

PATRICK HESSION

Private Instruction

Bill Hodges, jazz and lead trumpet for Benny Goodman and The original Airmen of Note
Walt Blanton, University of Nevada, Las Vegas trumpet instructor
Stan Mark, lead trumpet for Maynard Ferguson
Bobby Shew, jazz and lead trumpet artist
Tom Porrello, lead trumpet for Stan Kenton and Harry James
Michael "Rocky" Winslow, University of Nevada, Las Vegas trumpet instructor
Tony Barrero, lead trumpet for Tito Puente, Count Basie, Duke Ellington and Lionel Hampton
Jeff Anderson, director and lead trumpet of the Indianapolis Jazz Orchestra
Larry McWilliams, Ball State University trumpet instructor

Performing Experience

Big Bands

Harry James Orchestra, lead trumpet, 2008-present
Toledo Jazz Orchestra, subbed on lead and split-lead trumpet, 2007-present
Johnny Trudell Big Band, subbed on lead and split-lead trumpet, 2007-present
"Jazz Giants" saluting His Majesty The King of Thailand 80th Birthday Charity Concert, lead trumpet, 2007
Paul Keller Orchestra, lead trumpet, 2008-present
Scott Gwinnell Jazz Orchestra, lead trumpet, 2006-present
Maynard Ferguson and Big Bop Nouveau, lead trumpet, 2000-2006
The Glenn Miller Orchestra, lead trumpet, 1996-1998
Lionel Hampton Big Band, lead trumpet, 1992-1996
Lionel Hampton Jazz Festival, 1995 and 1996; European Tour, 1992
The International Trombone Workshop, lead trumpet, 1995
Royal Caribbean Cruise Lines / Royal Caribbean International, subbed on lead trumpet, 1994-2000
Voyager of the Seas inaugural cruise, 2000
Jerry Lewis Labor Day Telethon, RCCL Segment, 1994
University of Nevada, Las Vegas, Jazz Ensemble I, lead trumpet, 1992
Walt Disney World Theme Park Resort, split-lead trumpet, summer 1990
All-American College Marching Band
Ball State University Jazz Ensemble I, lead trumpet, 1989-1991

Show Bands

"CATS," lead trumpet, 2010
"Ethel Merman's Broadway," lead trumpet, 2009
"The Color Purple," split-lead trumpet, 2009
"Legally Blonde," split-lead trumpet, 2009
"The Rat Pack Is Back! ®," local contractor/lead trumpet for the road show, 2007-present
"Disney's High School Musical," split-lead trumpet, 2007
"All Shook Up!," split-lead trumpet, 2007
"The Rat Pack Returns in The Tribute to Frank, Sammy, Joey and Dean," contractor/lead trumpet, 2005 and 2006
"The Producers," subbed on 3rd trumpet, 2003
UNLV Japan Band, lead trumpet, spring term, 1993
Walt Disney World Theme Park Resort, lead trumpet, summer, 1991
• All-American College Show Band Alumni

Orchestras

Kentucky Symphony Orchestra, lead trumpet for '70's Horn Band Tribute, summer of 2009
International Symphony Orchestra, subbed on principal trumpet and played 2nd trumpet, 2002-present

Other Ensembles

The Scott Gwinnell Dectet, lead trumpet, 2009-present
Planet D Nonet, split-lead trumpet, 2008-present
Orquesta Iré - Salsa Band, lead trumpet, 2008-present
DynaBrass - Polish Polka Band, lead trumpet, 2008 and 2009
Hector Silvera and the Cuban All-Star Orquesta, lead trumpet, 2007
Grupo Fuego - Meringue Band, split-lead trumpet, 2007-present

Performed in Back-up Bands for the following artists:

Marty Allen and Steve Rossi, Paul Anka, Little Anthony and The Imperials, Susan Anton, The Association, Randy Brecker, Ray Brown, Conte Candoli, Charo, Pete Christlieb, The Dells, Denis DiBlasio, Vince DiMartino, The Temptations Review Featuring Dennis Edwards, Michael Feinstein, Carl Fontana, The Four Freshmen, The Four Tops, Heart, Steve Houghton, David Jones, Jerry Lewis, Looking Glass Featuring Elliot Lurie, Frank Mantooth, Rich Matteson, Rob McConnell, Don Menza and The Don Menza Big Band, The Mills Brothers, Bob Mintzer, The OJ's, Diane Reeves, Martha Reeves and The Vandellas, Rufus Reid, Mavis Rivers, Lalo Rodrigues, Diane Schuur, Ed Shaughnessy, Bobby Shew, Lynyrd Skynyrd, Marvin Stamm, Dave Steinmeyer, The Stylistics, The Temptations, Spyder Turner, Frankie Valli and The Four Seasons, Ben Vereen, Joe Williams, Phil Woods Quintet, Snooky Young

Recordings

The Scott Gwinnell Jazz Orchestra, "*Brush Fire*" lead trumpet, 2009
Kenneth Robinson, Dave Wagner and Special Guests, "*Let the Trumpet Sound*," 2nd trumpet on the Sonata "Sancti Polycarpi" for 8 trumpets, timpani, 2 trombones and organ by Heinrich Ignaz Franz Biber" and 5th trumpet – Solo and feature trumpet on "Farewell Maynard," 2008
"*Maynard Ferguson Tribute*" DVD, lead and solo trumpet, 2006
Maynard Ferguson, "*The One and Only Maynard Ferguson*," trumpet and flugelhorn, lead on tracks 5, 7, 8, and 9, solo on track 9, 2006
Maynard Ferguson, "*MF Horn VI - Live at Ronnie's*," lead trumpet, 2006
Kenneth Robinson, "*Festive Masterpieces for Trumpet and Organ*," 2nd piccolo trumpet in A and 4th, 5th and 6th trumpet in G, 2004
Reggie Watkins, "*A-List*," lead trumpet, 2004
Diane Schuur and Maynard Ferguson, "*Swingin' For Schuur*," Concord Records, lead trumpet, 2001
"*UNLV Wind Symphony*," College Band Directors National Association conference in Reno, Nevada, March, 17, 1994
Soloist on, "*Report*," by Lubos Fiser
Disney Studio and Video Tapes, summer, 1990-1991
Arranged and performed, "*Get It On*," by Bill Chase and Terry Richards for Show Band, 1991

Outstanding Achievements and Awards

Fraternal Order of Police Appreciation Award, Arman Lodge No. 49 of Lafayette, Indiana, May 5, 2002
Golden Key National Honor Society, Lifetime Member, April 5, 1995
UNLV Full Music Scholarship - Major, Trumpet, 1992-1996
Elmhurst College Jazz Festival, Outstanding Lead Trumpet, 1991
Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia Fraternity, Delta Lambda Chapter, December 12, 1987
"Semper Fidelis" Award, May 14, 1986
Louis Armstrong Jazz Award, May 9, 1986
Who's Who in Music Award, 1985-1986
Outstanding Wind / Percussion Award, May 9, 1986
Indiana All-State Band, 1985-1986
Who's Who Among American High School Students, 1985-1986
Eagle Scout, 1981
AD + ALTARE + DEI, 1981