

## Kevin M. McKenzie

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**Objective:** Seeking to further my career in music education.

### Teaching Experience:

- **Summer Brass Bash (June 2011 – Current)**
- **SBEC High School and Middle School Bands (August 2011 – Current)**
- **SBEC Percussion Ensemble (November 2011 – Current)**
- **Briarcrest Conservatory of Music (September 2011 – Current)**
- **SBEC Brass Choir Director (January – May 2010)**
- **Houston Indoor Drumline (November 2011 – Current)**
- **Private Instructor (August 2010 – Current)**

### Playing Experience:

- **Honors Bands**  
University of Mississippi Honor Band (2009, 2010), Delta State Honor Band (2009, 2010), Desoto Honor Band (2009, 2010), Mississippi State Honor Band (2009, 2010), University of Memphis Honor Band (2009, 2010), Mississippi All-State Band (2010)
- **Drum and Bugle Corps**  
Carolina Crown Drum and Bugle Corps (2009); Music City Drum and Bugle Corps (2009, 2010, 2011); The Phantom Regiment Drum and Bugle Corps (2012)
- **University of Memphis**  
Wind Ensemble, Symphonic Band, University Band, Tuba/Euphonium Ensemble, Graduate Quartet
- **SBEC High School Band**  
SBEC High School Marching Band/ Symphonic Band, Jazz Band, Brass Choir, Drumline, and Percussion ensemble (Marimba in 2008/drum set in 2009. The Ensemble competed internationally in both SCGC and WGI Circuits. In the WGI World Championships of Percussion in 2008, we finished 6<sup>th</sup> overall.)

### Arranging/Composing Experience:

- **The Hollywood Warm-Up – Book 1 (Premiered September 2011)**
- **The Hollywood Warm-Up – Book 2 (In Progress)**
- **The Carnival of Venice (Premiered October 2011)**
- **Summer Brass Bash Arrangements/Compositions (Summer 2011)**
- **Greyhound (Premiered April 2011)**
- **Amazing Grace (Premiered April 2011)**
- **Cantique de Jean Racine (Premiered March 2011)**
- **University of Memphis Tuba/Euphonium Christmas CD (March 2011 – current)**

**Education:**

University of Memphis – Memphis, TN (Anticipated Graduation May 2014)

BA in Music Education

GPA: 3.86

Southern Baptist Educational Center – Southaven, MS (Graduated May 2010)

**Honors:**

- President of the International Tuba/Euph Studio at the University of Memphis (Fall 2011)
- Vice President of Musical Entrepreneurs at the University of Memphis (Fall 2011)
- Vice President of the International Tuba/Euph Studio University of Memphis (Spring 2011)
- Semi-Finalist in the University of Memphis Concerto Competition (Fall 2011)
- Runner-Up in the University of Memphis Young Artist Competition (Spring 2011)
- Recipient of the Trojan School Spirit Scholarship (Spring 2010)
- Received the Best Solo Award from the Union City Invitational (Fall 2008)
- Received the Best Solo Award from the Wolf River Classic (Fall 2008)
- Received the Most Outstanding Award from the SBEC Band (Spring 2004)
- Received a Superior at the Mississippi Solo and Ensemble (Spring 2009/2010)
- Voted Most Talented by the SBEC Class of 2010 (Spring 2010)
- Received the Overall Outstanding Soloist Award from the Northeast Invitational (Fall 2009)
- Received the Best Soloist Award from the Cordova Invitational (Fall 2009)

**Activities:**

- Ambassador for the University of Memphis School of Music (Fall 2011)
- Ambassador for Drum Corps International (Fall 2011)
- Attended the Mid-West Clinic in Chicago, IL (Fall 2011)
- Attended the University of Central Arkansas Tuba Day (Fall 2011)
- Competed in the MTNA National Competition (Fall 2011)
- Competed in the University of Memphis Concerto Competition (Fall 2011)
- Vice President of the Technology Club at SBEC (Fall 2009 – Spring 2010)
- Competed in the University of Central Arkansas Solo Competition (Spring 2011)
- Attended the Tennessee Music Educators Conference in Nashville, TN (Spring 2011)
- Attended the UCA Low Brass Festival in Conway, AR (Spring 2011)
- Competed in the University of Memphis Young Artist Competition (Fall 2010)
- Attended the Southeastern Tuba/Euphonium Conference in Chattanooga, TN (Spring 2011)
- Competed in the National Falcone Competition (Spring 2011)
- Member of the Tennessee Music Educators Association (Fall 2010 – Present)
- Member of the International Tuba/Euphonium Association (Fall 2010 – Present)

**Skills:**

- Experience working with the following programs: Sibelius, Finale, Audioscore Ultimate, Photoscore Ultimate, Audacity, Microsoft Word, PowerPoint, Excel, and Adobe Photoshop
- Fluent on Euphonium, Tuba, Trombone, Trumpet, Piano, Drum set, and all mallet and percussion instruments
- Organization
- Time management
- Detail Oriented
- People Person

**References:**

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