

# Cami J. Shaskin

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## Objective

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Maintain a healthy performance schedule and network in order to continue spreading hope and joy through the world with music.

## Orchestra Participation

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### ORCHESTRA AT TEMPLE SQUARE

*Salt Lake City, UT (1999-Present)*

◆Music missionary and violinist, accompanying The Tabernacle Choir at Temple Square

### MISC ORCHESTRAS

*Colorado, Utah, Germany, Michigan, Minnesota*

◆UNC Symphony Orchestra<sup>^</sup> ('06-'07); BYU Philharmonic ('00-'03); BYU Chamber Orchestra ('01-'02/ Midwest Tour); BYU University Orchestra\*; Intercollegiate Orchestra for 2002 Salt Lake City Olympic Winter Games

◆World Youth Symphony Orchestra at Interlochen Music Camp, MI<sup>^\*</sup> (2000)

◆Jeunesses Musicales World Orchestra, based in Berlin ('01-'02)

◆Nachtmusik\*, Utah Oratorio Society Orch<sup>^\*</sup>, including productions of Handel's *Messiah*

◆Utah All-State Orchestra\*, Timpanogas Chamber Orchestra\*, Timpview High School Philharmonic<sup>^\*</sup>, Utah Valley Youth Symphony, Southeast Minnesota Youth Orchestra

### PIT ORCHESTRA PRODUCTIONS

*Utah, Colorado*

◆Guest concertmaster for Greeley Central High School's production of *Oliver!*\*

◆Alpine Community Theater's *The Music Man*\*

◆*Savior of the World* live performances in Salt Lake City\* and Greeley\*

◆BYU opera performances of *Carmen* and others

◆THS musicals: *My Fair Lady*, *The Secret Garden*, *The Music Man*\*, and *Fiddler on the Roof*\*

◆Wilford 2nd Stake's productions of *The Sound of Music*\*(2010) and *Fiddler on the Roof*\*(2013)

\*Denotes concertmaster position held during part of service

<sup>^</sup>Denotes assistant-concertmaster or principal second violin position held

## Employment and Experience

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### ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR

*Tooele Valley Youth Symphony, Erda, UT (2019-Present)*

◆Conducted full symphony of young musicians from Tooele County, ages 11-18

◆Led sectionals on a bi-weekly basis, particularly for violinists, as a Strings Clinician

◆Performed solos and assisted in the violin section as needed during rehearsals and concerts

◆Visited local schools as an ambassador, helping music teachers with rehearsals/sectionals

◆Distributed flyers and otherwise aided marketing efforts for auditions and concerts

◆Secured performance venues for tour

### PERFORMER

◆Featured soloist in Turquoise Band, performing music of Celine Dion (SLC, 2017-Present)

- ◆Strolling violinist and featured soloist for over 300 performances of Busch Gardens “Holiday in Roma” show (Williamsburg, VA 2005)
- ◆First violinist in Avonlea String Quartet for seven years, playing for receptions, luncheons, recitals, Park City Chamber Music camp, and more (‘96-‘02)

### **PART-TIME TEACHER**

*Alpine/Provo/Canyons/Jordan/Granite School Districts, UT and Districts 11&12, CO*

- ◆Taught 5th and 6th grade and Middle School Beginning Orchestra Classes (9 years) (‘02-Dec ‘03, ‘05-‘06, ‘07-‘08 requirements for CO license, ‘09-‘10, ‘12-‘13, ‘14-‘15, ‘15-‘16)
- ◆Teacher certification: Orff Level 1, Suzuki Violin Levels 1-5, CO/UT Initial Educator License
- ◆Private instructor (1999-Present)

### **CERTIFIED HIGH SCHOOL MUSIC FESTIVAL ADJUDICATOR**

*Tooele, UT (2021-Present)*

### **STRING SPECIALIST**

*Riverton Music, Sandy, UT (2015-2018)*

- ◆Answered phones, filed sheet music, tracked inventory, rented instruments, sold step-up string instruments, assisted other departments (accounting, media, custodial, repair, etc.)

### **MARKETING DIRECTOR**

*Day Violins, Murray, UT (2010-2013)*

- ◆Promoted products, sold violins and accessories, created and updated website

### **PUBLIC RELATIONS REPRESENTATIVE & LUTHIER’S ASSISTANT**

*Charles Liu Fine Violins, Midvale, UT (2010)*

- ◆Fulfilled a variety of responsibilities as sole full-time employee, such as processing credit card purchases, payments, rental contracts, credit checks, and appraisals
- ◆Created schedules for Stradivarius International Violin Competition
- ◆Sold upwards of five instruments per week, increasing inventory sold to \$20,000 during month-long Anniversary Sale (above previous expectation)

### **TICKET OFFICE CLERK**

*Union Colony Civic Center, Greeley, CO (2007)*

### **ORCHESTRA SET-UP CREW MEMBER**

*Foundation Hall, Greeley, CO (2007)*

### **MUSIC THERAPY VOLUNTEER**

*North Colorado Medical Center (Fall 2007)*

- ◆Served as authorized hospital volunteer after month-long process: meeting with Volunteer Coordinator; providing health information, performance background, and references; receiving required shots; attending training meetings in order to safely enter protected areas
- ◆Uplifted patients weekly through violin performance in hospital hallways

### **STUDENT OFFICE ASSISTANT**

*University of Northern Colorado School of Music (2006)*

### **SALES ASSOCIATE**

*Best in Music, Orem, UT (2006)*

## Education

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### **MASTER OF MUSIC**

*University of Northern Colorado, Greeley, CO (May 2008)*

- ◆Major: Music Education, Instrumental Emphasis, with licensure
- ◆Graduate Assistant for String Techniques class
- ◆4.0 GPA for graduate courses

### **BACHELOR OF ARTS**

*Brigham Young University, Provo, UT (Dec. 2004)*

- ◆Major: Music, Violin Emphasis; Minor: Language and Computers
- ◆National Merit Scholar, Writing Fellow, 3.65 GPA

## Awards

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Honorable Mention and prizes at 1995 National Reflections Contest; Utah ASTA Solo Competition – 1st Place, 1999; 1999 UVSC Crystal Eagle “Outstanding Citizenship” Award for Timpview High School; Utah State Fair – 3rd Place Cash Award, 1999; 2000 Recipient of Emerson Scholarship for the State of Utah (covered \$4,315 camp fee at Interlochen Center for the Arts); BYU Music Performance Scholarship recipient

## Recordings

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### **TABERNACLE CHOIR & ORCHESTRA AT TEMPLE SQUARE**

Mormon Tabernacle Choir Christmas (TelArc 1999), Sound of Glory (TelArc 2000), Consider the Lilies, Spirit of America, Sing! Choirs of Angels, Choose Something Like a Star, Love is Spoken Here, Then Sings My Soul, Showtime!, Praise to the Man, Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing, Heavensong, 100 Years of Recording, Men of the Mormon Tabernacle Choir, This is the Christ, Glory! Music of Rejoicing, Teach Me To Walk in the Light, Homeward Bound (Deutsche Grammophon 2013), Mormon Tabernacle Choir and Friends, Messiah, Tree of Life, Let Us All Press On, When You Believe: A Night at the Movies, two movie soundtracks, Christmas Concert CD's and DVD's with guest artists Bryn Terfel, Walter Cronkite, David Archuleta, Brian Stokes Mitchell, Sissel, Sesame Street Muppets, and others

### **PERSONAL PROJECTS**

Violin Expressions (Cami Jackson 2014), Short Pieces for Violin (Cami Jackson 2006), Avonlea String Quartet and Avonlea String Quartet Recital (1999, 2001)

### **OTHER RELIGIOUS CD'S**

Redeeming Love (Todd Horne 2009), Joseph Smith the Prophet (Rob Gardner, original recorded orchestra, Provo, UT 2001), Hymns for a Peaceful Sabbath (David Glen Hatch 1999)