and visitors)

Leadership in Performing Ensembles Experience

Large Ensembles

2024-present	Florida State University Symphony Orchestra <i>Principal Clarinetist, Second Clarinetist</i>
2023-present	Florida State University Wind Orchestra <i>Bass clarinetist, E-flat Clarinetist</i>
2022-2024	Silent Nights (film- Dir. Thomas Ballew) <i>Clarinetist</i>
2020-2023	Schwob Philharmonic <i>Principal Clarinetist</i> <i>Second Clarinetist</i> <i>Auxiliary Clarinet Specialist</i>
2020-2023	Schwob Contemporary Ensemble <i>Clarinet</i> <i>E-flat Clarinet</i>
2019-2023	St Luke UMC (Columbus) Wind Orchestra <i>Principal clarinetist</i> <i>Bass clarinetist</i>
2019-2023	Schwob Wind Ensemble <i>Principal clarinetist</i> <i>Section clarinet</i> <i>Auxiliary clarinet specialist</i>
2022, 2023	Trinity Church (Opelika) Chamber Orchestra <i>Visiting Principal Clarinet</i>
2022, 2023	Schwob Jazz Orchestras <i>Visiting Clarinet</i> <i>Lead Tenor Sax</i>
2022	Auburn UMC (Auburn, AL) Festival Orchestra and Chorus <i>Principal Clarinetist</i>
2022	Georgia Philharmonic <i>Visiting Clarinet</i>
2022	Schwob Wind Orchestra <i>Visiting Bass Clarinet</i>

Chamber Ensembles

2024-present	Polymorphia Contemporary Ensemble <i>Principal Clarinetist, Bass clarinetist, Second Clarinetist</i>
2022-2023	Impulse Reed Quintet (founder) <i>B-flat Clarinet</i>

2019-2023	Schwob Clarinet Quartet <i>Bass Clarinet</i> <i>Second Clarinet</i>
2021-2022	Schwob Wind Quintet (founder) <i>Clarinet</i>
2020-2021	Schwob Reed Quintet (founder) <i>Bass Clarinet</i>
2021	Atlanta Wind Project <i>Co-Principal Clarinet</i>

Conventions

National/International

7/31/24-8/4/24	ClarinetFest (ICA): Dublin, Ireland <i>Invited Performer- FSU Graduate Clarinet Ensemble</i>
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Regional

2022	Magic City Clarinet Festival, Montevallo, Alabama <i>Young Artist Competition Competitor</i>
2021	Magic City Clarinet Festival, Birmingham, Alabama <i>Invited Performer- Soloist & CSU Clarinet Ensemble</i>

Major Performances

**Denotes a world premiere **Denotes a United States Premiere*

Guest Appearances

Oct. 2022	Georgia Philharmonic <i>West Side Story, E-flat Clarinet</i>
Feb. 2022	Atlanta Wind Project (Recorded in July 2021) <i>Seascapes (Gipps)</i> <i>Respiration Suite (Andriessen)</i> <i>Sinfonietta (Raff)</i>
Aug. 2021	Magic City Clarinet Festival <i>Three Etudes On Gershwin (Solo- Harvey), clarinetist</i> <i>Drastic Measures (Quartet- Peck), bass clarinet</i> <i>Sonata V (Choir- Handel, Arr. Dishinger), 4th Clarinet</i>

Performances at Florida State University

10/17/2024	Members of the FSU Wind Orchestra <i>Kammermusik No. 7, Op.46 No. 2 (Hindemith)</i>
10/12/2024	University Symphony Orchestra <i>Trois Nocturnes mvt. 2 (Debussy)</i>

9/20/2024	<p>Florida State University Wind Orchestra</p> <p><i>La Belle Hélène Overture (Offenbach tr. Odom)</i></p> <p><i>The Liberty Bell (Sousa)</i></p> <p><i>American Hymn Song Suite mvt. 2, 3, 4 (Milburn)</i></p> <p><i>El Capitan (Sousa)</i></p> <p><i>Two Irish Folk Melodies mvt. 2 (Clarke arr. Hunsburger)</i></p> <p><i>Cosmopolitan America (Butler, arr. Bonner Jr.)</i></p> <p><i>Irish Tune From County Derry (Grainger ed Clark/Schmidt)</i></p> <p><i>Nobles of the Mystic Shrine (Sousa)</i></p> <p><i>The Cowboys Overture (Williams arr. Bocook)</i></p> <p><i>The Stars and Stripes forever (Sousa)</i></p>
9/14/2024	<p>Polymorphia Chamber Ensemble</p> <p><i>Igerthi (Hong)</i></p> <p><i>This, too, is our Revolution (Yu)**</i></p>
7/31/2024	<p>FSU Graduate Clarinet Ensemble</p> <p><i>Dona eis Pacem (Noble)*</i></p> <p><i>That Beautiful Thing (Silverman)*</i></p> <p><i>Friede auf Erden (Schönberg arr. Pilcher)</i></p>
4/22/2024	<p>Florida State University Wind Orchestra</p> <p><i>I wake in the Dark and Remember (Puckett)</i></p> <p><i>Sinfonietta (Dahl)</i></p> <p><i>Candide Suite (Bernstein)</i></p>
4/18/2024	<p>Polymorphia Chamber Ensemble</p> <p><i>all began with one droplet (Juntilla)*</i></p> <p><i>Reflective (Lawson)</i></p> <p><i>Reed Quintet (Davenport)</i></p>
4/1/2024-4/4/2024	<p>Florida State Opera</p> <p><i>The Cunning Little Vixen (Janáček)</i></p>
2/29/2024	<p>Florida State University Wind Orchestra</p> <p><i>Festive Overture (Shostakovich arr. Hunsberger)</i></p> <p><i>Theme and Variations. Op. 43a (Schönberg)</i></p> <p><i>Nobles of the Mystic Shrine (Sousa)</i></p>
2/11/2024	<p>Spring Prism</p> <p><i>Festive Overture (Shostakovich arr. Hunsberger)</i></p>
2/1/2024-2/3/2024	<p>Festival of New Music at Florida State University</p> <p><i>Like an Altar with 9000 Robot Attendants (Lindveit)</i></p> <p><i>by of lethean (Du Yun)</i></p> <p><i>Phantasmagoria (Okura)</i></p> <p><i>Hundred Heads (Du Yun)</i></p> <p><i>City Electric (Spotts)</i></p>

11/28-12/1 Fall Prism
Rocky Point Holiday
Selections From Mulan (arr. Perez)

11/15/2023 Florida State University Wind Orchestra
An Outdoor Overture (Copland)
Deep River (Horne)
Reflections on the Mississippi (Daugherty)
la flor mas linda (Lyons)

9/22/2023 Florida State University Wind Orchestra
Rocky Point Holiday (Nelson)
"Mein Junges Leben Hat Ein End" (Sweelinck, tr. Ricker)
Fantasy Variations (Grantham)
Point Blank (Dooley)
Symphonic Metamorphosis (Hindemith)

Performances at Columbus State University

4/25/2024 (Visiting) Schwob Wind Orchestra ft. Dr Lisa Oberlander
Danza Final (Ginastera)

Apr. 2023 Schwob Philharmonic
Symphony No. 5 (Mahler)

Apr. 2023 Schwob Choral Union & Chamber Orchestra
The Notebooks of Leonardo DaVinci (Hagen)

Apr. 2023 Schwob Wind Ensemble
Children's March: Over the Hills and Far Away (Grainger)
Deep River (Horne)
Re(new)al (Cuong)
Symphony No. 4 (Maslanka)

Apr. 2023 Gusto! at Columbus State
Rhapsody in Blue (Gershwin)

Apr. 2023 Clarinet Studio Recital
Premiere Rhapsodie (Debussy)
Uptown Funk (arr. Lowenstern)

Mar. 2023 Schwob Philharmonic
Suite from "The Mission" (Morricone)

Mar. 2023 Kaleidoscope
Uptown Funk (arr. Lowenstern)
Frozen Cathedral (Mackey)

Feb. 2023 Schwob Wind Ensemble
Fugue à la Gigue (Bach, tr. Mitchell)
Connection (Navarro)
Dragon Rhyme (Yi)
Frozen Cathedral (Mackey)

Feb. 2023 Atlanta Symphony Orchestra & Schwob Chamber Players
Serenade for Winds mvmts. I & IV (Dvorák)

Nov. 2022 Schwob Philharmonic
Sensemaya (Revueltas)
Scheherazade (Rimsky-Korsakov)

Nov. 2022 Schwob Wind Ensemble
Overture to Candide (Bernstein)
Prelude in e-flat Minor (Shostakovich, tr. Reynolds)
Folk Dances (Shostakovich, tr. Reynolds)
Solace: A Lyric Concerto (Love)
Feste Romane (Respighi, tr. Kimura)

Oct. 2022 Brad Pilcher Senior Solo Recital
Premiere Rhapsodie (Debussy)
Concerto in A Major, K. 622 mvmt. I (Mozart)
Clarinet Concerto (Copland)

Oct. 2022 Schwob Contemporary Orchestra
Chamber Symphony No. 1 (Schoenberg)

Oct. 2022 Johns Creek HS Orchestra & The Schwob Philharmonic
Romeo and Juliet Overture-Fantasy (Tchaikovsky)

Oct. 2022 Schwob Philharmonic
*Swift Currents and Eddies (Harris)**
Romeo and Juliet Overture-Fantasy (Tchaikovsky)

Sep. 2022 Schwob Wind Ensemble
La Fiesta Mexicana (Reed)
Concerto for Wind Ensemble mvmts. III & V (Bryant)

May 2022 Schwob Philharmonic
Love for Three Oranges (Prokofiev)
Symphony No. 5 (Shostakovich)

Apr. 2022 Dominic Bernard Senior Recital
Wind Quintet (Nielsen)

Apr. 2022 Schwob Wind Ensemble
Rocky Point Holiday (Nelson)
Legacy (Navarro)
Pines of Rome (Respighi, tr. Kimura)

Mar. 2022 Clarinet Studio Recital
Three Studies on Flight mvmt. I (Riepe)
Canonic Suite mvmt. I & III (Carter)

Mar. 2022 Brad Pilcher Junior Solo Recital
Sonata No. 1 in f-minor, Op. 120 (Brahms)
Three Studies on Flight mvmts. II & I (Riepe)
Introduction, Theme and Variations (Rossini)

Mar. 2022 Schwob Philharmonic
Soul Force (Montgomery)
Viola Concerto (Walton)

Feb. 2022 Schwob Wind Ensemble
*Zoom (Boerma)**
Variations on the Porazzi Theme (Reed)
J'ai été au bal (Grantham)
Four Scottish Dances (Arnold)
Danzon No. 2 (Marquez)

Feb. 2022 Kaleidoscope
Come Sunday (Thomas)

Feb. 2022 Schwob Wind Ensemble & Milton HS Wind Ensemble
Symphonic Metamorphosis mvmt. IV (Hindemith)
J'ai été au bal (Grantham)
Four Scottish Dances mvmt. III (Arnold)
Come Sunday (Thomas)

Nov. 2021 Schwob Philharmonic
Jeux (Debussy)

Nov. 2021 Schwob Wind Ensemble
Places We Can No Longer Go (Mackey)
Symphonic Metamorphosis mvmt. IV (Hindemith)
Sleep (Whitacre)
Symphonic Dances from West Side Story (Bernstein)

Oct. 2021 Nick Tewell senior recital
Divertimento mvmts. II & III (Uhl)

Oct. 2021 Schwob Philharmonic
Miraculous Mandarin (Bartók)

Oct. 2021 Schwob Wind Ensemble
Short Ride in a Fast Machine (Adams)
Concerto for Tuba (Williams)
Of Our New Day Begun (Thomas)
Come Sunday (Thomas)

Apr. 2021 Schwob Contemporary Ensemble
Corker (Larsen)

Apr. 2021 Clarinet Studio Recital
Rondo from Clarinet Quintet (Weber)
Drastic Measures (Peck)

Late Spring 2021 Schwob Wind Ensemble (**Virtual-Published June 2021**)
Serenade in c minor movmt. 1 (Mozart)
Adagio para Orquesta de Instrumentos de Viento
(Rodrigo)

Feb. 2021 Brad Pilcher Sophomore supplemental Solo Recital
Sonata No. 2 in Eb, Op. 120 movt. 1 (Brahms)
Sonatina movt. 1 (Rosza)
Sonata movts. 2 & 3 (Poulenc)

Early Spring 2021 Schwob Wind Ensemble (**Virtual-Published Apr. 2021**)
The Last Hivemind (Li)

Late Fall 2020 Schwob Wind Ensemble (**Virtual-Published Dec. 2020**)
Consort for Ten Winds movmt. I & II (Spittal)

Feb. 2020 Kaleidoscope
Lincolnshire Posy movmt. VI (Grainger, arr. Johnson)
Millennium Canons (Puts)

Feb. 2020 Schwob Wind Ensemble
Picture Studies (Schoenberg)
Trauermusik (Wagner)
Millennium Canons (Puts)

Nov. 2019 Schwob Wind Ensemble
Festive Overture (Shostakovich, tr. Hunsberger)
Make Our Garden Grow from Candide (Bernstein)
Star Wars movmts. I, II, IV, V (Williams, tr. Hunsberger)[†]
[†] *movmt III swapped with Star Wars: The Force Awakens (Williams, arr. Bocook)*

Sep. 2019 Schwob Wind Ensemble
Molly on the Shore (Grainger)
Petals of Fire (Zhou)
Dionysiaques (Schmitt)

Publications

Nov. 2023 Created a personal website www.bradpilcher.com

October 2019 Entered "March of the River" for concert band* into
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**Original Composition*

Awards and Honors

2024	FSU Congress of Graduate Students Grant <i>International Presentation grant for presenting at ClarinetFest 2024 in Dublin, Ireland</i>
2024	University Musical Associates Fowler Award <i>Endowment for presenting at ClarinetFest 2024 in Dublin, Ireland</i>
2023	Schwob School of Music Concerto Competition, <i>Semi-Finalist</i>
2023	Charleston Int'l Music Competition <i>Age 20-24 First Place, Gold Medal</i>
2023	Euterpe Music Awards <i>Class Advanced A First Place, Bronze Prize</i>
2022	Schwob School of Music Concerto Competition, <i>Semi-Finalist</i>
2019	Schwob School of Music Patron of the Arts Scholarship

Memberships

2023-Present	ASCAP
2023-Present	International Clarinet Association
2021-2023	Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia <i>President: Xi Gamma Chapter, Columbus State University</i>

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