

Keegan Tucker

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EDUCATION

Eastern Illinois University, Charleston, IL

- Degree: Master of Arts, Choral/Orchestral Conducting
- Graduation Date: (Anticipated) May 2020

Eastern Illinois University, Charleston, IL

- Degree: Bachelor of Music, Music Education (K-12)
- Graduation Date: May 2015 (*Magna Cum Laude*)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Robinson High School & Nuttall Middle School, Robinson, IL

July 2015 – May 2018

Director of Bands, Director of Musical Theatre, Choral Accompanist

- Select, develop and teach annual marching band show
- Organize annual marching band festival encompassing 10-15 competitive marching bands
- Select repertoire for marching band, symphonic band, and jazz band
- Conduct in rehearsals and performances
- Provide a positive learning environment for students to create and make music
- Input grades into Skyward, an online academic database
- Develop lesson plans that explore programmatic music, film music, early American music, famous composers, various styles of dance and dance technique, theatre performance and stagecraft
- Select the annual high school musical
- Oversee the audition process and cast selection
- Create the blocking for each scene within the musical
- Lead the production team in set design, costume design, and lighting design
- Create publicity items such as flyers, posters, and commercials

RELATED FIELD WORK

Eastern Illinois University, Charleston, IL

August 2018 – Present

Graduate Assistant (Music)

- Orchestra Manager
 - Monitor rehearsal attendance
 - Prepare, distribute, and collect music/scores for concert cycles
 - Assist in hire of ringer musicians for concerts

Olney Arts Council, Olney, IL

July 2017 - Present

Summer Children's Theatre Workshop Director/Choreographer

- Oversee auditions and cast selection
- Block each scene
- Choreograph all dance numbers
- Acquire rehearsal and performance spaces
- Lead the production team in set design, costume design, and lighting design

Trinity Lutheran Church & First Presbyterian Church, Olney, IL

April 2013 – Present

Church Pianist

- Provide preludes, offertories, and postludes on a weekly basis
- Accompany congregation(s) during hymns
- Accompany soloists and small chamber groups for special music purposes
- Provide music during wedding ceremonies held in the church(es)

MASTER CLASS WORKSHOPS:

Actor Therapy with Lindsay Mendez & RSO, Broadway Actress & Composer (2019)
Smith Walbridge Clinics, Band Director Workshop (2016)
Susan Egan, Broadway Actress (2015)
Sal Viviano, Broadway Actor (2014)
Thomas Florio, Opera Performer (2012)

MEMBERSHIPS/PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT:

Olney Arts Council, President
National Association for Music Educators, Member
Illinois Music Education Association Conference, Attendee
Southeastern Illinois Concert Association, Member
Cummins Municipal Band, Member

SCHOLARSHIP/AWARDS:

Frank and Mary Alice Godeke Scholarship (2012, 2013, 2018)
Duncan Teaching Scholarship (2012, 2013, 2014)
Marilyn Snearley Memorial Scholarship (2014)
Golden Lyre Award (2014)
National Choral Award (2011, 2012)
McCoy Family Scholarship (2013)
Eastern Illinois University Music Department Talent Student Award (2013)

**CONDUCTING RESUME
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MUSICAL THEATRE

<i>9 to 5: The Musical</i>	Dolly Parton	Eastern Illinois University
<i>The Addams Family</i>	Andrew Lippa	Robinson High School
<i>The Wizard of Oz (YPE)</i>	Arlen & Stothart	Nuttall Middle School

ORCHESTRA

<i>Raider's March</i>	John Williams	Eastern Illinois University
<i>Swan Lake</i>	Peter Illyich Tchaikovsky	Eastern Illinois University

CHORAL

<i>The Lover in Winter Plaineth for the Spring</i>	Ned Rorem	Eastern Illinois University
<i>Blow Thou Winter Wind</i>	John Rutter	Eastern Illinois University
<i>Requiem</i>	Craig Hella Johnson	Eastern Illinois University
<i>Pie Jesu</i>	M. Pyrtle & J. Althouse	Nuttall Middle School
<i>Colors of the Wind</i>	Menken & Schwarz/Huff	Nuttall Middle School
<i>Something to Believe In (from Newsies)</i>	Menken & Feldman/Huff	Robinson High School

WIND BAND

<i>Confluence</i>	Richard Saucedo	Robinson High School
<i>Prospect</i>	Pierre La Plant	Robinson High School
<i>Stars and Stripes Forever</i>	John Philip Sousa	Robinson High School
<i>Let It Go</i>	Robert Lopez	Robinson High School
<i>At the Movies-The Classics</i>	Justin Williams	Robinson High School
<i>Young Person's Guide to John Williams</i>	John Williams	Robinson High School
<i>In a Gentle Rain</i>	Robert W. Smith	Robinson High School
<i>Sleigh Ride</i>	LeRoy Anderson	Robinson High School
<i>A Christmas Flourish</i>	Randall Standridge	Robinson High School
<i>Still, Still, Still</i>	Randall Standridge	Robinson High School
<i>Christmas "Pop" Sing-Along</i>	Trad./Ployhar	Robinson High School
<i>The Great Locomotive Chase</i>	Robert W. Smith	Robinson High School
<i>Africa: Ceremony Song and Ritual</i>	Robert W. Smith	Robinson High School
<i>O Nata Lux</i>	Forbes/Hazzard	Robinson High School
<i>Exaltation</i>	James Swearingen	Robinson High School
<i>Silvercrest</i>	James Swearingen	Robinson High School
<i>Phantom of the Opera (Medley)</i>	Webber/Vinson	Robinson High School
<i>I Dreamed a Dream</i>	Michael Brown	Robinson High School
<i>Selections from West Side Story</i>	Bernstein/Bocook	Robinson High School
<i>Selections from Wicked</i>	Michael Sweeney	Robinson High School
<i>Amparito Roca</i>	Texidor/Fagan	Robinson High School
<i>Hallelujah</i>	Michael Brown	Robinson High School
<i>In the Bleak Midwinter</i>	Holst/Bullock	Robinson High School
<i>A Christmas Fantasy</i>	Roland Barrett	Robinson High School

MARCHING BAND

<i>Seize the Day (Music from Disney's Newsies)</i>	Taras Nahirniak	Robinson High School
<i>Pandora Reopened</i>	Randall Standridge	Robinson High School
<i>From Sea to Shining Sea</i>	Craig Fitzpatrick	Robinson High School