

## Jordan Daniels

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### EDUCATION

University of California, Los Angeles  
Bachelor of Arts, Piano Performance and Music Education  
Graduation: June 2016  
GPA: 3.2

University of Southern California  
Masters of Music in Piano Performance  
Anticipated Graduation: June 2018

### HONORS AND AWARDS

- Gluck Music Foundation Scholarship
- The Herp Albert School of Music Scholarship
- UBAA Legacy Scholarship

### RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

#### **Auxiliary Services**

*University of Southern California* August 2016 - Present  
- Aid USC Housing by documenting incoming packages, answering phone calls and providing relevant feedback, placing work orders, and aiding residents. Resident needs include reporting a lost or stolen key, information about campus, changing roommates, etc.

#### **Student Intern**

- Hamilton High School - Los Angeles, CA* January 2016 - June 2016  
- Student taught four choir classes and two group piano classes. Would teach from 8 am - 3 pm Monday through Friday.
- Warner Elementary - Los Angeles, CA* October 2014 – December 2014, September 2015 - December 2015  
- Lead twelve 30 minute group lessons for a fourth grade class of thirty students. Met with students twice a week to coach basics of violin performance.  
- Held parent presentation in school auditorium. The purpose of the presentation was to show what the students learned to their parents.  
- Construct lesson plans to learn proper way to hold violin, bow, how to properly pizzicato, and to play three songs on the violin. Constructing lesson plans included doing research online for the most effective way to learn these concepts
- Nora Sterry Elementary School* September 2015 - December 2015  
- Lead six 60 minute group lessons for a fourth grade class of thirty students. Met with students once a week to coach basics of guitar performance.
- Nora Sterry Elementary School* October 2014- November 2014  
- Lead two lessons in kindergarten classes of twenty students. The first lesson focused on expression through music and the second lesson focused on jazz music

#### **Guest Conductor**

- Palm Middle School – Los Angeles, CA* November 7, 2011  
- Conducted a middle school band consisting of thirty students. The piece performed was the “Ukrainian Bell Carol.”
- University of California Los Angeles – Los Angeles, CA* March 12, 2014  
- Conducting UCLA’s Wind Ensemble. The piece performed was Gustav Holst’s First Military Suite in E-Flat.

#### **Piano Accompanist**

- Arrowhead Christian Academy - Redlands, CA* September 2010 - June 2011  
- Piano Accompanist during Senior year of High School.
- University of California, Los Angeles*  
- Piano Accompanists for Act III musical theater auditions. April 2015  
- Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia Music Fraternity June 2015- June 2016  
- Piano Accompanist for UCLA’s Game Music EnsembleChoir September 2015- December 2016  
- Piano accompanist for Compton Conservatory of Music June 2015 - Present

**Orchestra**

- *University of California, Los Angeles*  
Pianists in UCLA's Game Music Ensemble. The orchestra consists of over forty musicians. September 2014 - December 2015
- Pianist for UCLA's Hooligan Theater Production Orchestra. November 2013 - February 2014

**Volunteer Work**

- H3 Missions June 26, 2014 - July 4, 2014
- Assisted Physicians in Medical Procedures and ran music appreciation classes at orphanages in Haiti.

**Other**

- *University of California, Los Angeles* June 2015 - July 2016
- Music Director for Phi Mu Alpha Music fraternity. Would set up performance events and advertise the events to the public. Major accomplishments include performing the national anthem for a televised UCLA basketball game and softball game.