

# Tutor Profiles 2017

## ORCHESTRAL PERCUSSION AND DRUMKIT

- **Mr Andre Bonetti** studied at Queensland Conservatorium of Music receiving a Bachelor of Music (Performance) in orchestral percussion and jazz vibraphone
- Performer, manager and composer in 3 bands
- Co-ordinated CD releases, interstate tours, radioplay and performances at some of Australia's biggest festivals
- Taught for 10 years at a number of schools and private studio
- Studied the 'cimbalom' instrument in Budapest
- Freelance performer and composer
- Soloist with Queensland Symphony Orchestra, Brisbane Symphony Orchestra and various professional ensembles in Brisbane

## FLUTE

- **Mrs Bronwyn Powter** studied at University of Newcastle Conservatorium of Music receiving a Bachelor of Music
- Achieved Associate of Music Diploma on flute
- Has taught in London, New South Wales and Queensland for over 26 years
- Toured NSW and QLD holding masterclasses
- Works with numerous national and international artists
- Freelance musician performing with trio "Troika"
- Recorded band music on flute and piccolo
- Played with National Youth Orchestra 1998-9

## VOCAL

- **Ms Nikala deBruyn** studied at the Queensland Conservatorium of Music receiving a Graduate Certificate in Music Studies (vocal pedagogy) and Masters in Music Studies (vocal pedagogy)
- Received the 2012 Griffith Qld Conservatorium of Music Award for Academic Excellence
- Diploma of Training and Assessment
- Diploma of Human Resources
- Diploma of Frontline Management
- Taught in a number of schools and home studio
- Performed in numerous community events and QPAC 'Out of the Box' Festival
- Involved in a number of album recordings
- Vocal Director at Hope Centre Church

## BRASS

- **Mr Stuart Bent** studied at the Queensland Conservatorium of Music receiving a Bachelor of Music (Instrumental)
- Regularly performs with various professional groups
- Principal Trombonist of Brisbane Excelsior Brass Band
- Taught for a number of years in Brisbane schools
- Freelance trombonist including radio performances and soundtrack recordings
- 2010 & 2013 Australian Trombone Champion – Australian National Brass Band Competition
- Member of National Australia Brass Band
  
- **Mr Adrian Moran** studied at Australian National University, Canberra receiving a Bachelor of Music (Performance)
- Offered a place at the London Royal Academy of Music on trumpet
- Taught for a number of years in Brisbane schools
- Directed beginner to advanced schools bands and ensembles
- Guest conductor with the National Capital Orchestra
- Guest conductor with the ANU School of Music Symphony Orchestra

## CLARINET & SAXOPHONE

- **Mrs Julie Elvery** studied at Queensland Conservatorium of Music receiving a Bachelor of Music and Graduate Diploma of Instrumental Performance.
- Achieved Licentiate of Music Diploma on clarinet
- Achieved Associate of Music Diploma on piano and saxophone
- Taught for 20 years at a number of schools in Brisbane plus home studio
- Has been a freelance clarinetist with QLD Philharmonic Orchestra and various chamber groups
- Played alto and tenor saxophone in the Youth for Christ Big Band for 5 years
- Played clarinet in the Brisbane Philharmonic Orchestra from 2006-2010
- Directs children's and youth music at church

## STRINGS

- **Ms Cristina Zanfir** studied at the Bucuresti Conservatorium and the Queensland Conservatorium of Music
- Received a Bachelor of Music double majoring in Violin and String Pedagogy
- Teaches violin, viola and cello
- Completing a Masters of Music in String Pedagogy
- Has taught at the George Enescu School of Music in Bucuresti, Romania
- Currently conducts a number of string ensembles at Primary and Secondary levels
- Teaches in a number of schools
- Performs in a quartet at many functions
  
- **Mr Benjamin Greaves** studied at the Queensland Conservatorium of Music receiving a Bachelor of Music Performance
- Received an Associate of Music, Australia
- Received a Licentiate of Music, Australia
- Scholar of the Australian National Academy of Music, Melbourne
- Director/Violinist/Violist of Collusion Music
- Performances with Collusion Music, Qld Symphony Orchestra, Camerata of St Johns as a Principal Violinist
- Tours with Musica Viva in schools and countrywide.
- Orchestra pit work for musicals, ballets, Australian opera and ballet
- Regular recording studio sessional artist
- 4 CDs in discography, featured on ABC Classics
- Professional development in performance and pedagogy in Czech Republic courtesy of Arts Qld bursary
  
- **Ms Ann Wu** studied at Queensland Conservatorium of Music receiving a Bachelor of Music in Performance
- Achieved Associate of Music on Violoncello
- Acquired 6<sup>th</sup> grade theory (musicianship)
- Professional member of Australian Strings Association
- Has taught in various schools including Young Conservatorium of Music
- Performs in a trio at many functions

## GUITAR AND ELECTRIC BASS

- **Mr Martin Pearson** studied at the Berklee College of Music receiving a Bachelor of Music
- Completed a Bachelor of Education and Bachelor of Ministry
- Taught in a number of schools and home studio
- Performs in a number of bands on guitar, keyboard and flute
- Previous resident pianist at the Hyatt Hotel in Sanctuary Cove

## INTRODUCTION TO MUSIC

- **Mrs Kendre Bent** studied at the Queensland Conservatorium of Music receiving a Bachelor of Music (Instrumental Currently studying a Certificate of Teaching Music (piano)
- Taught piano, strings and brass for over 13 years in a number of Brisbane schools and in a home studio
- Conducted music workshops in various schools
- Currently directs a number of instrumental ensembles including concert bands and string orchestras at both Primary and Secondary levels
- Travelled nationally and internationally with a number of instrumental ensembles
- Currently studying Graduate Diploma in Education (Music)

## PIANO / KEYBOARD

- **Miss Misaki Hori** studied at the University of Queensland receiving a Bachelor of Music with First Class Honours
- Completed a Graduate Diploma in Education from the University of Queensland (Secondary)
- Received The Australian Kodaly Certificate in Music Education (Primary) from Sound Thinking Australia
- Achieved an Associate of Music, Australia Diploma on piano
- Has taught piano for over 10 years privately and in several schools.
- Professional member of the Accompanist Guild of Queensland
- Performed as a guest pianist at various Music Festivals including the Tyalgum Music Festival on two occasions and the Piano Duo Festival
- Has worked as a Ballet pianist and piano accompanist at the University of Queensland and various schools
- Also a LOTE teacher
  
- **Mrs Anna Lu** studied at University of Queensland receiving a Master in Music Studies (Aural Pedagogy)
- Completed a Bachelor of Music (Hons 1) in Performance and Bachelor of Science in Pure Mathematics at Queensland Conservatorium of Music
- Received an Associate of Music, Australia
- Received a Licentiate of Music, Australia
- Has taught piano, theory and musicianship for over 20 years privately and in schools
- Performs regularly as a pianist and accompanist
- Author of Music Bumblebees Aural and Theory Workbooks