

Jay Rattman

Woodwind Performer, Composer, Educator
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TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Manhattan School of Music Educational Outreach Program, New York, NY

Teach weekly group lessons in woodwind methods and musicianship
Clarinet at PS 290 (Manhattan New School), 4th and 5th grade, 2010-11
Flute at Promise Academy, 6th grade, 2009-10
Saxophone at PS 290 (Manhattan New School), 4th and 5th grade, 2009
Clarinet at PS 87, 4th and 5th grade, 2007-08
Saxophone at PS 290 (Manhattan New School), 4th and 5th grade, 2006-07
Present jazz appreciation program for middle school students at PS 290 and Harlem Children's Zone, April 2010

Manhattan School of Music Distance Learning Department, New York, NY

Present music appreciation classes using Internet2 videoconferencing technology
High School teachers in Palm Beach, Florida, 2011
Middle School students in the Indianapolis, Indiana, 2009

Manhattan School of Music Teaching Artist Workshop, New York, NY

November 2009.
Presented in a Teaching Artists' workshop with Yo-Yo Ma and his Silk Road Ensemble.
Presentation designed for middle school students on how to listen for different elements of music such as rhythm, melody, timbre, etc.

Totts Gap Arts Institute, Bangor, PA

Summer 2008
Teach individual lessons in Clarinet, Saxophone and Flute methods

Celebration of the Arts (COTA) Camp Jazz, Delaware Water Gap, PA

2007-present
Founding faculty member, designed curriculum with other faculty members
Coach combos, ages 12-18
Present saxophone master classes
Teach theory and ear training classes

Freelance Studio, New York, NY and Stroudsburg, PA

2004-present
Teach Saxophone, Flute, and Clarinet methods and repertoire, jazz Improvisation, ear training
Students Aged 9 to 73, beginner-advanced

EDUCATION

Manhattan School of Music, New York, NY

Master of Music, Saxophone Performance, 2011
Bachelor of Music, Saxophone Performance, 2009
Clarinet classical repertoire, Klezmer, early jazz style with David Krakauer
Musicianship, improvisation, rhythmic studies with John Riley
Classical saxophone quartet coaching with Dr. Paul Cohen
Saxophone Studies with Dick Oatts, Steve Slagle, Steve Wilson, Joe Temperley

Additional Musical Training

Private studies with David Liebman, Phil Woods, Nelson Hill, Caris Visentin

PERFORMANCE EXPERIENCE (*selected*)

VENUES

Town Hall

Carnegie Hall – Zankel Hall

Bruno Walter Auditorium at Lincoln Center

The Metropolitan Museum of Art

The Philadelphia Museum of Art

Alice Tully Hall

Symphony Space

The New York Fringe Festival

Coachella Valley Music and Arts Annual Festival

Delaware Water Gap Celebration of the Arts (COTA) Jazz Festival

Dizzy's Club Coca-Cola

Cornelia Street Café

The Kitano

The Blue Note

Smalls Jazz Club

The Deer Head Inn

The Mercury Lounge

The Bitter End

International Saxophone Symposium, George Mason University, Fairfax, VA

North American Saxophone Alliance, West Point, NY

SIDEMAN WITH...

Bob Dorough

Phil Woods

David Liebman

Feist

Bibi Ferreira

Bill Mobley Big Band

Kyle Athayde Dance Party

José Limón Dance Company

Manhattan Saxophone Quartet

Fabian Almazan's Biophilia Winds Project

Vince Giordano and The Nighthawks

RECORDING AND BROADCAST

Hnatek, Arthur, *The Arc Lite Suite*. Self-released, 2013. CD

Phil Woods Big Band, *New Celebration*. Chiaroscuro Records, September 2013. CD

Davis, Matt. *Soundcheck*. NPR. WNYC, New York. 4 Mar. 2013. Radio.

Park, Min Sun, *In That Moment*. Univeral, 2013. CD

Osborn, Nat, *The King & The Clown*. Nat Osborn Music, 2013. CD

Feist, Leslie. *The Tonight Show with Jay Leno*. NBC. Los Angeles, CA 12 Apr. 2012.
Television.

Dorough, Bob, *Duets*, COTAjazz, 2012. CD

Schrire, Nicky, *Freedom Flight*, Circavision Productions, 2012. CD

Manhattan Saxophone Quartet. *MSQ*. Self-released, 2012. CD
Manhattan School of Music Chamber Jazz Ensemble and Tactus with Dave Liebman, *Sky Changes*, Jazz Heads Records, 2012. CD
Fernandez, Nicholas, *and His New York Nonet*, Nicholas H Fernandez, 2012. CD
Feist, Leslie. *The Late Show with David Letterman*. CBS. New York, NY 4 Oct. 2011. Television.
“Drew Nugent And the Midnight Society.” *WDIY 16th Anniversary*. NPR. WDIY, Bethlehem, PA. 15 Jan. 2011. Radio.
“A Homegrown Jazz Special: The Jay Rattman Quartet.” *All That Jazz*. NPR. WVIA, Pittston, PA. 22 Sep. 2010. Radio.
Hough, Matthew and In Hyun Kim. *Music=quals*, Carrier Records, 2010. CD
Harris, Stefon. *Urbanus*. Concord, 2009. CD. (*Grammy-nominated*)
“Nellie McKay.” *The Sound of Young America*. NPR. WNYC, New York. 6 Nov. 2009. Radio.
Liebman, Dave, with the Manhattan School of Music Jazz Orchestra, *Porgy and Bess*, Jazzheads Records, 2009. CD
Williams, Zach, *Story Time*, Arson Media Group, 2009. CD
Antonow, Dave, *A New Day*, SpectraSound, 2008. CD
Avey, Bobby and Jay Rattman, *In Duo*, self-released, 2004. CD

AWARDS

William H. Borden Award for outstanding accomplishment in jazz, Manhattan School of Music Commencement, May 2011
ASCAP Young Jazz Composer Award 2006
National Foundation for Advancement in the Arts (NFAA) Arts Recognition and Talent Search (ARTS), merit award 2006
Yamaha Young Performing Artist Awards, honorable mention 2006