# **Matthew Jihoon Pellegrino**

Curriculum Vitae

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#### **EDUCATION**

2024 D.M.A. Composition - Peabody Institute of Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore

Dissertation: Korean Music & Korean American Adoptees

Studies with Dr. Oscar Bettison

Supporting Areas: Music Theory Pedagogy, Popular Music, Korean Traditional Music

Awards: Dean's Doctoral Fellowship, P. Bruce Blair Award in Composition

2018 M.M. Composition - Peabody Institute of Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore

Studies with Dr. Oscar Bettison

Awards: Lee Mitchell Endowed Memorial Scholarship

2016 B.A. Composition - State University of New York at Fredonia

Studies with Dr. Rob Deemer, Dr. Sean Doyle, Dr. Karl Boelter

2016 B.A. Music Performance (Oboe) - State University of New York at Fredonia

Studies with Mark Dubois, Dr. Sarah Hamilton

#### **ACADEMIC TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

2018-2019 Peabody Institute of Johns Hopkins University - Graduate Student Instructor

Music Theory II & IV (Spring '19)

\*Leave replacement for Joel Puckett, Chair of Music Theory

Music Theory Intensive (Fall '18, Fall '19)

#### RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

2021–2022 Fulbright South Korea - Open Study/Research Award

Topic: Korean Traditional Music & Korean Adoptees

Composition studies with Dr. Jung-sun Park, Master Dong-Chang Lim

Traditional instrument studies with Professor Minyoung Lee

#### **ADDITIONAL TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

2018-2021 Park School of Baltimore - Private Lesson Instructor

K-12 Woodwinds (Oboe, Flute, Saxophone)

2013-2017 Usdan Summer Camp for the Arts - Assistant Band Instructor

K-12 Band and Orchestra

#### ADDITIONAL TEACHING PROFICIENCIES

20th Century Music: Techniques and Analysis, Introduction to Music Technology, Pop Music Analysis: Modern Korean Popular Music (special topics), Korean Traditional Music (special topics), Common Practice Harmony, Counterpoint, Aural Skills, Music Fundamentals, Music Appreciation

## **AWARDS AND HONORS**

2021	Fulbright South Korea Open Study/Research Award
2020	P. Bruce Blair Award in Composition
2019	Third Prize, Passing the Torch Composition Competition
2018	The Dean's Doctoral Fellowship (Peabody)
2016	Lee Mitchell Endowed Memorial Scholarship
2016	Winner, Charles B. Olson Young Composer's Competition
2015	Price Oboe Scholarship
2012	Hillman Music Scholarship

## **COMMISSIONS**

2023	Seoraksan for solo piano - Dr. Edwin Kim
2022	Taepyeongga for flute, violin, piano, daegeum, haegeum, and gayageum
	(Korean/Western chamber ensemble)- Dareumi Gahteum Project
2022	Ssuk Dae Mori for flute, violin, & piano - Dareumi Gahteum Project
2022	Neonadeuri for 2 flutes and piano - Dareumi Gahteum Project
2022	6 Variations on a theme by Mozart for Korean/Western chamber ensemble
2022	Sarabande Redux from Suite in D minor for daegeum, haegeum, and gayageum
	- Dareumi Gahteum Project
2022	Little Things for clarinet and piano - Eric Black
2021	Anxiety Cycles for large chamber ensemble - Chicago Civic Orchestra & Soundmind
2021	Simple Song for oboe, bassoon, & high strings - Fredonia College Symphony
2020	Threads: Songs of Diaspora for voice, clarinet, cello, and piano - Community College of
	Baltimore County: Baltimore Book Exchange
2016	Sextet for 12 Reeds for double reed sextet - Fredonia Double Reed Day
2015	Drown for solo tuba - David Mercedes, Texas Southern University

## **COMPOSITIONS AND ARRANGEMENTS (listed by completion year)**

2023	Seoraksan for solo piano - 7:30
2022	Taepyeongga for flute, violin, piano, daegeum, haegeum, and gayageum - 10:00
2022	Ssuk Dae Mori for flute, violin, & piano - 7:00
2022	Neonadeuri for 2 flutes and piano - 6:45
2022	6 Variations on a theme by Mozart for flute, violin, piano, daegeum, haegeum, and
	gayageum - 12:00
2022	Sarabande Redux from Suite in D minor for daegeum, haegeum, and gayageum - 7:45
2022	Little Things for clarinet and piano - 3:45
2021	Anxiety Cycles for large chamber ensemble - 16:30
2021	Letters Home for solo piano - 14:30
2021	Simple Song for oboe, bassoon, & high strings - 7:30
2020	Threads: Songs of Diaspora for voice, clarinet, cello, and piano - 45:00
2018	Dear Mother for string orchestra and piano - 9:00

2018	Pale Swam Her Spirit for flute and live electronics - 7:30
2017	Autumn is a Second Spring for orchestra - 9:00
2016	Four Lullabies for solo piano - 7:15
2016	Sextet for 12 Reeds for double reed sextet - 5:30
2015	What if for pierrot ensemble (plus percussion) - 7:30
2015	Winter Unending, Invincible Summer for wind ensemble - 9:00
2015	Drown for solo Tuba - 6:00
2015	The Most Dangerous Game for string orchestra and harpsichord - 5:30
2015	Love Songs from the Lost Lands for tenor, flute, and harp - 11:30
2014	The Garden for clarinet quartet - 4:00

## **PERFORMANCES OF WORKS**

2023/5/26	Letters Home for solo piano - Dr. Edwin Kim - Lecture recital on Korean Heritage and AAPI Month - U.S. Embassy, Seoul, South Korea
2023/5/6	Ssuk Dae Mori for flute, cello, and piano - Esther Lee, Dr. Doyeon Kim, Dr. Edwin Kim -
2023/5/0	ASIA Families: A Celebration of Light and Hope - Blackrock Center for the Arts, Germantown, MD
2023/5/6	Letters Home for solo piano - Dr. Edwin Kim - ASIA Families: A Celebration of Light and Hope- Blackrock Center for the Arts, Germantown, MD
2023/5/6	Dear Mother for flute, cello, and piano - Esther Lee, Dr. Doyeon Kim, Dr. Edwin Kim - ASIA Families: A Celebration of Light and Hope - Blackrock Center for the Arts, Germantown, MD
2023/1/25	Winter Unending, Invincible Summer for wind ensemble - The Guards Band, dir. Aino Koskela - Töölö I: Töölö Concert Series - Temppeliaukion Church, Helsinki, Finland
2022/11/9	Taepyeongga for Korean/Western chamber ensemble - Dareumi Gahteum Project - Seongsu Art Hall, Seoul, South Korea
2022/11/9	Ssuk Dae Mori for flute, violin, & piano - Dareumi Gahteum Project - Seongsu Art Hall, Seoul, South Korea
2022/11/9	Neonadeuri for 2 flutes and piano- Dareumi Gahteum Project - Seongsu Art Hall, Seoul, South Korea
2022/11/9	6 Variations on a theme by Mozart for Korean/Western chamber ensemble - Dareumi
	Gahteum Project - Seongsu Art Hall, Seoul, South Korea
2022/3/17	Letters Home for solo piano - Dr. Edwin Kim - Jack of All Trades - Youngsan Art Hall, Seoul, South Korea
2021/7/12	Four Lullabies for solo piano - Dr. Rachel Yunkyung Choo - Gatchi Project: Sound of Korea, Japan, & China - IPAC Hall, Seoul, South Korea
2021/6/23	Dear Mother for string orchestra and piano - KAAN (Korean American Adoptive Family Network) 2021 Virtual Conference
2021/6/2	Anxiety Cycles for chamber ensemble - Civic Orchestra of Chicago - Sound Mind's Musician's Roundtable, Chicago Symphony Center, Chicago, IL
2021/5/6	Dear Mother for string orchestra and piano - Dear Mother: A Transracial Adoption Experience, produced by Kathy Eow -Boston, MA
2021/5/4	Simple Song for oboe, bassoon, & high strings - Fredonia College Symphony Orchestra, dir. Dr. David Rudge - Zoomworks - Rosch Recital Hall, Fredonia, NY

2021/2/19	Threads: Songs of Diaspora for voice, clarinet, cello, & piano - Community Book Connection & Music Forum - Community College of Baltimore County, Baltimore, MD
2019/1/26	Winter Unending, Invincible Summer for wind ensemble, Peabody Wind Ensemble, conducted by Abhinn Malhotra - Peabody Institute, Miriam A. Friedberg Concert Hall, Baltimore, MD
2018/11/29	Winter Unending, Invincible Summer for wind ensemble, University of Massachusetts Amherst Symphony Band, dir. Matthew Westgate - Fine Arts Center Concert Hall, Amherst, MA
2018/10/10	Dear Mother for string orchestra and piano - Peabody Institute, Griswold Hall, Baltimore, MD
2017/3/12	Winter Unending, Invincible Summer for wind ensemble, Encore Wind Ensemble, dir. Jerry Luckhardt - King of Kings Lutheran Church, Woodbury, MN
2016/3/5	What if for pierrot ensemble, Kent State New Music Ensemble, dir. Frank Wiley - Ludwig Recital Hall, Kent, OH
2016/3/12	Winter Unending, Invincible Summer for wind ensemble, Fredonia Wind Ensemble, dir. Paula Holcomb - King Concert Hall, Fredonia, NY

#### **DISCOGRAPHY**

2021	Letters Home; Liat Shapi	iro, piano; on Letters Ho	ome. Digital release.

2017 What if...; Brno Philharmonia Virtuosi; on Pierrot Ensemble Series Vol. 1. Ablaze Records.

## **RADIO APPEARANCES**

2023 WBJC 91.5 ASIA Families Spring Concert

## **INVITED TALKS AND COLLOQUIA**

2023	ASIA Families Spring Fundraiser Concert, Germantown, MD - Lecture Recital
2022	Lake Shore Central School District, Angola, NY - Composition Masterclass
2021	Korean American Adoptive Family Network Virtual Conference - "Dear Mother" (Guest
	Speaker)
2021	CCBC Community Book Connection & Music Forum, Baltimore, MD - Lecture Recital
2020	Carroll County Public Library - "Korean Music: Traditional, Optimistic,
	Transformative " - Lecture Recital

## **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

American Society of Composers, Authors, and Publishers (ASCAP)

#### **REFERENCES**

## Dr. Kip Wile

## Professor of Music Theory, & Coordinator of Music Theory Pedagogy

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#### Dr. Oscar Bettison

## **Chair of Composition**

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#### Dr. Rob Deemer

## Professor and Head of Composition

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