

## **Christopher Andrew Cloud**

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### **EDUCATION**

- **MS in Library and Information Studies** (*concentration in Information Architecture & Technology*) – Florida State University – *in progress to finish December 2012.*
- **MM in Music Education** (*concentration in Band Directing*) – Appalachian State University. August, 2010
- **MM in Performance** (*Trombone*) – Appalachian State University. August, 2010
- **BM in Music Education** – Appalachian State University, Magna Cum Laude. December, 2007

### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

- Gray-Robinson P.A. Tallahassee, FL. 2011-2012
  - Courier - Runs the mailroom, handles filing legal documentation with agencies or courts, assists with all copy projects, and transports attorneys and clients.
  - Licensing Assistant - Obtained alcohol beverage licenses for clients in multiple states, helped keep licenses in compliance with the law, filed license renewals, and completed corporate officer changes.
- Graduate Research Assistant at Florida State University's Library Technical Services Division. 2011-2012
- Graduate Teaching Assistant in the Trombone Studio at Appalachian State University. 2008 - 2010
- Counselor at Cannon Music Camp (Appalachian State University) for 6 consecutive summers. 2005 - 2010
- Stacks Employee at Belk Library. The position included shelving books, shifting books, shelf reading books, cataloging, straightening, and searching for missing books. 2004 – 2007

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

- Substitute Teacher with Watauga County Schools in Boone, NC. - Elementary, Middle, and High School Experience. 2010
- Applied Trombone Instructor at Appalachian State University. 2008 - 2010
- Trombone Choir Conductor at Appalachian State University. 2008 - 2010
- Teaching the Low Brass method class at Appalachian State University. 2008 - 2010
- Student teacher at Ronald Reagan High School in Forsyth County. Fall, 2007

### **PERFORMANCE EXPERIENCE**

- Immanuel Baptist Church Pit Orchestra (Tallahassee, FL) - Christmas Pageant. 2010
- Master of Music Recital. 2009
- Western Piedmont Symphony (Hickory, NC). 2008 - 2010

- Appalachian State University Wind Ensemble. 2004 - 2009
- Appalachian State University Symphony Orchestra. 2004 - 2009
- Appalachian State University Faculty Orchestra. 2009 - 2010
- Appalachian State University Chamber Orchestra. 2009
- Appalachian State University Jazz Ensembles. 2003 - 2009
- Principal Trombonist - Pit Orchestra during the production of *Urinetown: The Musical* at Lees McRae College. 2010
- Principal Trombonist – Pit Orchestra during the production of *Swing* (a musical) at Lees McRae College. 2008
- Appalachian Orientation Brass Quintet. 2010
- Joint Trumpet and Trombone Recital. 2009
- Appalachian State University Marching Mountaineers. 2003 - 2006
- Bachelor of Music Recital. 2007
- Steely Pan Steel Band. 2005 - 2006
- ASU small ensembles playing in several different brass quintets. 2003 - 2010
- Conductor and Trombonist - ASU Trombone Choir. 2003 - 2010
- Appalachian Graduation Band during commencement ceremonies. 2005 - 2009
- Winston-Salem Community Band directed by Robert Clark in Winston-Salem, NC. 2007
- Lutheran Church of the Nativity in Arden, NC. 2009
- First Presbyterian Church in Boone, NC. 2008 - 2010
- First Baptist Church in North Wilkesboro, NC. 2007
- Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church in Boone, NC. 2006 - 2010
- Boone United Methodist Church in Boone, NC. 2005 - 2010
- Walt Disney World Resort in Orlando, FL. 2001 - 2003
- First Presbyterian Church in Orlando, FL. 2000 – 2003

### **PROFESSIONAL LICENSES**

- Florida Professional Educator’s Certificate (Music/ (Grades K - 12). Effective July, 2010
- North Carolina Standard Professional I License (Class Code: M) in Music (Grades K - 12). Effective August, 2010

### **COMPUTER SKILLS**

- Operating Systems – Installing and using Microsoft Windows XP, Vista, and 7. Experience installing and using Mac OS 10.5, 10.6, & 10.7, and experience with Linux.
- Productivity Suites – Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, Entourage, Outlook, Power Point, and Publisher), iWork (Numbers, Pages, and Keynote), and Apache Open Office (Writer, Calc, Impress, Base, Draw, and Math).
- Library Software/Resources – OCLC Connexion, ExLibris Aleph Cataloging Module, and Library of Congress Web Interface.
- Database Skills – MS Access and Structured Query Language.
- Communication Skills – Assisting others in person, over the phone, and through Internet communication software (IM, and Skype) with technical difficulties on various computer systems.
- Virus Removal – Isolating, quarantining, and correcting problems that arise on computers infected with malicious software.
- Audio and Visual Software – Adobe Photoshop and Acrobat, iMovie, iPhoto, Reason, and Ableton Live.

- Web Design – HTML, CSS, Adobe Dreamweaver, setting up LAMP servers.
- Hardware Components – Building and updating PC computers. Experience includes installing and setting up motherboards, hard drives, video cards, sound cards, and CD/DVD drives.

### ACTIVITIES

- Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia Fraternity. 2004 - 2010
- MENC (The National Association for Music Education). 2003 - 2010
- Summer study at the University College of Cork in Cork, Ireland (*with studies in Irish music and the Irish button accordion*). 2004

### HONORS

- Golden Key – Member since 2011
- Alpha Epsilon Lambda (*Graduate Honor Society*) – Member since 2010
- Pi Kappa Lambda (*National Music Honor Society*) – Member since 2007
- Phi Kappa Phi – Member since 2006
- Alpha Chi – Member since 2005
- National Society for Collegiate Scholars – Member since 2005
- Appalachian Prestigious Scholars Program – Member from 2004 - 2005
- Phi Eta Sigma – Member since 2004

### COMMUNITY SERVICE

- Appalachian Marching Band festival. 2003 - 2005
- Appalachian Contemporary Music Festival. 2004 – 2007
- North Carolina Western Region All-District Band. 2004 – 2007
- Western Regional Orchestra. 2004 – 2007
- Mills Music Mission. 2003 – 2007
- American Music Review at Appalachian State University. 2004 – 2007
- Appalachian Voices (non-profit organization that helps preserve the Appalachian Mountains). 2006

### REFERENCES

- Dr. William A. Gora: Retired Director of Bands, Appalachian State University, Florida Bandmasters Association Member and Adjudicator: (386) 428 – 5319 - gorawa@appstate.edu
- Dr. Scott C. Tobias: Director of Bands, University of Central Florida: (407) 823 – 3581 – Scott.Tobias@ucf.edu
- Annie Glerum: Complex Cataloging Librarian Department Head, Florida State University: (850) 644 – 4839 – aglerum@fsu.edu
- Dr. Harold McKinney: Professor of Trombone, Appalachian State University: (828) 262 – 6468 - mckinnyhv@appstate.edu
- Mary F. Smallwood: Senior Shareholder of Gray Robinson: (850) 577 – 6960 – mary.smallwood@gray-robinson.com