

Philip Griffin

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Professional Profile Musician, Registered Classroom Teacher - available for supply and contract teaching

◆ Taught music at all levels from primary to tertiary	◆ Experienced conductor and music director
◆ Expertise in choral, instrumental, chamber music	◆ Active performing musician in many styles - singer and instrumentalist

Professional Accomplishments Teaching

◆ Singing teaching at National Institute of Dramatic Arts (NIDA), Sydney
◆ Classical guitar teaching to BMus level, WA Conservatorium of Music
◆ Choral conducting: Gold award - Auckland Primary Principal's Association
◆ Aural, Theory, Singing teaching at Western Australian Academy of Performing Arts
◆ Orchestra and guitar teaching at Sydney Grammar School & Ascham School, Sydney

Performance

◆ Oratorio and opera soloist with Auckland Choral Society, Hawkes Bay Civic Choir, CoOpera, Mount Barker District Concert Band
◆ Performances on plucked stringed-instruments - concerts at Melbourne and Perth International Festivals with Ross Daly (international string virtuoso)
◆ Baroque Music performance on period instruments (theorbo and baroque guitar) with Affetto (leading NZ Baroque ensemble)
◆ Choral performances with London Philharmonic Chorus of Mahler <i>Eighth Symphony</i> , Beethoven <i>Ninth Symphony</i> ; Opera New Zealand <i>Tristan und Isolde</i>
◆ Touring internationally performing Balkan gypsy music (plucked-strings) with Xenos

Music direction, choral and theatre composition

◆ Music direction of high-school and tertiary productions of <i>West Side Story</i> , <i>Spamalot</i> , <i>Caucasian Chalk Circle</i> , <i>Guys and Dolls</i>
◆ Music direction of professional productions of new works (often also as composer) for Royal Shakespeare Company, State Theatre of South Australia, NIDA Company
◆ Community choral direction in Perth, Adelaide, Auckland
◆ Chorus preparation for Opera Australia, West Australian Symphony Chorus
◆ Composition and arrangement for theatre, choirs, instrumental groups

Work History

◆ 2015 - 2016 Supply and Contract Teacher (Brisbane): Secondary - Kenmore, Albany Creek & Mansfield State High Schools, Whites Hill State College; Primary - Camp Hill State School Instrumental and Ensemble teacher (Brisbane): Churchie & Somerville House Schools
◆ 2011 - 2014 Classroom music, singing, guitar, choir teacher: Western Springs (Secondary) College, Ponsonby Primary School, Bayfield School, Kadimah College - Auckland, NZ
◆ 2007 - 2010 Setting up and delivering digital media programme for young adults with intellectual disabilities - Adelaide
◆ 1989 - 2015 Freelance professional musician

Qualifications

<p>◆ 2012 - Master of Music (Performance) <i>Classical singing</i> University of Auckland</p>
<p>◆ 2008 - Graduate Diploma in Education University of Adelaide</p>
<p>◆ 1988 - Bachelor of Music (Performance) <i>Conducting</i> Western Australian Conservatorium of Music</p>
<p>◆ 1985 - Associate Diploma of Performing Arts (Music) <i>Classical guitar</i> Western Australian Conservatorium of Music</p>