

# Chris Neiner, composer

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## EDUCATION

Cleveland Institute of Music, Cleveland, OH

Master of Music, Composition, anticipated May 2020

Indiana University Jacobs School of Music, Bloomington, IN

Bachelor of Music, Composition *magna cum laude* May 2017

Concentration: Horn Performance

Presser Undergraduate Scholar Award 2017

Premiere Young Artist Scholarship

<u>Principal Teachers</u>	<u>Masterclasses</u>	<u>Additional Private Study</u>
Keith Fitch	Dai Fujikura	Libby Larsen
Claude Baker	Nina C. Young	Edie Hill
Aaron Travers	Sydney Hodkinson	Mary Ellen Childs
P. Q. Phan	Samuel Adler	
Don Freund	David Rakowski	
Sven-David Sandström	Marcos Balter	
John Gibson	Chen Yi	
Jeffrey Hass		

## COMMISSIONS

<i>Playtime</i> , horn, violin, piano	2017-18
Neiner Trio Consortium ( <a href="https://www.chrisneiner.com/playtime-2018.html">https://www.chrisneiner.com/playtime-2018.html</a> ) Bloomington, IN 2017	
<i>Songs</i> , soprano, string quartet, piano [arrangement]	2017
Vietnamese American Society of Creative Arts and Music, Orange, CA	
<i>To Rose</i> , horn, piano	2016
Kevin Miescke, Eastern Illinois University, Charleston, IL	
<i>The Hinz Waltz 2</i> , wind ensemble	2013
Cochran Chamber Commissioning Project, Edina, MN	

## SELECTED PERFORMANCES

<i>Infinite Spinning</i> , pierrot ensemble	
American Modern Ensemble, Skidmore College, Saratoga Springs, NY,	June 2018
<i>Toy Chest</i> , horn, violin, piano	
Music from Salem, Cambridge, NY	July 2017
Eli Epstein: horn, Judith Eissenberg: violin, Judith Gordon: piano	
<i>All You Need</i> , baritone voice, trumpet, trombone, bass clarinet	
loadbang ensemble, Illinois State University, Normal, IL	March 2017

## **ACCOLADES**

Honorable Mention, Flute New Music Consortium	2018
Honorable Mention, American Modern Ensemble	2017
Winner, Red Hedgehog Trio Call for Scores	2015
Honorable Mention, National YoungArts Foundation	2012
Winner, Olga Klein Nelson Award, National Federation of Music Clubs	2011
Winner, Junior Composers Contest, Minnesota Sinfonia	2011
Winner, Young Composers Contest, Duluth-Superior Symphony Orchestra	2010

## **FESTIVALS (Composition)**

Mostly Modern Festival, Saratoga Springs, NY	2018
RED NOTE New Music Festival, Normal, IL	2017
New Music on the Point Festival, Leicester, VT	2015
Oregon Bach Composers Symposium, Eugene, OR	2014

## **SELECTED PERFORMANCE EXPERIENCE (Horn)**

New Music Ensemble, Indiana University Jacobs School of Music, Bloomington, IN	2016-17
Summer Festival, Indiana University Jacobs School of Music, Bloomington, IN	2016
Sewanee Summer Music Festival, Sewanee, TN	2015

## **ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE**

Founder, Neiner Trio Consortium, Bloomington, IN	2017-18
Vice-President, Student Composers Association, Bloomington, IN	2016-17
Founder, New Music for Horn, Bloomington, IN	2016

## **ENGRAVING SERVICES**

Copyist, Anthony Plog, Freiburg, Germany	2018
Copyist, Reimagining Opera for Kids, Bloomington, IN	2017-18
Copyist, Indiana University Jacobs School of Music Composition Dept., Bloomington, IN	2016
Copyist, Dr. Keith McCutchen, Kentucky State University, Frankfort, KY	2016

## **AFFILIATIONS**

American Society of Composers, Authors, and Publishers	2013-present
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## **OUTREACH**

Reimagining Opera for Kids, Bloomington, IN	2018-17, 2014-15
Burnsville High School, Burnsville, MN	2017, 2015
Junior Composers Institute, Minneapolis, MN	2015