

# Jerianne Larson

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## Education

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- 2022- present**      **UNIVERSITY OF NORTH TEXAS** Denton, Texas  
**Doctor of Musical Arts**  
Major: Performance - Wind Conducting  
Cognate: Music Education  
A.B.D.
- 2017**                **MESSIAH UNIVERSITY** Mechanicsburg, Pennsylvania  
**Master of Music**  
Major: Performance - Wind Conducting
- 2009**                **WESTMINSTER COLLEGE** New Wilmington, Pennsylvania  
**Bachelor of Music in Music Education**

## PRIMARY CONDUCTING TEACHERS

Eugene Migliaro Corporon, University of North Texas  
Andrew Trachsel, University of North Texas  
Amy Woody, University of North Texas  
Daniel Cook, University of North Texas/ Ithaca College  
Bradley Genevro, Messiah University/ Oklahoma State University  
R. Tad Greig, Westminster College

## Professional Experience

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- 2024-present**      **UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS RIO GRANDE VALLEY** Edinburg, Texas  
**SCHOOL OF MUSIC**  
**Director of Bands, One-Year Appointment**
- CONDUCTING** Wind Orchestra 2024-present; **Symphonic Winds**  
2024-present
- TEACHING** Wind Literature 2024-present; **Advanced Conducting**  
2024-present; **Private Conducting Lessons** 2024-present
- ADMINISTRATION** Oversee and coordinate the Wind Band area including concerts, coordinating events between Wind Studies and outside entities, carryout administrative and management on behalf of the department, and assisting the Athletic Director of Bands with marching and pep band duties and management

2022-2024

**UNIVERSITY OF NORTH TEXAS** Denton, Texas  
**COLLEGE OF MUSIC**

2022-2024

**Doctoral Conducting Associate and Teaching Fellow**

2023-2024

**Graduate Coordinator**

2022-2024

**Wind Studies Librarian**

**CONDUCTING Concert Band** 2023-2024; **Wind Studies Rehearsal Assistant and Guest Conductor** 2022-2024, assist with Wind Symphony, Wind Orchestra, and Wind Ensemble, and Green Brigade Marching Band; **Graduate Assistant Director of Pep Bands** 2022-2024, direct volleyball and basketball pep bands

**TEACHING Fundamentals of Conducting** (graduate and undergraduate dual-listed course) 2023-2024; **Graduate Wind Literature Teaching Fellow** 2022-2024; **Advanced Instrumental Conducting Teaching Fellow** (graduate and undergraduate dual-listed course) 2022-2024

**ADMINISTRATION Graduate Coordinator** 2023-2024, manage Wind Studies graduate student's schedules and department jobs, coordinate events between Wind Studies ensembles and outside entities, carryout administrative and management duties on behalf of the Wind Studies department; **Wind Studies Librarian** 2022-2024, supervisor for three undergraduate librarian workers, maintain Wind Studies archives, oversee musician part assignments and distribution for 600+ students

**SERVICE** Manager, Conductors Collegium 2022-2024; Advisor and Mentor, Jensen Student Conducting Recital 2023; assist Kappa Kappa Psi Band Fraternity with charity fundraisers and initiatives 2023-2024; assist the undergraduate chapter of Women Band Directors International with professional development initiatives.

2022-2024

**LONE STAR WIND ORCHESTRA** Richardson, Texas

2023-2024

**Assistant Artistic Manager**

2022-2024

**Rehearsal Assistant**

**ADMINISTRATION Assistant Artistic Manager** 2023-2024, assist with concert management, musician hiring, music management and distribution, music editor; audio/visual recording and support, concert stage management; **Rehearsal Assistant** 2022-2024, assist with all aspects of the rehearsal setting including setup and teardown, score preparation, assist with Lone Star Youth Winds rehearsals in the same capacity as the adult ensemble

2018-2022

**YOUGH HIGH SCHOOL** Herminie, Pennsylvania

**Director of Bands**

2020-2022

**Fine Arts Chair**

Conducted 9-12 Concert Band and select Symphonic Band, Marching Band, two Jazz Bands, applied lessons to all high school instrumentalists, Percussion Ensemble, and Chamber Winds Program. Taught Music Theory. Prepared and accompanied Jazz Band students to perform for the state legislation in Harrisburg, PA 2020. Prepare ensembles for PMEA Music Performance Assessments and auditions. Host annual Marching Band and Jazz Band Festivals. Host region wide high school and junior high school band festivals. Initiated Jazz Band Festival and recording project. Created Jazz Band Two, created chamber ensembles. Developed guest soloist program. Organized commissioning project for Anthony O'Toole's *Industrial Complex*. Organized band trips to perform at Walt Disney World in Florida, Cleveland, Ohio, and Washington D.C. Managed competitive Winterguard.

Extensive administrative duties include managing program budgets, Band Boosters, staff, and volunteers, maintain consistent communication with stakeholders in program (parents, students, administration, community), initiating recruitment/retention strategies.

**Fine Arts Chair** Oversaw all aspects of music program K-12, including 6 concert bands, 3 jazz bands, 4 choirs, marching band, middle school feeder programs, Artist in Residency Program, Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra Initiative for elementary and middle school; tactical arts such as graphic design and shop, fine art, pottery, domestic arts, musicals at both the high school and middle school levels, and coordinate a yearly Fine Arts Festival for the school district.

2013-2018

**CALIFORNIA AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT** Coal Center, Pennsylvania

**Director of Bands 5-12**

**Choir Director**

**K-12 Music Teacher**

**Musical Director**

Directed High School Concert Band and Choir, Middle School Bands and Choir, High School Jazz Band, Marching Band, Percussion Ensemble, and district wide Musical. Taught elementary and middle school general music. Prepared ensembles and individuals for PMEA Music Performance Assessments and festivals. Reestablished the high school Jazz Band and created the Percussion Ensemble. Managed music budgets for all schools K-12, Band Boosters, Musical Boosters, and organized band trips to Walt Disney World in Florida, Nashville, Tennessee, Virginia Beach, and Chicago, Illinois.

## **Creative Activity and Scholarship**

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### **CONDUCTING**

#### **WORKSHOPS and SYMPOSIUMS**

1. Participant, U.S. Army Band “Pershing’s Own” Conductors Workshop (Washington, DC) July 2024
2. Participant, North Texas Conductors Collegium (Denton, Texas) June 2024
3. Participant, Baylor University Conducting Symposium (Waco, Texas) April 2024
4. Participant, North Texas Conductors Collegium (Denton, Texas) June 2023
5. Participant, North Texas Conductors Collegium (Denton, Texas) June 2022
6. Participant, North Texas Conductors Collegium (Denton, Texas) June 2021
7. Participant, University of Minnesota Conductors Workshop (Virtual) July 2020
8. Participant, North Texas Conductors Collegium (Virtual) June 2020
9. Participant, Diverse Pathways to the Podium: A Symposium for Women Conductors (Virtual) June 2020
10. Participant, University of Maryland Conductors Workshop (College Park, Maryland) July 2019
11. Participant, Waynesburg University Conductors Workshop (Waynesburg, Pennsylvania) February 2019
12. Participant, West Chester University Conductors Workshop (West Chester, Pennsylvania) July 2018
13. Participant, Waynesburg University Conductors Workshop (Waynesburg, Pennsylvania) February 2018
14. Participant, Youngstown State University Conductors Workshop (Youngstown, Ohio) June 2019

#### **GUEST CONDUCTING COLLEGE, UNIVERSITY, COMMUNITY, and PROFESSIONAL**

1. PMEA District 1 West Jr. High Honors Band (Herminie, Pennsylvania) March 2025  
SCHEDULED
2. Alle-Kiski Valley High School Honors Band Festival (Burrell, Pennsylvania) January 2025  
SCHEDULED
3. U.S. Army Band “Pershing’s Own” (Washington, DC) July 2024
4. Lone Star Wind Orchestra (Richardson, Texas) December 2023
5. North Texas Wind Symphony various performances (Denton, Texas) 2022-2024
6. North Texas Wind Orchestra various performances (Denton, Texas) 2022-2024
7. North Texas Wind Ensemble various performances (Denton, Texas) 2022-2024
8. University of North Texas Concert Band various performances (Denton, Texas) 2022-2023
9. University of North Texas University Band various performances (Denton, Texas) 2022-2024
10. Trinity High School Concert Band (Washington, Pennsylvania) September 2019
11. Pittsburgh Composers Project various performances and recording projects (Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania) 2018-2024
12. Seton Hill University Symphonic Winds (Greensburg, Pennsylvania) November 2016
13. Messiah University Chamber Winds (Mechanicsburg, Pennsylvania) June 2016
14. Harrisburg Community Band (Mechanicsburg, Pennsylvania) June 2016
15. Westminster College Wind Ensemble (New Wilmington, Pennsylvania) November 2012

## **COLLEGE and UNIVERSITY**

1. University of Texas Rio Grande Valley Wind Orchestra (Edinburgh, Texas) 2024-present
  - a. Two concert cycles per semester, Fall and Spring
  - b. End of semester collaboration concerts- “Home for the Holidays” and “Block Party”
2. University of Texas Rio Grande Valley Symphonic Winds (Edinburgh, Texas) 2024-present
  - a. Two concert cycles per semester, Fall and Spring
3. University of North Texas Concert Band (Denton, Texas) 2023-2024
  - a. Two concert cycles per semester, Fall and Spring
4. North Texas Wind Symphony/Wind Orchestra/Wind Ensemble (Denton, Texas) 2022-2024
  - a. Multiple performances each semester, Fall and Spring

## **HIGH SCHOOL**

1. Yough High School Bands (Herminie, Pennsylvania) 2018-2022
  - a. Annual Music Performance Assessments, March-April
  - b. Annual Spring Concert performances, May
  - c. Annual district-wide Fine Arts Night performances, May
  - d. Annual Jazz Festival performances, March
  - e. Annual Mid-Winter Concert performances, February
  - f. Annual Winter Concert performances, December
2. California Area Spring Musical Production (Coal Center, Pennsylvania) 2015-2018
3. California Area Bands and Choirs (Coal Center, Pennsylvania) 2013-2018
  - a. Annual Spring Concert performances, May
  - b. Annual Music Performance Assessments, March-April
  - c. Annual Winter Concert performance, December

## **NOTABLE PEROFMANCES**

1. Yough High School Jazz ONE **Music in Our School’s Month** Featured Keynote Ensemble at the Pennsylvania state capitol for state legislature (Harrisburg, Pennsylvania) March 2020 (cancelled due to COVID-19)

## **HONOR BANDS**

1. FayWest Honor Band Festival Symphonic Band (Greensburg, Pennsylvania) January 2022
2. FayWest Honor Band Festival Symphonic Band (Murrysville, Pennsylvania) January 2021
3. FayWest Honor Band Festival Symphonic Band (Mount Pleasant, Pennsylvania) January 2020
4. FayWest Honor Band Festival Symphonic Band (New Kensington, Pennsylvania) January 2019

## **COLLABORATIONS**

1. **Ryan Fillinger**, guest composer (conductor, University of North Texas Concert Band) February 2024
2. **Bruce Broughton**, guest composer (conductor, University of North Texas Concert Band) November 2023
3. **Mark Surovchak**, guest composer (conductor, University of North Texas Concert Band) November 2023
4. **Manuel Martínez**, soloist (graduate assistant, North Texas Wind Ensemble) November 2023
5. **Manuel Martínez**, soloist (assistant artistic manager, Lone Star Wind Orchestra) November 2023

6. **Robert Traugh**, Duquesne University, guest composer (conductor, University of North Texas Concert Band) April 2023
7. **Dame Evelyn Glennie**, soloist (graduate assistant, North Texas Wind Symphony TMEA performances) February 2023
8. **Michael Daugherty**, University of Michigan, guest composer and clinician (graduate assistant, North Texas Wind Symphony TMEA performances) February 2023
9. **Jack Stamp**, guest composer (graduate assistant, North Texas Wind Symphony TMEA performances) February 2023
10. **Barcelona Clarinet Players**, soloists (graduate assistant, North Texas Wind Symphony TMEA performances) February 2023
11. **R. Tad Greig**, Westminster College, guest conductor (Westmoreland County High School Honor Band) December 2021
12. **R. Tad Greig**, Westminster College, guest conductor (Yough High School Symphonic Band) December 2021
13. **Jason Worzbyt**, Indiana University of Pennsylvania, guest clinician (Yough High School Symphonic Band) February 2021
14. **Kevin Eisensmith**, Indiana University of Pennsylvania, guest clinician (Yough High School Jazz ONE) February 2020
15. **Chris Marra**, Seton Hill University, guest conductor (Yough High School Symphonic and Concert Bands) March 2019
16. **James Flowers**, Indiana University of Pennsylvania, alto saxophone soloist (Westminster College Wind Ensemble) April 2013

#### **PREMIERES and COMMISSIONS**

1. *Love & Nature* by **Gala Flagello**, Consortium commission and premiere (University of Texas Rio Grande Valley Wind Orchestra) Fall 2024 SCHEDULED
2. *Bravado* by **Gala Flagello**, Texas premiere (University of North Texas Concert Band) April 2024
3. *Lux Aeterna* by **Ryan Fillinger**, World premiere (University of North Texas Concert Band) February 2024
4. *Sea of Mountains* by **Matthew Jackfert**, Texas premiere (University of North Texas Concert Band) February 2024
5. *Terry Takes a Walk* by **Bruce Broughton**, Texas premiere (University of North Texas Concert Band) November 2023
6. *...letting go* by **Mark Surovchak**, Texas premiere (University of North Texas Concert Band) November 2023
7. *Kaayumari* by **Gabriella Ortiz**, Texas premiere (University of North Texas Wind Orchestra) October 2023
8. *Spark and Fire* by **Robert Traugh**, Texas premiere (University of North Texas Concert Band) April 2023
9. *Industrial Complex* by **Anthony O'Toole**, Consortium commission and premiere (Yough High School Symphonic Band) March 2020

#### **AWARDS and PROFESSIONAL HONORS**

1. Westmoreland County Music Educators Association Outstanding Music Educator Award, 2021
2. Continuous Superior (I) rating at Pennsylvania Music Performance Assessment, Yough Symphonic Band, 2019-2022

## Creative Activity, Scholarship, and Leadership

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### PROFESSIONAL and UNIVERSITY

#### ADMINISTRATIVE and ORGANIZATIONAL

1. Assistant artistic manager, **Lone Star Wind Orchestra** (Richardson, Texas) 2023-2024
2. Graduate staff coordinator, **University of North Texas Wind Studies** (Denton, Texas) 2023-2024
3. Recording assistant producer, **University of North Texas Green Brigade Marching Band: Together as One** (Denton, Texas) November 2023
4. Advisor and Mentor, **Jenson Student Conducting Recital** (Denton, Texas) November 2023
5. Recording session assistant, **JACK STAMP: Chamber Music, Volume Two: Music for Clarinet Quartet. Toccata Classics**: guest artists- Barcelona Clarinet Players/North Texas Percussion Quartet, composer/producer- Jack Stamp (Denton, Texas) March 2023
6. Manager, **North Texas Conductors Collegium**: administrated two-week annual workshop for 40+ international and domestic conductors, including managing the performance group, coordinating concerts, and assisting clinicians (Denton, Texas) 2022-2024
7. Rehearsal assistant, **Lone Star Wind Orchestra** and **Lone Star Youth Winds** (Richardson, Texas) 2022-2024
8. Wind Studies graduate librarian, **University of North Texas Wind Studies** (Denton, Texas) 2022-2024
9. Regional Festival Coordinator, **Pennsylvania Music Educators Association** (Harrisburg, Pennsylvania) (coordinated students at regional level festivals) 2021-2022

#### CLINICS, MASTERCLASSES, ADJUDICATIONS, and PRESENTATIONS

1. Guest Speaker, "From the Classroom to the Podium: Supporting Aspiring Female Musicians," **Music Ed Insights: The Podcast** (Cedar Rapids, IA) May 2024
2. Clinician, **Dallas ISD Pre-UIL Performance** (Dallas, Texas) March 2024
3. Presenter, "Empowering and Mentoring the Next Generation of Female Band Director," **The Midwest Clinic: International Band and Orchestra Conference** (Chicago, Illinois) December 2023
4. Clinician, **Sunset High School Wind Symphony and Symphonic Band** (Dallas, Texas) March 2023
5. Guest lecturer, **Duquesne University** (Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania) (via Zoom) October 2022
6. Presenter, "Women in a Band's World," **Pennsylvania Music Education Association Conference** (Mount Pocono, Pennsylvania) March 2022
7. Adjudicator, **Pennsylvania Music Educators Association Music Performance Assessment** (California, Pennsylvania) February 2022
8. Adjudicator, **Pennsylvania Music Educators Association All-State Audition Panel member**, B-flat/E-flat clarinet, 2014-2022
9. Rehearsal clinician, **Norwin High School Wind Ensemble** (North Huntington, Pennsylvania) February 2022
10. Rehearsal clinician, **Canon-McMillian High School Wind Ensemble** (Canonsburg, Pennsylvania) February 2022
11. Presenter, "Women in a Band's World," **Pennsylvania Music Education Association District 1 In-Service Conference** (Greensburg, Pennsylvania) January 2022
12. Guest lecturer, **Westminster College** (New Wilmington, Pennsylvania) (via Zoom) 2020

## Conducting Rehearsal and Performance Videos

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### Performance Videos

[https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL3H2IncGrknro1q517\\_8emg6NiLFTZo8X](https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL3H2IncGrknro1q517_8emg6NiLFTZo8X)

### Rehearsal Videos

<https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL3H2IncGrknFcTSZwrUpoW1-l4YgxDLO>

### Marching Band Video

<https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL3H2IncGrknpd-9h5j6a6PwCNlgakctmq>

## Non-Conducting Musical Experiences

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Percussionist, Lone Star Youth Winds (Richardson, Texas) 2023

Percussionist, Lone Star Wind Orchestra (Richardson, Texas) 2023

Clarinetist, Westmoreland Symphonic Winds (Greensburg, Pennsylvania) 2013-2022

Woodwinds and piano, Pittsburgh Area Pit Musician (Pennsylvania) 2010-2022

Principal Clarinet, Greensburg Sinfonia (Greensburg, Pennsylvania) 2015-2021

Assistant Principal Clarinet, Washington Symphony Orchestra (Washington, Pennsylvania) 2018-2020

Clarinetist, Greenville Symphony Orchestra (Greenville, Pennsylvania) 2014

## Professional Affiliations

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College Band Directors National Association (CBDNA)

Texas Music Educators Association (TMEA)

Pennsylvania Music Educators Association (PMEA)

Texas Bandmasters Association (TBA)

National Band Association (NBA)

World Association for Symphonic Bands and Ensembles (WASBE)

National Association for Music Education (NAfME)

Women Band Directors International (WBDI)

Pi Kappa Lambda National Music Honor Society

Mu Phi Epsilon National Music Fraternity

## Professional References

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