

**DEVRA AVIVA SEIDEL,**

**PIANO**

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**EDUCATION:**

Manhattan School of Music, New York, NY

*Master of Music in Piano Performance,*

Oberlin College Conservatory, Oberlin, OH

*Bachelor of Music in Piano Performance*

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE:**

The Center School- Chorus Teacher- pre pandemic

PS 166 School of Arts and Athletics- Musical Director for After School program-pre pandemic

YMCA, Manhattan, New York- Musical Director for Kids Company Showcase- Fall 2012-

Spring 2017

Manhattan School for Children- Vocal teacher for Glee electives, fifth through eighth grade,

Fall 2015-Spring 2017

Tizmoret, Lakewood, PA- Piano teacher and chamber coach for girls arts camp, Summer 2014

PS 65, Brooklyn- Musical Director for children's show, Aristocats, Spring 2013, Sleeping

Beauty, Spring 2014, Willy Wonka, Fall 2015

SAR Academy, Riverdale, Bronx- Musical Director for Children's Theater Program,

Fall 2011-Spring 2012

Art House Productions, Jersey City- Musical Director for Stages Theater Academy and

Performance Company for Youth- Fall 2011- Spring 2012

W. Engeman Theater, Northport, Long Island- Musical Director for Children's Program,

Summer 2010- Spring 2011

New York, NY- Freelance Teacher, Current

Lansmans' Day Camp- Music and Drama Director, Summer 2009

*Created and implemented music program for children ages 3-13*

*Nine distinct programs with some overlap including choral, musical director for production of*

*"You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown", early childhood music*

Oberlin Conservatory, Oberlin, OH - Group Piano Classes, Fall 2003-Spring 2004

**TEACHERS:**

Daniel Epstein

Sanford Margolis  
Joseph Schwartz  
Veda Zuponcic

## **SOLO**

International Summer Master Classes, Alushta, Ukraine  
Televised concert  
Rowan University, NJ  
Musicorda Summer Chamber Music Festival, Mt. Holyoke, MA  
Oberlin Conservatory, Oberlin, OH  
The Manhattan School of Music, New York, NY  
Beethoven Piano Concerto No. 4 and Chamber Music

## **ACCOMPANIST**

Auditions, Recitals, New York, NY  
Accompanist, Ongoing  
Epic Theatre, New York, NY  
Accompanist for Benefit Concert, Spring 2019  
The Triad Theatre, New York, NY  
Musical Director for Orlando Benefit, Cohosted event, Spring 2017  
Planet Connections Festival  
Accompanist for 'Pageant Princess', Spring 2016  
Midtown International Theatre Festival, New York, NY  
Musical Director for 'Your name on my lips', Summer 2014  
Young Peoples' Chorus of New York City,  
Accompanist, Fall 2011-Current  
John W. Engeman Theater, Northport, Long Island,  
Musical Director for 'Glee' showcase, 'How to Eat Like a Child', 'Dear Edwina, Jr.', 'Shout',  
'13', Fall 2010- Spring 2011  
Little Theater Group, Douglaston, NY  
Musical Director for production of Forty-Second Street, December 2008-March 2009  
Manhattan School of Music, New York, NY

## **CHAMBER MUSIC**

Chamber concerts throughout New York, Ongoing  
Coachings with Professor Jon Klibonoff, Manhattan School of Music  
Brahms and Beethoven Violin Sonatas, South Jersey

## **SUMMER MUSIC FESTIVALS:**

International Piano Festival, Alushta, Ukraine  
Las Vegas Music Festival, University of Las Vegas, NV  
Musicorda Summer Chamber Music Festival, Mt. Holyoke, MA  
Rowan Summer Music Festival, Glassboro, NJ  
Westminster Piano Festival, Westminster, NJ

## **AWARDS:**

NJ Music Teachers Association Young Artists Competition, Princeton, NJ – Third Place  
Steinway Competition, South Jersey - Second Place  
Robert McDonald Chamber Masterclass, Princeton, NJ - Trio Selected  
Sylvia Dembo Scholarship, South Jersey - Recipient  
String Accompanying Program, the Manhattan School of Music, Manhattan, NY - Selected for Program