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Education

2025-Present	D.M.A Music Performance <i>University of Southern Mississippi, Hattiesburg, Mississippi</i> <i>Dr. Jacqueline McIlwain, professor</i> <i>Graduate assistant, clarinet studio</i>
2023-2025	M.M. Woodwind Performance <i>Florida State University, Tallahassee, Florida</i> <i>Dr. Deborah Bish & Dr. Jonathan Holden, professors</i>
2019-2023	B.M. Clarinet Performance, Summa Cum Laude <i>Columbus State University, Columbus, Georgia</i> <i>Dr. Lisa Oberlander, professor</i>

Teaching Experience

2025-present	Graduate Assistant, Southern Mississippi clarinet studio <i>Early collegiate level students</i> <i>Director, USM Clarinet Choir</i>
2019-present	Freelance Private Lessons Teacher <i>Intermediate & Advanced Students</i>
2019-present	Freelance Music Theory & Aural Skills tutor <i>Proficiency in all four levels of Theory & Aural Skills</i>
2023	Smiths Station High School- Guest Clinician <i>Low Reed Instructor</i>

Engagements outside of Teaching

2024-Present	Instrument Library, Florida State <i>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</i>
2024-Present	Recital Tech, Florida State <i>Manage concerts from A/V booth and backstage</i>
2019-Present	Repair Technician, Freelance <i>Experience in the entirety of the clarinet family, including minor tweaks and major work (pad replacement, cork adjustment, key adjustment)</i>

2021-2023	Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia Philanthropy <i>Ushering, Stage Managing</i>
2020-2023	Student Facility Manager, Columbus State <i>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)</i>

Membership in Performing Ensembles

Large Ensembles

2025-present	USM Wind Ensemble <i>Principal Clarinetist</i>
2025-present	USM Symphony Orchestra <i>Principal Clarinetist</i>
2024-2025	Florida State University Symphony Orchestra <i>Principal Clarinetist, Second Clarinetist</i>
2023-2025	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- Schwob Jazz Orchestra</i> <i>Lead Tenor Sax- Repertory Jazz Orchestra</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

2025-present	USM Clarinet Choir <i>Director</i>
2025-present	USM Graduate Woodwind Quintet <i>Clarinet</i>
2024-2025	Polymorphia Contemporary Ensemble <i>Principal Clarinetist, Bass clarinetist, Composer</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 Choir</i>

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

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Guest Appearances

Oct. 2022

Georgia Philharmonic

West Side Story (Bernstein)

E-flat Clarinet

Feb. 2022

Atlanta Wind Project (Recorded in July 2021)

Seascapes (Gipps)

Respiration Suite (Andriessen)

Sinfonietta (Raff)

Aug. 2021

Magic City Clarinet Festival

Three Etudes On Gershwin (Harvey), clarinetist

Featured Soloist

Drastic Measures (Peck), bass clarinet

Schwob Clarinet Quartet

Sonata V (Handel, arr. Dishinger), 4th Clarinet

Schwob Clarinet Choir

Performances at University of Southern Mississippi

12/12/2025

USM Wind Ensemble

Esprit de Corps (Jager)

Symphony No. 4 "Bookmarks from Japan" mvtm. V, IV (Giroux)

Harvest Light (Naigus)

Anahita mvmt. I (Etezady)

Entry March of the Boyars (Halvorsen)

La Chancla (Llinàs)

11/17/2025

USM Clarinet Choir

Third Suite mvmt. III (Jager, arr. Barron)

Colonial Song (Grainger, arr. Barron)

Symphony No. 1 mvmt. V (de Meij, arr. Barron)

"The Lord of the Rings"

Elsa's Procession to the Cathedral (Wagner, arr. Pilcher)

11/13/2025

USM Wind Ensemble

Southern Harmony mvmnts. I, II, III (Grantham)

Peace Dancer (Blackshaw)

Anahita (Etezady)

La Chancla (Llinàs)

11/06/2025

USM Symphony Orchestra presents *Stars*

Zodiac Suite (Williams)

10/03/2025 USM Wind Ensemble
Esprit de Corps (Jager)
Symphony No. 4 "Bookmarks from Japan" mvmts. V, IV (Giroux)
Celebration (Hong)
Fields of Gold (Giroux)
Pines of Rome (Respighi, tr. Kimura)
NOTE: *Fantasia 2000* cuts

9/25/2025 USM Symphony Orchestra presents *Fields of Blue*
Short Ride in a Fast Machine (Adams)
Symphony No. 4 in e-minor (Brahms)

Performances at Florida State University

Apr. 2025 Graduate Wind Conducting Chamber Players
Serenade in c-minor (Mozart)
Carmina Burana (Orff)
Serenade for Wind Instruments (Bird)

Apr. 2025 Florida State University Wind Orchestra
Toccata Marziale (Vaughn Williams)
El Muro (Lorenz)
Concerto for Wind Ensemble (Bryant)

Apr. 2025 FSU Polymorpha
(as performer) minichamber (Harrison)*
(as performer) Tree Lines (Balch)
(as composer) of the Deep (Pilcher)*

March. 2025 The Masters Solo Recital of Brad Pilcher
Introduction et Rondo (Widor)
A Set for Clarinet (Martino)
Paisaje Folklorico Nr. 1 (Tozzola)
Sonata in f-minor, Op. 120 No. 1 (Brahms)

Feb. 2025 Florida State University Wind Orchestra
Bravado (Flagello)
Cenizas (Lyons)
Rosa Parks Boulevard (Daugherty)
Go Down Moses (Simon)
Music for Prague 1968 (Husa)

Feb. 2025 Opening Nights Presents: Prism
Bravado (Flagello)
FSU Wind Orchestra
Selections from Princess and the Frog (arr. Price)
FSU Clarinet Choir

Jan. 2025	Housewright Virtuoso Series: Meet the Composers <i>Morning Call (Ugay)</i>
Dec. 2024	Prism <i>Boom Goes the Dynamite (Dooley)</i> FSU Wind Orchestra <i>Selections from Princess and the Frog (arr. Price)</i> FSU Clarinet Choir
Nov. 2024	FSU Polymorphia <i>Penn Station (Chiarotti)*</i> <i>The Reverberation of Summer (Yang)</i> <i>Stand Notwithstanding Grief (Parra)</i> <i>Because Flowers (Villane)</i> <i>I prefer living in color (Gibson)</i>
Nov. 2024	Florida State University Wind Orchestra <i>Boom Goes the Dynamite (Dooley)</i> <i>Poeme De Feu (Gottkovsky)</i> <i>Winds of Nagual (Colgrass)</i>
(Canceled) Oct. 2024	Members of the FSU Wind Orchestra <i>Kammermusik No. 7, Op. 46 No. 2 (Hindemith)</i>
Oct. 2024	University Symphony Orchestra <i>Trois Nocturnes movmt. 2 (Debussy)</i>
Sep. 2024	Florida State University Wind Orchestra <i>La Belle Hélène Overture (Offenbach tr. Odom)</i> <i>The Liberty Bell (Sousa)</i> <i>American Hymnsong Suite movmts. 2, 3, 4 (Milburn)</i> <i>El Capitan (Sousa)</i> <i>Two Irish Folk Melodies movt. 2 (Clarke arr. Hunsburger)</i> <i>Cosmopolitan America (Butler, arr. Bonner Jr.)</i> <i>Irish Tune From County Derry (Grainger ed Clark/Schmidt)</i> <i>Nobles of the Mystic Shrine (Sousa)</i> <i>The Cowboys Overture (Williams arr. Bocook)</i> <i>The Stars and Stripes forever (Sousa)</i>
Sep. 2024	Polymorphia Chamber Ensemble <i>Igerthi (Hong)</i> <i>This, too, is our Revolution (Yu)**</i>
Jul. 2024	FSU Graduate Clarinet Ensemble <i>Dona eis Pacem (Noble)*</i> <i>That Beautiful Thing (Silverman)*</i> <i>Friede auf Erden (Schönberg arr. Pilcher)</i>

Apr. 2024	Florida State University Wind Orchestra <i>I wake in the Dark and Remember (Puckett)</i> <i>Sinfonietta (Dahl)</i> <i>Candide Suite (Bernstein)</i>
Apr. 2024	Polymorphia Chamber Ensemble <i>all began with one droplet (Juntilla)*</i> <i>Reflective (Lawson)</i> <i>Reed Quintet (Davenport)</i>
Apr. 2024	Florida State Opera <i>The Cunning Little Vixen (Janáček)</i>
Feb. 2024	Florida State University Wind Orchestra <i>Festive Overture (Shostakovich arr. Hunsberger)</i> <i>Theme and Variations. Op. 43a (Schönberg)</i> <i>Nobles of the Mystic Shrine (Sousa)</i>
Feb. 2024	Opening Nights Presents: Prism <i>Festive Overture (Shostakovich arr. Hunsberger)</i>
Feb. 2024	Festival of New Music at Florida State University <i>Like an Altar with 9000 Robot Attendants (Lindveit)</i> <i>by of lethean (Du Yun)</i> <i>Phantasmagoria (Okura)</i> <i>Hundred Heads (Du Yun)</i> <i>City Electric (Spotts)</i>
Nov.—Dec. 2023	Prism <i>Rocky Point Holiday (Nelson)</i> <i>FSU Wind Orchestra</i> <i>Selections From Mulan (arr. Perez)</i> <i>FSU Clarinet Choir</i>
Nov. 2023	Florida State University Wind Orchestra <i>An Outdoor Overture (Copland)</i> <i>Deep River (Horne)</i> <i>Reflections on the Mississippi (Daugherty)</i> <i>la flor mas linda (Lyons)</i> <i>Solar Testimonies (Lee III)</i>
Sep. 2023	Florida State University Wind Orchestra <i>Rocky Point Holiday (Nelson)</i> <i>"Mein Junges Leben Hat Ein End" (Sweelinck, tr. Ricker)</i> <i>Fantasy Variations (Grantham)</i> <i>Point Blank (Dooley)</i> <i>Symphonic Metamorphosis (Hindemith)</i>

Performances at Columbus State University

Apr. 2024 (Visiting)	Schwob Wind Orchestra ft. Dr Lisa Oberlander <i>Danza Final (Ginastera)</i>
Apr. 2023	Schwob Philharmonic <i>Symphony No. 5 (Mahler)</i>
Apr. 2023	Schwob Choral Union & Chamber Orchestra <i>The Notebooks of Leonardo DaVinci (Hagen)</i>
Apr. 2023	Schwob Wind Ensemble <i>Children's March: Over the Hills and Far Away (Grainger)</i> <i>Deep River (Horne)</i> <i>Re(new)al (Cuong)</i> <i>Symphony No. 4 (Maslanka)</i>
Apr. 2023	<i>Gusto!</i> at Columbus State <i>Rhapsody in Blue (Gershwin)</i>
Apr. 2023	Clarinet Studio Recital <i>Premiere Rhapsodie (Debussy)</i> <i>Feature Soloist</i> <i>Uptown Funk (arr. Lowenstern)</i> <i>Schwob Clarinet Choir</i>
Mar. 2023	Schwob Philharmonic <i>Suite from "The Mission" (Morricone)</i>
Mar. 2023	Kaleidoscope <i>Uptown Funk (arr. Lowenstern)</i> <i>Schwob Clarinet Choir</i> <i>Frozen Cathedral (Mackey)</i> <i>Schwob Wind Ensemble</i>
Feb. 2023	Schwob Wind Ensemble <i>Fugue à la Gigue (Bach, tr. Mitchell)</i> <i>Connection (Navarro)</i> <i>Dragon Rhyme (Yi)</i> <i>Frozen Cathedral (Mackey)</i>
Feb. 2023	Atlanta Symphony Orchestra & Schwob Chamber Players <i>Serenade for Winds mvmts. I & IV (Dvorák)</i>
Nov. 2022	Schwob Philharmonic <i>Sensemayá (Revueltas)</i> <i>Scheherazade (Rimsky-Korsakov)</i>

Nov. 2022	Schwob Wind Ensemble <i>Overture to Candide (Bernstein)</i> <i>Prelude in e-flat Minor (Shostakovich, tr. Reynolds)</i> <i>Folk Dances (Shostakovich, tr. Reynolds)</i> <i>Solace: A Lyric Concerto (Love)</i> <i>Feste Romane (Respighi, tr. Kimura)</i>
Oct. 2022	The Senior Solo Recital of Brad Pilcher <i>Premiere Rhapsodie (Debussy)</i> <i>Concerto in A Major, K. 622 mvmt. I (Mozart)</i> <i>Clarinet Concerto (Copland)</i>
Oct. 2022	Schwob Contemporary Orchestra <i>Chamber Symphony No. 1 (Schoenberg)</i>
Oct. 2022	Johns Creek HS Orchestra & The Schwob Philharmonic <i>Romeo and Juliet Overture-Fantasy (Tchaikovsky)</i>
Oct. 2022	Schwob Philharmonic <i>Swift Currents and Eddies (Harris)*</i> <i>Romeo and Juliet Overture-Fantasy (Tchaikovsky)</i>
Sep. 2022	Schwob Wind Ensemble <i>La Fiesta Mexicana (Reed)</i> <i>Concerto for Wind Ensemble mvmts. III & V (Bryant)</i>
May 2022	Schwob Philharmonic <i>Love for Three Oranges (Prokofiev)</i> <i>Symphony No. 5 (Shostakovich)</i>
Apr. 2022	Dominic Bernard Senior Recital <i>Wind Quintet (Nielsen)</i>
Apr. 2022	Schwob Wind Ensemble <i>Rocky Point Holiday (Nelson)</i> <i>Legacy (Navarro)</i> <i>Pines of Rome (Respighi, tr. Kimura)</i>
Mar. 2022	Clarinet Studio Recital <i>Three Studies on Flight mvmt. I (Riepe)</i> <i>Feature Soloist</i> <i>Canonic Suite mvmt. I & III (Carter)</i> <i>Schwob Clarinet Quartet</i>
Mar. 2022	The Junior Solo Recital of Brad Pilcher <i>Sonata No. 1 in f-minor, Op. 120 (Brahms)</i> <i>Three Studies on Flight mvmts. II & I (Riepe)</i> <i>Introduction, Theme and Variations (Rossini)</i>

Mar. 2022	Schwob Philharmonic <i>Soul Force (Montgomery)</i> <i>Viola Concerto (Walton)</i>
Feb. 2022	Schwob Wind Ensemble <i>Zoom (Boerma)*</i> <i>Variations on the Porazzi Theme (Reed)</i> <i>J'ai été au bal (Grantham)</i> <i>Four Scottish Dances (Arnold)</i> <i>Danzon No. 2 (Marquez)</i>
Feb. 2022	Kaleidoscope <i>Come Sunday (Thomas)</i> <i>Schwob Wind Ensemble</i>
Feb. 2022	Schwob Wind Ensemble & Milton HS Wind Ensemble <i>Symphonic Metamorphosis mvmt. IV (Hindemith)</i> <i>J'ai été au bal (Grantham)</i> <i>Four Scottish Dances mvmt. III (Arnold)</i> <i>Come Sunday (Thomas)</i>
Nov. 2021	Schwob Philharmonic <i>Jeux (Debussy)</i>
Nov. 2021	Schwob Wind Ensemble <i>Places We Can No Longer Go (Mackey)</i> <i>Symphonic Metamorphosis mvmt. IV (Hindemith)</i> <i>Sleep (Whitacre)</i> <i>Symphonic Dances from West Side Story (Bernstein)</i>
Oct. 2021	The Senior Recital of Nick Tewell <i>Divertimento mvmts. II & III (Uhl)</i>
Oct. 2021	Schwob Philharmonic <i>Miraculous Mandarin (Bartók)</i>
Oct. 2021	Schwob Wind Ensemble <i>Short Ride in a Fast Machine (Adams)</i> <i>Concerto for Tuba (Williams)</i> <i>Of Our New Day Begun (Thomas)</i> <i>Come Sunday (Thomas)</i>
Apr. 2021	Schwob Contemporary Ensemble <i>Corker (Larsen)</i>
Apr. 2021	Clarinet Studio Recital <i>Rondo from Clarinet Quintet (Weber)</i> <i>Drastic Measures (Peck)</i>

Late Spring 2021	Schwob Wind Ensemble (Virtual-Published June 2021) <i>Serenade in c minor mvmt. 1 (Mozart)</i> <i>Adagio para Orquesta de Instrumentos de Viento (Rodrigo)</i>
Feb. 2021	Brad Pilcher Sophomore supplemental Solo Recital <i>Sonata No. 2 in Eb, Op. 120 mvmt. 1 (Brahms)</i> <i>Sonatina mvmt. 1 (Rosza)</i> <i>Sonata mvmts. 2 & 3 (Poulenc)</i>
Early Spring 2021	Schwob Wind Ensemble (Virtual-Published Apr. 2021) <i>The Last Hivemind (Li)</i>
Late Fall 2020	Schwob Wind Ensemble (Virtual-Published Dec. 2020) <i>Consort for Ten Winds mvmt. I & II (Spittal)</i>
Feb. 2020	Kaleidoscope <i>Lincolnshire Posy mvmt. VI (Grainger, arr. Johnson)</i> <i>Schwob Clarinet Choir</i> <i>Millennium Canons (Puts)</i> <i>Schwob Wind Ensemble</i>
Feb. 2020	Schwob Wind Ensemble <i>Picture Studies (Schoenberg)</i> <i>Trauermusik (Wagner)</i> <i>Millennium Canons (Puts)</i>
Nov. 2019	Schwob Wind Ensemble <i>Festive Overture (Shostakovich, tr. Hunsberger)</i> <i>Make Our Garden Grow from Candide (Bernstein)</i> <i>Star Wars mvmts. I, II, IV, V (Williams, tr. Hunsberger)^s</i> ^s <i>mvmt III replaced with Star Wars: The Force Awakens (Williams, arr. Bocook)</i>
Sep. 2019	Schwob Wind Ensemble <i>Molly on the Shore (Grainger)</i> <i>Petals of Fire (Zhou)</i> <i>Dionysiaques (Schmitt)</i>

Publications

3/1/2025	Uploaded "Twilight Noon" (wind ensemble) to the ASCAP database
Dec. 2023	Uploaded "of the Deep" (wind septet) to the ASCAP database
Nov. 2023	Created a personal website <i>www.bradpilcher.com</i>
October 2019	Entered "March of the River" (concert band) into US Copyright

Awards and Honors

2025	William T. Gower Concerto Competition, USM Symphony <i>Co-Winner</i>
2025	USM Bands Concerto Competition <i>First Place</i>
2025	USM Graduate Assistantship
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

2025	Pi Kappa Lambda Honor Society
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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