

MAY PHANG

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Education

Temple University, Philadelphia	Doctor of Musical Arts, Piano Performance, with minors in history and pedagogy	2004
McGill University, Montreal	Master of Music, Piano Performance	1994
	Bachelor of Music (Honours), Piano Performance	1992

Diplomas

Trinity College of Music, London	Licentiate Performer's	1985
	Associate Performer's	1984

Principal Teachers

Dorothy Morton	Harvey Wedeen
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Festivals/Courses

International Certificate for Piano Artists, Europe	2010-11
PianoSummer at New Paltz, NY	2006
Golandsky Institute, Princeton University, NJ	2005
PianoTexas International Academy and Festival	2008, 2014-15
TCU/Cliburn Teachers Institute, TX	2002-05
Sarasota Festival, FL	1999
Pianofest, Hamptons, NY	1998
Banff Centre for the Arts, Canada	1993
Chautauqua Institution, NY	1992

Selected Masterclasses Attended

Malcolm Bilson	Vladimir Feltsman	Susan Starr
Sergei Babayan	Leon Fleisher	Peter Serkin
Marc Durand	Peter Frankl	Peter Takács
Philippe Entremont	Alexander Korsantia	Paul Schenly
Nelson Delle-Vigne Fabbri	Rebecca Penneys	Tamás Ungár

Residencies

Banff Centre, Alberta, Canada	Winter 2008, 2009
IES Vienna, Austria	Spring 2019

Teaching

Professor of Music, DePauw University, Greencastle, IN	2016-present
Artist Faculty, Sulzbach-Rosenberg International Music Festival, Germany	2019
Associate Professor of Music, DePauw University, Greencastle, IN	2008-2016
Artist Faculty, Interharmony International Music Festival, Italy	2016, 2018, 2020
Guest Artist Faculty, Festival di música da cámara, Aguascalientes, Mexico	2011
Assistant Professor of Music, DePauw University, Greencastle, IN	2003-2008
Assistant Professor of Music, Carroll College, Waukesha, WI	2000-2003
Piano Faculty, Wisconsin Conservatory of Music, Milwaukee, WI	2001-2003
Faculty, Adult Summer Chamber Music Workshop, Milwaukee, WI	2002, 2003
Piano Faculty, New England Music Camp, Sidney, ME	2000, 2001
Adjunct Faculty, Secondary Piano, Temple University, Philadelphia, PA	1997-2000
Piano Instructor, Settlement Music School, Philadelphia, PA	1997
Piano Instructor, Manayunk Community Centre for the Arts, PA	1997
Piano Instructor, Zapf's Music School, Philadelphia, PA	1995
Instructor, Secondary Piano, class and private, Temple University, PA	1994-1997
Graduate Assistant, Class Piano, Keyboard Skills, McGill University, QC	1992-1994

Masterclasses Presented

MW Fine Arts Academy, Singapore	2022
88+4 Ensemble Coach and Masterclass Clinician, DePauw University	2022
Indiana Music Teachers Association Hoosier Auditions Masterclass	2022
St. Cloud State University, MN	2019
Singapore Raffles Music College	2019
Brown University, RI	2018
University of Rhode Island	2018
Stephen F. Austin State University, TX	2018
University of California-Irvine	2017
University of Western Michigan	2017
Youth Performing Arts School, Louisville, KY	2016
Kalamazoo College, MI	2016
Ann Arbor Piano Teachers Guild, MI	2015
Midwest Young Artists, Highwood, IL	2014-
School of the Arts, Singapore	2014, 2015
Wisconsin Conservatory of Music	2014
Carroll University, WI	2014
Isidor Bajić Music School, Novi Sad, Serbia	2013
University of Missouri Kansas City Community Music and Dance School	2013
Cape Cod Conservatory of Music, MA	2013
National University of Singapore High School, Singapore	2012, 2015-
Premier Pianos, West Chester, OH	2012
Bowling Green State University, OH	2012
Northwestern College, Orange City, IA	2012
Festival camara de música Aguascalientes, Mexico	2011
SPA Music School, Bangkok, Thailand	2011
University of Mississippi, Oxford	2011
Indiana University, Bloomington	2010
Ball State University, Muncie, IN	2008
University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee	2007
Idyllwild Arts Academy, CA	2005
ChamberFest, State Convention, Indiana Music Teachers' Association	2004, 2005
Merit School of Music, Chicago, IL	2004

Broad Ripple High School, Indianapolis, IN	2004
Frostburg University, MD	2004
Interlochen Arts Academy, MI	2003
Montreal International Music Camp	2002

Performances

Selected Solo

National

Idyllwild Arts Academy, CA	Saddleback College, CA
University of CA-Irvine	Kennedy Center, Washington D.C.
Palm Beach International Piano Festival, FL	Chaminade University, Hawaii
First Union Church, HI	Morningside College, IA
Northwestern College, IA	Carl Sandburg Concert Series, IL
Chicago Chopin Society, IL	Dame Myra Hess Series, Chicago
Ganz Hall, Roosevelt University, Chicago	University of Chicago, IL
Ball State University, IN	DePauw University, IN
Midwest Arts Showcase, Indianapolis	Indiana Historical Society Tippecanoe
Chamber Music Society, IN	St. John's Episcopal Church, IN
University of Missouri, Kansas City	Framingham Library, MA
Coughlin-Saunders Performing Arts Center, LA	Wellesley Free Library, MA
The Drake Concert Series, Amherst, MA	Weston Library, MA
Tufts University, MA	Frostburg University, MD
Detroit Institute of Art, MI	Kalamazoo College, MI
Kerrytown Concert House, MI	Holy Cross Church, MI
Ladies Literary Club, Grand Rapids, MI	Rhea Miller Concert Series, MI
Saugatuck Center for the Arts, MI	Shoreline Music Society Concert Series, MI
Hamline University, MN	South Haven Summer Series, MI
College Music Society Performer's Showcase, MO	St. Cloud State University, MN
Georgian Court College, NJ	Western Michigan University
New Mexico Museum of Art, Santa Fe	University of Mississippi, Oxford
University at Buffalo, NY	Greenwich House Arts Series, NY
Bowling Green State University, OH	Klavierhaus Recital Series, NY
Lincoln University, PA	Second-Sunday Concert Series, OH
Strasburg Auditorium, Lansdale, PA	Owens College, OH
Academy of Music Ballroom, Philadelphia	Stroede Center for the Arts, OH
Philadelphia Museum of Art	Millersville University, PA
Rock Hall, Temple University	Community College of Philadelphia
Fort Worth Modern Art Museum, TX	Philadelphia Ethical Society
Stephen F. Austin State University, TX	Mitten Hall, Temple University
Travis Park United Methodist Church, TX	Settlement Music School, Phila
Helen Bader Recital Hall, Milwaukee	Elvehjem Museum, Madison, WI
Milwaukee International Arts Festival	Music on KK Series, Milwaukee
Racine Arts Council Concert Series, WI	Polish Center of Milwaukee, WI
Richland Concert Association Series, WI	Shattuck Auditorium, Waukesha
UW-Fond du Lac Performing Arts Series, WI	Wilson Center for the Arts, WI
	Dorothy Goff Frisch Concert Series, WI

International

Palais Corbelli, Vienna Austria
Konzertsaal des Rathauses, Sulzbach-Rosenberg
The Banff Centre, Canada
Creekside Hall, Canmore, Canada
Alberta College Conservatory, Edmonton
Montreal International Piano Festival
Chapelle historique du Bon Pasteur, Montreal
Pollack Concert Hall, Montreal
Salle Claude-Champagne, Montreal
John Abbott College, Quebec
Les-Concert-sur-le-Fleuve series, Quebec
Beijing Central Middle School, China

Bibliothèque Braine l'Alleud, Belgium
Musikhochschule, Saarbrücken, Germany
Teatro degli Unanimi, Arcidosso, Italy
Concertgebouw, the Netherlands
Casa das Mudas, Calheta, Portugal
Municipal Theatre, Madeira, Portugal
Singapore Conference Hall
Singapore Drama Centre
Singapore Goethe Institute
Victoria Concert Hall, Singapore
Goëthe Institute, Bangkok, Thailand
Tianjin Conservatory of Music, China

Concerto

Ambler Symphony Orchestra, PA
Banff Festival Chamber Players, Canada
Baroque on Beaver Chamber Orchestra, MI
Belleville Philharmonic, IL
DePauw Symphony Orchestra, IN
Fort Worth Symphony Orchestra, TX
Indianapolis Chamber Orchestra, IN
Lafayette Symphony Orchestra, IN
McGill Symphony Orchestra, Canada
MIMC Orchestra, Montreal, QC
Montreal Symphony Orchestra
Orchestre symphonique de Trois-Rivières, Quebec, Canada
Percussion Plus Ensemble, IN
Philadelphia Orchestra
Philharmonic Orchestra of Indianapolis, IN
Singapore Symphony Orchestra
Temple University Chamber Orchestra, PA
Temple University Symphony Orchestra
Traverse City Symphony Orchestra, MI
Wisconsin Wind Orchestra, tour of the Netherlands

Selected Chamber Music

Chiesa San Antonio Abate, Mombaruzzo, Italy
Wabash College, IN
Michigan State University, East Lansing
Florida State University, Tallahassee
St. James Cathedral, Chicago, IL
State Gallery, Zakopane, Poland
Philadelphia Clef Club
Unitarian House, Lincroft, NJ
Independence Seaport Museum, PA
Milwaukee Museum of Art
Peck School of the Arts, Milwaukee
National Gallery, Washington DC

Phillips Collection, Washington DC
Suburban Music School, PA
Trinity Parish, Bayonne, NJ
Fechin House, Taos, NM
Santuario de Guadalupe, Santa Fe, NM

Teatro Morelos, Aguascalientes, Mexico
Beaver Island Community Center, MI
Hillsdale College, MI
Cincinnati Conservatory of Music
St. Simons Episcopal Church, IL
Calvary Church, Milwaukee, WI
Clarendon Hill Presbyterian Church, MA
Kennett Square, PA
Camphill Village, Kimberton Hills

Milwaukee Italian Community Center
University School of Milwaukee
Los Alamos Concert Association, NM
St. Peter's Church, NY
Afternoon Music Club, Phoenixville, PA
Mandell Theater, Drexel University
Santa Fe Concert Association
University of New Mexico, Albuquerque

Radio/Television

WCNY-FM
DCTV Channel 5, Ohio
Wisconsin Public Radio
Dutch National Radio
WFLN, Philadelphia
WFMT, Chicago
Radio-Canada
Vermont Public Radio

SBC Profiles *Life and Times* and *Arts Around*, Singapore
SBC Radio
WBAA Public Radio

Solo CD

Travels Through Time (October 2013), Emeritus Records
reviewed by *American Record Guide*, *Musical Toronto* and *Clavier Companion*

Beethoven Diabelli Variations (July 2021), Centaur Records
reviewed by *American Record Guide*, *Fanfare Magazine* and *Pianofortephilia*

The Other Pictures (online). Recorded at WBGH Boston, August 2022

Lecture Recitals/Showcase Performances/Presentations

College Music Society International Conference,
Lithuania/Latvia/Estonia 2023
American Liszt Society Festival, Bloomington IN 2022
NATS National Conference, Chicago 2022
American Liszt Society Festival, Ann Arbor, MI 2021
Travels with May Phang Concert Series (4 recital programs) 2021-22
College Music Society National Conference, virtual 2020
College Music Society International Conference, Ghent, Belgium 2019
College Music Society National Conference, Vancouver, BC 2018
College Music Society National Conference, San Antonio, TX 2017
College Music Society National Conference, Santa Fe, NM 2016
Hawaii University International Conference on Arts, Humanities, Social Sciences and Education,
Honolulu 2015
College Music Society National Conference, St. Louis, MO 2014
World Piano Conference, Novi Sad, Serbia 2013
Hawaii International Conference on Arts and Humanities, Honolulu 2013
Broad Ripple High School, Indianapolis, IN 2004
Milwaukee Music Teachers' Association, WI 2002
South Jersey Music Teachers' Association, NJ 2001

Adjudications

Matinee Musicale Cincinnati Scholarships	2024
Indianapolis Matinee Musicale Graduate Competition, IN	2024
Purdue Philharmonic Concerto Competition, IN	2024
National Society of Arts and Letters Instrumental Competition, IN	2023, 2024
Indianapolis Youth Orchestra Concerto Competition	2022, 2024
Lafayette Symphony Orchestra Keller Concerto Competition, IN	2022, 2023
Indiana Music Teachers Association Hoosier Auditions, District C	2022, 2023
Indiana Music Teachers Association Hoosier Auditions, District C (virtual)	2021
Indiana Music Teachers Association Hoosier Auditions, District E (virtual)	2021
Music Teachers National Association Young Artists Competition, State (virtual)	2020
Wabash Valley Youth Symphony Concerto Competition, West Lafayette, IN	2020,2022-23
Hartman Stickley Memorial Piano Competition, South Bend, IN	2020
New World Youth Orchestra Young Artists Competition, Indianapolis, IN	2020
Discover Chamber Music Competition, Ravinia, IL	2019
Steinway Piano Competition, IN	2018
New World Youth Orchestra Young Artist Competition, Indianapolis	2015, 2020
Hoosier Audition, Lafayette, IN	2015
Walgreens National Concerto Competition, IL	2014, 2017
Overture Awards, Cincinnati, OH	since 2014
Indiana University South Bend Piano Concerto Competition	2013, 2016
Mozart International Piano Competition, Bangkok, Thailand	2011
Ball State University Concerto Competitions, Muncie, IN	2008, 09, 12, 19
AIMS Auditions, Butler University, Indianapolis, IN	since 2006
Young Hoosiers Piano Competition, Indiana State Fair, Indianapolis	since 2006
Preludes Awards, Indianapolis, IN	2004, 2006
Piano Arts of Wisconsin Competition	2003
Wisconsin Conservatory Scholarship Auditions	2003
Lawrence Academy Piano Festival, Appleton, WI	2002
Milwaukee Area Teachers' Association	2002
Polish Fest Chopin Piano Competition	since 2001
Waukesha Symphony Concerto Competition	2001, 2003

Accompanying

Voice juries, Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA	1999-2000
Cello auditions, Curtis Institute of Music, Philadelphia, PA	1998
Drexel University Chorus	1997-2000
Delaware County Choral Society	1997
Spruce Street Singers, Philadelphia, PA	1997-1999
Rehearsal pianist and coach, Temple University Opera Theatre	1996-1997
Instrumental juries and auditions, Temple University	1994-2000
Other freelance work	

Awards/Scholarships

IES Research Grant, Vienna	2018
John Rabb Emison Professorship of Performing Arts, DePauw University	2014-2019
Faculty Fellowship, DePauw University	2014-2017
Fisher Time-Out Fellowship, DePauw University	2013
Second place, American Prize for Piano Performance, Solo	2011
Second place, American Prize for Piano Performance, Concerto	2011
Lazar Berman Fund, International Piano Certificate Course	2010
Best performance of a work by R. Schumann, Seattle International Piano Competition	2008
Fifth prize, Iowa International Piano Competition	2006
“Who’s Who in American Universities”	1997-2003
Semifinalist, San Antonio International Piano Competition	1997
Second prize, Pontoise International Young Artists Competition	1995
Russell Conwell Fellowship, Temple University	1994-1996
First prize, Concours d’orchestre symphonique de Trois-Rivières, QC	1994
Herbert A. Morse Scholarship, McGill University	1993
First prize, Prix du Cercle du cent associés, QC	1993
Clara Lichtenstein Fellowship, McGill University	1992
First prize, Concours d’orchestre symphonique de Montréal	1991
First prize, Canadian Music Competition	1991
Maureen Forrester-Montreal Musicians Guild Scholarship, McGill University	1991
First prize, Montreal Classical Music Festival, QC	1990, 1991
First prize, Chopin Young Pianists Competition, Buffalo, NY	1990
Singapore Cultural Foundation Award	1989
Tan Kah Kee Foundation Award, Singapore	1986

Professional Organizations

International Performing and Visual Arts Examination Board (Academic Advisory Board member)	2020 -present
Great Lakes Performing Artist Associates (Artist)	2005-19
Young Audiences of Indiana (Teaching/Performing Artist)	2004-2008
Indiana Music Teachers Association (Board member and chair of Collaborative Arts 2004-2010)	2003-present
Music Teachers National Association	2000-present
College Music Society	1998-present
Phi Kappa Lambda Society	1998-present
Mensa Canada	1990-94

University Service beyond the usual SOM and Personnel Committee meetings

Chamber Music Coordinator	2023-present
Assessment Committee	2023
88+4 Piano and String Day Planner and Organizer	2022-present
Scholarship Committee	2020-2023
Global Music Experience Committee	2021-23
Admissions Committee/Working Group	2019-23
Recruiting Activities (sample lessons, auditions, reports, correspondence, college fairs e.t.c.) (Earlier service and committee work exists, but was not recorded on resume prior.)	

Other Activities

Liaison between DePauw University and IPVAEB

2020-

Initiated a collaboration between DePauw and the International Performing and Visual Arts Examination Board (headquartered in Singapore). My goals are to not only improve visibility to the university to aid potential recruitment, but to also introduce more Singaporean/Asean youth to the richness of music and career possibilities in the arts.

DePauw University Young Artists Piano Competition, IN

2004–present

Created this competition for high school students from scratch. Wanted to provide and to host a higher caliber competition for young pianists. Designed, produced, mailed all promotional materials myself the first year. Organized all details, including processing of applications, screening of CDs, handling all correspondence with participants and judges, scheduling. Also a judge myself. This competition now attracts contestants from not only Indiana, but Illinois, Ohio, Kentucky, Michigan, Missouri, Pennsylvania, Connecticut, and South Carolina.

DePauw Chamber Players, Greencastle, IN

2004–present

Wrote a proposal for the creation of a faculty piano trio, of which I would be a member, which was no longer in existence when I started at DePauw. The name “Chamber Players” was chosen to allow flexibility in programming. In addition to on-campus recitals, the trio also does outreach at local schools.

Soirées Musicales, Greencastle, IN

2005–2006

Obtained a Mellon grant for this series of almost-monthly household gatherings for both amateur and professional musicians to foster camaraderie amongst School of Music and College of Liberal Arts faculty. My goal was to encourage amateur music lovers to continue to actively make music. Organized the concerts, persuaded people to play, sought willing hosts with pianos and homes large enough to accommodate everyone, personally cooked and prepared food for each event.

ChamberFest, Indiana Music Teachers Association State Convention

2004, 2005

As co-organizer, assisted another member with organizing a chamber music festival to provide young music students the opportunity to play in small ensembles, an experience quite different from the school orchestra and band that they are more familiar with. Instrumental students of any age and level would gather together for the day to rehearse one or more pieces, receive coaching, and perform in a recital. Recruited students, chose suitable repertoire, handled correspondence, arranged coaches e.t.c..

Chamber Music on Mondays concert series, Carroll College, WI

2002–2003

Started this concert series because I wanted to play chamber music, but also wanted to bring classical music to the community. Members of the Milwaukee Symphony were invited to perform on a series of concerts spaced throughout the academic year. I was the pianist. The concerts drew a healthy, appreciative audience.

