

Patrick Valentino, conductor

Education

New England Conservatory Boston, MA (MM '07)

Moscow Conservatory Moscow, Russia (Study Abroad in Conducting '04)

Montclair State University Upper Montclair, NJ (BM '05, Summa Cum Laude)

Secondary Languages *Conversational Spanish; Russian; intermediate German, French.*

Conducting Activity

Music Director: St. Margaret Mary Church 2006-Present

- Conducts three choirs and ensembles for rehearsals and masses
- Selects repertoire, provides instrumental accompaniment (organ, piano, trumpet)
- Founder and Music Director, Music from St. Margaret Mary's concert series

Assistant Conductor: Montclair Symphony 2005

- Led orchestra in rehearsals and covered all concerts
- Ran rehearsals with singers and orchestra for Menotti's *The Consul*

Conductor's Assistant: Westfield Symphony Orchestra 2003-2005

- Responsibilities included acting as liaison between orchestra and conductor
- Prepared scores and consulted with conductor on matters artistic and acoustic

Rehearsal Coach: Moscow Conservatory 2004

- Prepared brass and chamber ensembles for world premiere performances

Guest Conductor: Rehearsed and conducted premieres of original works

- Monmouth Symphony Orchestra 2007 (*Protean Dances*)
- MSU Symphonic Band 2004 (*Journey of the Phoenix*)
- Brass Ensembles of Moscow Conservatory (*Music for Brass*)

New Music Concert Director: New Jersey, 2003-5

- Organized and conducted annual concerts of new music

Musical Leadership Experience

Music Instructor: New Jersey and Boston Areas 2000-Present

- MSU Preparatory Division: Private lessons and classes (NJ)
- Page Music Lesson Center: Brass and woodwind specialist (MA)

Production Manager: Boston Musica Viva 2005-6

- Created 2006-07 organizational pro-forma budget
- Managed pre-concert production planning and personnel management
- Wrote or edited program notes, worked as ensemble librarian

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