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CURRICULUM VITAE

Composer · Vocalist

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EDUCATION

- **2016-current**
Curtis Institute of Music
Artist Diploma in Composition, GPA 4.00/4.00
Susan and Edward Montgomery Annual Fellowship
Mentor - David Ludwig and Richard Danielpour
- **2012-2014**
University of North Carolina at Greensboro
Master of Music in Composition, GPA 3.90/4.00
Adams & Carroll Scholarship
Mentor - Mark Engebretson and Alejandro Rutty
- **2008-2012**
Xinghai Conservatory of Music
Bachelor of Music in Composition, GPA 3.80/4.00
Excellent Student Full Scholarship
Mentor - Yan Dong and Chen Yiqiao

MUSIC FESTIVALS AND CONFERENCES

- **Highcore Music Festival (2015)**
Performance of *Unsettled Awakening*, Quartetto Indaco Quartet.
- **New York City Electronic Music Festival (2015)**
Performance of *If I'm Lost-Now*, Dai Wei, Steve Stusek and Laurent Estoppey.
- **40th International Computer Music Conference (2014)**
Performance of *If I'm Lost-Now*, Guido de Flavis, Theofilos Sotiriadis and Aggeliki Kathariou.
- **Atlantic Music Festival (2014)**
Performance of *Just One Thing*, Contemporary Ensemble
Lessons with Ken Ueno, Robert Paterson, David Ludwig, Eric Ewazen, and George Tsontakis.
- **Fresh Inc. Music Festival (2014)**
Performance of *Alchemy*, The Fifth House Ensemble, instruction with Dan Visconti.

- **North America Saxophone Alliance Conference (2014)**
Performance of *If I'm Lost–Now*, Steve Stusek, Laurent Estoppey and Dai Wei.
- **Beijing International Composition Workshop (2013)**
Lessons with Zhou Long, Luca Francesconi, Xiaoyong Chen, and Dieter Mack.

AWARDS

- **Gold Award** for the 8th Faculty Art Festival Original Music competition Xinghai Conservatory of Music (October, 2009).
- **National Top 15 Award**
Shanghai Dragon TV Cup Composition Talent Show (August, 2007).

AFFILIATIONS

- Broadcast Music Inc.
- International Alliance for Women in Music
- Society of Composer Inc.
- International Computer Music Alliance
- Sound and Music Computing

PERFORMANCES OF ORIGINAL MUSIC

- ***Two of Us* (2017)** for chamber orchestra
 - Philadelphia Chamber Orchestra (May, 2017)
- **Three Pieces for String Quartet (2016)**
 - Curtis Chamber Ensemble (December, 2016)
- ***If I'm Lost–Now* (2013)** for alto saxophone, baritone saxophone and voice
 - World Saxophone Congress in France (July, 2015)
 - New York City Electronicacoustic Music Festival (June, 2015)
 - Mannes School of Music (April, 2015)
 - University of Miami, Frost School of Music (February, 2015)
 - University of Central Florida, Department of Music (February, 2015)
 - University of Florida, School of Music (February, 2015)
 - Georgia Southern University (February, 2015)
 - Westminster Academy in Atlanta (February, 2015)
 - University of North Carolina at Charlotte (February, 2015)
 - Electronic Music Midwest Festival (October, 2014)
 - The Carolina Saxophone Festival (September, 2014).
 - 2014 International Computer Music Conference in Greece (September, 2014)
 - *It Takes 2 Saxophones To Tangle* concert in Thailand (August, 2014).
 - New England Music Camp (July, 2014).
 - North American Saxophone Alliance Conference, University of Illinois inChampaign-Urbana (March, 2014).

- *Collisions and Conversations* concert, Empire Books (February, 2014).
- ***Alchemy*** (2014) for two harps and flute
 - St. Paul's Episcopal Church Watertown, WI (July, 2015).
 - Southminster Presbyterian Church Waukesha, WI (July, 2015).
 - Rohs Street Café Cincinnati, OH (July, 2015).
 - [col][lab] Urbana, IL (July, 2015).
 - Fishtank Theater Kansas City, MO (June, 2015).
 - Riverside Arts Center Ypsilanti, MI (June, 2015).
 - *Constellation* concert in Chicago (June, 2014).
- ***Steamed Rice in a Clay Pot*** (2014) for voice and electronics
 - Atlantic Music Festival (July, 2014).
 - Fresh Inc. Music Festival (June, 2014).
 - *Nuova Atlanta* multi-arts event in Atlanta by World Oceans tour (November, 2014).
- ***Steamed Rice*** (2013) for piano and voice
 - *Nuova Atlanta* multi-arts event in Atlanta by World Oceans tour November, 2014).
- ***Agravic*** (2013) for alto saxophone and electronics
 - Wei Dai Composition Recital (April, 2014).
 - 10th Annual UNCG New Music Festival (September, 2013).
- ***Float With the Wind*** (2013) for three clarinets, cello and voice
 - Wei Dai Composition Recital (April, 2014).
 - *COLLAGE* concert (October, 2013).
 - Fresh Inc. Music Festival (June, 2014)

PROFICIENCIES

- Vocalist (15 years)
- Electronic Music Production (10 years)
- Piano (7 years)
- Dancer (6 years)

WORKING EXPERIENCE

- **Music Studies Teaching Instructor**
Curtis Summerfest (2017)
- **Research Assistant**
Curtis Institute of Music (part-time, 2016)
- **Audio Technician**
University of North Carolina at Greensboro (part-time, 2012-2014).
- **Music Editorial Intern**
The Early Film Music of Dmitry Shostakovich
Joan Titus, Oxford Music/Media (2014)
- **Music Theory Teacher**

- Xingyun Music Academy (part-time, 2009-2012)
- **Vocal Teacher**
Xingyun Music Academy (part-time, 2009-2012)
 - **Exclusive Songwriter**
Taiwan Linfair Records Ltd. (2008-2012).

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