

## MATT SMITH Chicago Area Composer, Producer, Vocalist

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#### RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

## **INSTRUCTOR / SHOW & CAMP DIRECTOR**

05/2022-Present, School of Rock, Glen Ellyn

- Voice and Piano/Keys instruction for students of all ages
- Music selection for shows and camps, casting, group rehearsals
- Show and camp direction, mentoring teens + children

## **MUSIC THEORY INSTRUCTOR / TUTOR**

08/2022-07/2023, Elmhurst University

## CHICAGO AREA PRODUCER

08/2022-Present, Elmhurst University Music Studio Studio producing, mixing, and editing for bands and musicians

## **MUSIC LIBRARIAN**

01/2020-05/2022, Elmhurst University

## CHICAGO AREA VOCALIST

08/2019-Present, Various venues, and locations

- Studio vocalist at Elmhurst University Music Studio for new and experienced producers/composers and bands
- Singer for churches, small and large ensembles, and events

## SINGER / VOICE ACTOR

06/2021 - Present, **Turnabout: An Ace Attorney Musical**, Maya Fey Protection Squad

Baritone singer and voice acting for the official digital archive, recorded, mixed, and promoted to the arts community

# SINGER / LEAD ACTOR

09/2022 - 05/2023 Original Musical Cast of **Big Foot: A Small Step Forward** Script, Music, Direction by Kris Kusnierz Performed Lead Role, Big Foot

#### PROFICIENCIES

#### SOFTWARE

Logic Pro - 4 years Pro Tools - 2 years Dorico - 3 years MuseScore - 4 years Max MSP - 1 year Google Drive - 8 years Microsoft - 8 years Adobe Creative Suite - 1 year

# TECHNICAL

Studio Mixing/Engineering - 2 years Audio Equipment Tech - 2 years

## MUSIC

Composition - 4 years Vocalist - 8 years Musical / Stage Performance - 11 years Section Leading - 6 years Choral - 8 years Jazz Ensemble - 6 years Solo/Aria/Art Song - 8 years Practical Piano - 6 years

#### EDUCATION, HONORS, CLUBS

# **EDUCATION**

Elmhurst University (EU) - *BFA*, 2023 Major: Music Theory & Composition Minor: Audio Production Professional Certification in Vocal Performance

- Magna Cum Laude
- Presidential Scholarship Recipient
- Music Scholarship Recipient
- Deans List 2021 thru 2023

Jacobs High School 2019, Algonquin, IL

## HONORS/ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Eagle Scout February 18, 2019

Elmhurst University's Music Honers Recital Nominee 2022, 2023

ILMEA District IX Conference Selection -Fall 2015-Spring 2019

**National Honors Society** 05/2017 - 0/5/2019

## **ENSEMBLES & CLUBS**

Elmhurst University's Lambda Sigma Psi Music Honors Society 2022-2023, President

Late Night Blues Vocal Jazz – 4 years Gayle Bisesi, Director

**Choral Union** – 1 year Scott Uddenberg, Director

**Concert Audition Choir** – 4 years Sarah Catt, Director

Tri-M Music Honors Society - 2 years