

STEPHEN J. WARNER

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EDUCATION

University of Michigan

Graduated 2003 B.S.E. in Mechanical Engineering /
B.Mus. in Organ Performance/Church Music

Organ Performance (12 terms)	Piano Performance (2 terms)
Organ Literature (4 terms)	Church Music (2 terms)
Conducting (2 terms)	Theory/Counterpoint (8 terms)
Choral Ensemble (4 terms)	Project Design, Management (3 terms)

EXPERIENCE

Jefferson Avenue Presbyterian Church

Detroit, MI

Director of Music/Organist

January 2002 - Present

- Plan for and direct Chancel Choir
- Coordinate concert series
- Manage soloists and hire instrumentalists as needed
- Provide organ literature to fit service needs
- Accompany choir and lead congregational singing
- Provide and/or coordinate music for Weddings and Funerals

Holden Pipe Organ Company

Ferndale, MI

Assistant / Foreman

May 2002 - Present

- Coordination of on-site workers
- Create Estimates
- Restore components
- Tune and maintain instruments

Michigan Theater Foundation

Ann Arbor, MI

Organist

June 2000 - Present

- Provide organ overtures for films and events
- Score Silent Films

Self

Michigan

Substitute Organist

May 1997-December 2001

- Performed Organist duties for several Protestant churches
Immanuel Lutheran Church, Suttons Bay, Metropolitan United Methodist, Detroit,
First Presbyterian Church, Ypsilanti, St. John's Episcopal, Plymouth, St. Andrew's Episcopal,
Livonia, First Congregational UCC, Ypsilanti, First Church of Christ Scientist, Glen Arbor

John Brombaugh & Associates

Eugene, OR

Intern / Pipe maker

May - August 1999

- Manufacture reed resonators (Trumpet & Bassoon)
- Cast solder and ingots of sheet casting alloys
- Shop and on-site assistance

AWARDS

Junction Scholarship, American Theater Organ Society, 2003
Mader Memorial Research Grant, Organ Historical Society, 2003
Detroit/Ann Arbor American Guild of Organist's scholarship, 2001
Philip Deuy Scholarship, University of Michigan Men's Glee Club, 2000
Llangollen Award, University of Michigan Men's Glee Club, 2003

ACTIVITIES AND LEADERSHIP

University of Michigan Men's Glee Club, fall 1996-spring 2002
Positions Held: Vice President, Historian, Section Leader
Detroit Theater Organ Society, 1999-present
Volunteer organ technician 2008-present
Organ Committee 2007 - present
Detroit American Guild of Organists
Sub-Dean 2007- 2009,
Board Member 2003 - 2007

SPECIAL PROGRAMS/TRAVELS

Summer In French Organ Studies (SIFOS) July-August 2001
American Institute of Organ Builders Convention, Atlanta, October 2003
Organ Pedagogy Institute, University of North Texas, Oct 2005

SELECTED CONCERT PROGRAMS

Compiled and Performed Scores for:
Feature Films: *The Freshman*, *Safety Last*, *Our Hospitality*, *Steamboat Bill Jr.*,
The General, *Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde*, *The Black Pirate*, *l'Inferno*, *Nosferatu*, *Wings*
Short Films: *Big Business*, *One Week*, and *Haunted House*
Domitor Society Film Festival, 45 short films (1895-1915)
1895 British Magic Lanterns Show *Our Empire*, May 2005

A Night at the Theater

Jefferson Avenue Presbyterian Church Chancel Choir and Soloists
Jefferson Avenue Presbyterian Church, Detroit, June 2015

Warner, Warner and Sondheim

With Rose Randall Warner, Soprano
Grand Ledge Opera House, Grand Ledge, MI, May 2015

A Night at the Opera

Jefferson Avenue Presbyterian Church Chancel Choir and Soloists
Jefferson Avenue Presbyterian Church, Detroit, June 2011

From London to Broadway

With Rose Randall Warner, Soprano
Grand Ledge Opera House, Grand Ledge, MI, February 2011

Stephen Warner in Concert

Detroit Theater Organ Society
Senate Theater, Detroit, May 2009

The Music of Rudy Wiedoeft

Theater Organ and Saxophone, with Adam Olson, Alto Sax
Music House Museum, Acme, MI, August 2008

A Concert for Organ and Voice
With Rose Randall Warner, Soprano
SS Peter and Paul West Side, Detroit, June, 2008

Oh Coward
Theatrical Review with Phil Micháel and Rose Randall Warner
Jefferson Avenue Presbyterian Church, March, 2007

Austin Organ Rededication Program
First Presbyterian Church, Cheyenne, Wyoming, September, 2005

The Fens Suite by Arthur Wills
With the Motor City Brass Band
Jefferson Avenue Presbyterian Church, Detroit, April 2004

COORDINATED EVENTS

Charity Organ Concert for “Manna Meal”
Jefferson Avenue Presbyterian Church, Detroit, Feb, 2009

AGO Group Recital benefiting the restoration of the 1926 E. M. Skinner
SS. Matthew and Joseph Episcopal, Detroit, Feb, 2006

AGO Organ Crawl,
Metro Detroit, March 2006

AGO Workshop: “Introduction to the Theater Organ”
Senate Theater, Detroit, November 2006

COLLABORATION

Teachers

Dr. James Kibbie
Dr. Marilyn Mason
Dr. Louis Nagel

Coaches

Dr. Pamela Ruitter-Feenstra
Dr. Jessie Eschbach
Marie-Claire Alain
Robert Glasgow

Conductors

Dr. Jerry Blackstone
Philip Micháel
Theodore Morrison
Almeda Berkey
Dr. James Tapia
Dr. Sandra Snow
Dr. Sandra Snow

REFERENCES

Available upon request