

Catherine K. Lang

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EDUCATION

University of Massachusetts Amherst

- Bachelor of Music in Music Education – Expected May 2016
 - Cum Laude
- Commonwealth Honors College Scholar *with great distinction*
 - Completed Capstone Project involving how to integrate the Suzuki Method into a public school setting

CERTIFICATION

Massachusetts Initial Educator License in Music: All Levels, PreK-12 – Expected June 2016

New York Initial Teaching License, Music K-12 – Expected July 2016

- Application pending- have completed all NYSTCE with fingerprinting

Student Teacher (Spring 2016)

K-2, Meadow Brook School – East Longmeadow, MA

- Taught general music classes K-2
- Directed the 2nd grade chorus

9-12, East Longmeadow High School – East Longmeadow, MA

- Directed High School Band and String Orchestra
- Taught Music Theory and Music Composition
- Utilized Smart Music and Google Classroom technologies

Private Violin Teacher (2012-2016)

- Smithtown, NY

OTHER

EXPERIENCE

AND TRAINING

Suzuki Registered Training (2015, 2016)

Hartt Suzuki Institute – University of Hartford, CT

- Violin Unit 2, Expected August 2016
- Violin Unit 1, August 2015

Amherst- Pelham Regional Schools Practicum (2014-2015)

Wildwood Elementary School (September-December 2015)

Fort River Elementary School (September 2014- May 2015)

- Worked with beginner string students in an orchestral setting
- Led rehearsals and sectionals

String Day (February 2014, 2015)

University of Massachusetts Amherst – Amherst, MA

- Led rehearsals throughout day which culminated in a conductor-less student string orchestra performance

Music Together Training, March 2015

- Trained to teach early childhood music program in mixed-age classes involving singing, moving, and listening

PROFESSIONAL
ORGANIZATIONS

National Association for Music Educators (NAfME)
Suzuki Association of the Americas (SAA)

REFERENCES

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