

## **Curriculum Vitae**

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### **Tuba, Contrabass Tuba, Cimbasso**

#### **Professional Orchestral Experience**

- Bournemouth Symphony Orchestra
- Birmingham Royal Ballet
- BBC National Orchestra of Wales
- Welsh National Opera
- Welsh Session Orchestra
- British Sinfonietta
- Novello Orchestra

#### **Orchestral Training**

- Welsh National Youth Opera
- Sinfonia Newydd
- BBC National Orchestra of Wales Side-By-Side
- Royal Philharmonic Orchestra – off-stage brass

#### **Solo**

- World Premiere of Gareth Wood Tuba Concerto in October 2015
- Guest Soloist with Aukstyn Brass Band – Lithuania 2015
- Derek Bourgeois' Tuba Concerto for RWCMD Concerto Competition 2014
- Gregson Tuba Concerto with Cheltenham Symphony Orchestra
- Vaughan-Williams Tuba Concerto with Gloucestershire Youth Symphony Orchestra
- Cheltenham International Music Festival – Recital

#### **Competitions and Awards**

- RWCMD Concerto Competition – Winner 2014
- Linda Mowat Solo Brass Prize – Winner 2012/14
- Gloucestershire Young Musician of the Year – Winner 2011
- RWCMD Junior Concerto Competition – Winner 2008

#### **Chamber Music**

- WNO Brass Quintet
- Arcomis Brass Festival 2013
- British Trombone Society Concert 2012
- Cardiff New Brass Festival 2011

#### **Teaching**

- Tuba Teacher – Cardiff University 2014
- Tuba Teacher – RWCMD Junior Dept
- Brass coach – Cerediggion Music Service and Gloucester Academy of Music
- Head of Brass – Young National Schools Symphony Orchestra

## **Education**

Royal Welsh College of Music and Drama

- BMus (hons) Classical – 1<sup>st</sup> Class Degree
- Professors : Sean O'Neill, Nigel Seamann

## **References**

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