Chris Neiner, composer

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EDUCATION

Cleveland Institute of Music, Cleveland, OH

Master of Music, Composition, anticipated May 2020

Carolyn and Jack Lampl, Jr. Scholarship 2019

Graduate Assistant, Composition Department 2018-20

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

Principal Teachers	Masterclasses	Additional Private Study
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

Night, clarinet, string quartet — 2019

Musical Upcoming Stars in the Classics (M.U.S.i.C.)

Playtime, horn, violin, piano — 2017

Neiner Trio Consortium (https://www.chrisneiner.com/playtime-2018.html)

Songs, soprano, string quartet, piano [arrangement] — 2017

Vietnamese American Society of Creative Arts and Music, Orange, CA

To Rose, horn, piano — 2016

Dr. Kevin Miescke, Eastern Illinois University, Charleston, IL

SELECTED PERFORMANCES

Many Universes, chamber orchestra

Cleveland Chamber Symphony, Baldwin Wallace University, Berea, OH — April 2019

Infinite Spinning, pierrot ensemble

American Modern Ensemble, Skidmore College, Saratoga Springs, NY — June 2018

Toy Chest, horn, violin, piano

Music from Salem, Cambridge, NY — July 2017

Eli Epstein: horn, Judith Eissenberg: violin, Judith Gordon: piano

ACCOLADES

Winner, Boston New Music Initiative Call for Scores	2019
Honorable Mention, Flute New Music Consortium	2018
Honorable Mention, American Modern Ensemble	2017
Winner, Red Hedgehog Trio Call for Scores	2015
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

Associate Director, Music in the Circle, Cleveland, OH	2019
Composer-in-Residence, Music in the Circle, Cleveland, OH	2019
Office Assistant, Center for Innovative Musicianship, Cleveland Institute of Music, OH	2018-19
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, Cleveland Institute of Music Composition Dept., Cleveland, OH	2018-20
Copyist, Anthony Plog, Freiburg, Germany	2018-19
Copyist, Reimagining Opera for Kids, Bloomington, IN	2017-19
Copyist, Indiana University Jacobs School of Music Composition Dept., Bloomington, IN	2016-18
Copyist, Dr. Keith McCutchen, Kentucky State University, Frankfort, KY	2016

AFFILIATIONS

American Society of Composers, Authors, and Publishers	2013-present

OUTREACH

Reimagining Opera for Kids, Bloomington, IN	2017-18, 2014-15
Burnsville High School, Burnsville, MN	2017, 2015
Junior Composers Institute, Minneapolis, MN	2015

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