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## MISSION

My mission is to become a global ambassador of art and music, as well as social equity and peace. I hope to greatly broaden the reaches of classical music, bringing it out of the concert hall to share with those who are broken in spirit whomever or wherever they might be, through a combination of performing, teaching, composing, and community activism.

## EDUCATION

Graduation Pending – Bachelor of Music in Violin Performance, Indiana University, Jacobs School of Music, 2021  
Professor Mauricio Fuks

Jacobs Scholar \* Founders Scholar \* Phi Eta Sigma Member \* Cumulative GPA 4.0  
Persephone Quartet \* Advanced Quartet Seminar  
Coached by Pacifica Quartet

Music Institute of Chicago Academy. Violin Teacher Almita Vamos. 2015-2017  
Sage Foundation Fellow 2015-2016

Secondary Education – Home School Student

Primary Education – Cedarwood Waldorf School

## LEADERSHIP

Incoming President, Aikido Club, Indiana University, 2019-2020  
Principle Second Violin, University Orchestra, Indiana University, 2018-2019  
Co-concertmaster, MIC Academy Chamber Orchestra, James Setapen, 2016-2017  
Co-Concertmaster, Portland Youth Philharmonic, 2014-2015  
Co-Concertmaster, Camerata PYP, 2014-2015

## COMMUNITY SERVICE

Hoosier Hills Food Bank, Bloomington, IN, 2019  
Founder, Annual Homeless Benefit Concert, Portland, OR, 2013-2016  
Recital, Rose Villa Retirement Community, Portland, OR, 2016  
Portland Adventist Community Services, Food Bank, 100 hours, 2012-2013  
Living Hope International, Feeding Homeless, Portland OR, 2013  
Organized Quartet to perform at Portland Summer Ensembles Fundraising Gala, 2012-13  
Taught violin lessons to neighborhood student, 2012  
Donated 10% of fundraising gifts to agencies working on homelessness, community arts, and peace, 2009-2012

## MUSIC EXPERIENCE

### Solo Performance Highlights

Solo performance at Mauricio Fuks Studio Recital, IU Jacobs School of Music, 2019  
Featured Live Performance on All Classical Portland radio broadcast, "Thursdays@Three," with host Robert McBride, 2014  
Solo Performance with Portland Youth Philharmonic at annual Oregon Symphony Waterfront Concert, 2014  
Solo performance with Portland Youth Philharmonic, 2014  
Solo performance with Portland MetroArts Inc. Orchestra, 2014  
Solo performance with Oregon Symphony Orchestra, 2013

### Chamber Music Ensembles and Performance Highlights

Persephone Quartet, IU Jacobs School of Music, performance at Centrum Chamber Music Workshop, 2016-2017  
Akros Piano Trio, Music Institute of Chicago Academy, performed live on WFMT Chicago's "Introductions, 2015-2016  
"I Ragazzi" Baroque String Trio/Quartet, 2009-2016

### Orchestral Ensembles and Performances

University Orchestra, IU Jacobs School of Music, 2018-2019  
Chamber Orchestra, IU Jacobs School of Music, 2017-2018  
Chautauqua Music School Festival Orchestra, 2016  
MIC Academy Chamber Orchestra, 2015-2016  
Chicago Youth in Music Festival Orchestra (directed by Gennady Rozhdestvensky and Riccardo Muti), 2016, 2017  
Portland Youth Philharmonic Association, 2011-2015

## SUMMER MUSIC

Chautauqua Summer Music Festival, Almita and Roland Vamos, 2016  
Labor Day Chamber Music Festival, Mercer University, Georgia, Amy Schwartz Moretti, Robert McDuffie, 2014  
Meadowmount School of Music in New York, Amy Barlowe, Gerardo Ribeiro, 2012-2014  
Metropolitan Youth Symphony European Concert Tour, Austria, Poland, Czech Republic, 2011

## AWARDS/HONORS

Selected for Indiana University Annual MLK Civil Rights Immersion Trip to WA, DC., 2018  
Tooze Special Projects Award/Scholarship recipient, 2014, 2015, 2016  
PYP performance at Grant Park International Music Festival, Chicago, 2014  
Portland Youth Philharmonic (PYP) Soloist Competition winner, 2014  
Portland MetroArts Inc. "Young Artist Debut" winner, 2014  
PYP Jacques Gershovich Award/Scholarship recipient, 2014  
Monday Musical Club Scholarship Competition winner, 2014  
Oregon-ASTA Scholarship Competition winner, 2013  
PYP Scholarship Competition winner, 2012, 2013  
Beaux Art Society of Portland Award/Scholarship recipient, 2013  
OMTA High School Division, Orchestral Instrumental Scholarship Competition winner, 2013  
OMTA Jeannette Briggs Scholarship Competition winner, 2012  
Trula Whelan Concerto Competition winner, 2012  
OMTA Romantic Festival Competition winner, 2010