

# ALEXANDRA KOVATCH

Conductor | Harpist

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## CONDUCTING EXPERIENCE

### **Plano Symphony Orchestra, Plano, TX — *Guest Conductor***

May 2025

### **Holy Family High School, Broomfield, CO — *Instrumental Music Teacher***

August 2024 - May 2025

Responsibilities include directing the Symphonic Band and Orchestra, teaching AP Music Theory, and recruiting for the program.

### **Allen Philharmonic Orchestra, Allen, TX — *Guest conductor***

December 2023

Two performances of The Nutcracker Ballet featuring the Allen Civic Ballet

### **Music Institute of North Texas, Frisco, TX — *Piano Teacher***

June 2023 - June 2024

Teaching piano lessons

### **Drury University, Springfield, MO — *Faculty***

August 2020 - May 2023

Responsibilities included directing the orchestra, recruiting, collaborating with local high school orchestras, and teaching Music Appreciation and String Techniques classes.

### **Ozark Festival Orchestra, Monett, MO — *Orchestra Director***

August 2022 - May 2023

This is a community orchestra. Responsibilities included picking repertoire, conducting the orchestra, recruiting members, and helping broaden the community's awareness of the orchestra.

### **Springfield Chamber Orchestra, Springfield, MO — *Orchestra Director***

2020 - 2022

This is an orchestra I formed during COVID-19, playing outdoor concerts in the community.

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**Kansas City Civic Orchestra, Kansas City, KS — Guest Conductor**

March 2023

**Washburn University, Topeka KS — Guest Conductor**

March 2022

**Missouri State University, Springfield, MO — Graduate Assistant**

2018 – 2020

## EDUCATION

**University of North Texas, Denton, TX — August 2023 – present**

Doctor of Musical Arts, Orchestral Conducting

After a brief hiatus for the 24-25 school year, I will continue this program starting fall 2025.

**Missouri State University, Springfield, MO — May 2020**

Master of Music, Orchestral Conducting

**Washburn University, Topeka, KS — May 2017**

Bachelor of Music, Harp Performance

## HARP EXPERIENCE

**Loveland Symphony Orchestra, Loveland, CO — Substitute harpist**

2024-2025

**University of Missouri Symphony Orchestra, Columbia, MO — Substitute harpist**

April 2022

**Springfield Symphony Orchestra, Springfield, MO — Substitute harpist**

2021-2022

**Elyrica Summer Harp Workshop, Ridgefield, CT — Harp Instructor**

July 2021, July 2023, July 2024

**Kansas City Civic Orchestra, Kansas City, KS — Substitute harpist**

2018-2023

**Missouri Philharmonic Orchestra, Springfield, MO — Principal harpist**

2017-2023