



# MICHAEL ANDERSON

Choral Director

Dynamic Choral Singer with a focus on contemporary choral music and innovative performance practices. Noted for a powerful and flexible vocal quality, adept at delivering both solo and ensemble performances. Extensive experience in educational settings, working with diverse student populations to cultivate a passion for choral music. Engages audiences through lively performances and interactive programming.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

**Choral Director**

2020-2023

Innovative Youth Choir

- Directed a youth choir, focusing on contemporary choral repertoire and performance techniques.
- Designed engaging rehearsal plans to enhance vocal skills and group dynamics.
- Collaborated with local composers to create original choral works.
- Utilized digital platforms for rehearsals and performances, expanding accessibility.
- Organized community performances that showcased student talent.
- Mentored young singers, fostering a love for choral music and performance.

**Choral Performer**

2019-2020

Contemporary Music Ensemble

- Performed contemporary choral works in various venues, engaging diverse audiences.
- Collaborated with musicians to innovate and reinterpret traditional pieces.
- Participated in recording projects that highlighted new choral compositions.
- Utilized technology to enhance performance experiences and audience interaction.
- Engaged in community outreach through workshops and performance events.
- Provided feedback and support to fellow performers, fostering a collaborative environment.

## ACHIEVEMENTS

- Recognized for outstanding contributions to youth choral programs, 2022.
- Successfully launched a new choral series focused on contemporary works.
- Featured in a national publication for innovative choral programming.

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## EDUCATION

**Bachelor of Music Education**

University of Music

2016-2020

## SKILLS

- Contemporary Repertoire
- Vocal Performance
- Educational Leadership
- Community Engagement
- Innovative Programming
- Technology Integration

## LANGUAGES

- English
- Spanish
- French