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Cello Instructors

August 15, 2017



Alex Knudson Cello Studio

Teacher

Alex Knudson

83705

Boise

801-698-2636

alexanderknudson@gmail.com

Levels taught: All - beginning, intermediate, & advanced

Ages taught: All: preschool, children, & adults

Specialties: Classical Performance Suzuki method Theory

Education:

Associations:

Avg. #

Years exp.:

Teaches:

Comment: I am an active chamber musician and have had to opportunity to have studied with the Fry Street Quartet, the Ying Quartet, the Zemlinsky Quartet, The Emerson String Quartet. As part of the Salt Lake Chamber Society, I received weekly coaching from members of the Utah Symphony. I would be happy to work on any chamber music as well as coach quartets as needed.



Teacher

Brian Hodges

83706

Boise

(208) 841-4502

brianhodges@boisestate.edu

Levels taught: Intermediate & advanced
 Ages taught: Children & adults
 Specialties: Classical Performance
 Education: Eastman School of Music: BM and MM in Cello Performance
 University North Carolina Greensboro: DMA in Cello Performance
 Associations: American String Teacher's Association
 Avg. # 10
 Years exp.: 17
 Teaches:
 Comment:



Teacher Brian Attebery
 83209 Pocatello
 (208) 530-0827 attebria@isu.edu

Levels taught:
 Ages taught:
 Specialties:
 Education: study at College of Idaho, Brown University, private study at U. of Oregon.
 Associations:
 Avg. # currently no private students; 1-2 through Idaho State University
 Years exp.: 20+
 Teaches:
 Comment:



AxialMusic
 Teacher Dr. Jennifer Sullivan
 83646 Meridian www.axialmusic.com
 (208) 841-5508 jennifer.sullivan@axialmusic.com

Levels taught: Violin - Beginning through Advanced Viola - Beginning through Advanced Cello -
 Beginning through Intermediate
 Ages taught: ALL AGES BEGINNING FROM AGE 6, INCLUDING ADULTS
 Specialties: Classical Performance
 Education: BM (Bachelor of Music) and MMPRL (Masters in Music in Performance and Literature)
 from Eastman School of Music in Rochester, NY, DMA (Doctorate) from Univ. of Oregon
 in Eugene
 Associations: MENC, Boise Tuesday Musicale (NFMC)
 Avg. # 40

Years exp.: 33

Teaches:

Comment: Teaches Violin, Viola and some Cello - String Quartets, Piano Trios. I enjoy working with all levels of private lessons students, chamber music coaching, concerto competition prep., orchestral auditions, and college prep. I have a track record of consistent success with my students in these areas. My students regularly win positions at All-State, All-Northwest, and State Solo. I also find it satisfying to work with adults who are progressing towards their own goals, whether tangible or personal. I enjoy working with any student/ability who wants to progress quickly and efficiently. I specialize in: Violin, Viola, Cello, Chamber Music, Chamber Orchestra and Symphonic Music.



Teacher Doug Lawrence
83702 Boise
(208) 409-8571 dougsmiles2@yahoo.com

Levels taught: All - beginning, intermediate, & advanced

Ages taught: All: preschool, children, & adults

Specialties: Classical Performance Suzuki method

Education: Boise State University, 1983-87.

Associations: Boise Philharmonic since 1985.

Avg. # 12-16

Years exp.: 31

Teaches:

Comment: Teaches at Esther Simplot Performing Arts Academy, 516 S. 9th, Private Studio #5. Prices comparable to others in ths area.



Teacher Emily Rodgers
83705 Boise
(845) 558-1710 emilykrodgers1988@gmail.com

Levels taught: Cello -All - beginning, intermediate, & advanced. Beginning piano.

Ages taught: All: preschool, children, & adults

Specialties: Classical Improvisation Performance Suzuki method Theory

Education: Private lessons and orchestral ensembles for 15 years. Participant of the manhattan school of music youth orchestra, Seattle and Tacoma Youth Orchestras. Earned a cello performance degree from Central Washington University. Performed three times in Carnegie hall, twice in Benaroya hall (Seattle). Significant experience teaching adults and children with disabilities.

Associations: American Music Therapy Association (AMTA), American String Teachers Association (ASTA)

Avg. # 10

Years exp.: 7

Teaches:

Comment: Piano as secondary instrument for 17 years, and currently teaching beginning piano at Music Center Studios (Meridian). Lots of choral and solo vocal experience.

Rates:

Half hour - \$25 Full hour - \$45

*First lesson is free! no commitment or experience required.

*Resume with further qualifications available upon request.

*Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday are my teaching days (but flexible for other days if necessary).



Harmony Ranch Music
School

Teacher Gayle Parkinson McKee
83616 Eagle
939-6860 407-5710 gandlmckee@msn.com

Levels taught: All - beginning, intermediate, & advanced

Ages taught: From four to ninety four

Specialties: Classical Improvisation Jazz Composition Performance Suzuki method Theory

Education: Bachelors in Music from Utah State University Masters credits in Vocal, Piano, Organ, Guitar, String Instruments, Young Child Music. Nationally certified Teacher

Associations: Idaho Music Teachers Association, Music Teachers National Association, National Federation of Music Teachers, Boise Tuesday Musical, National Association of Music Teachers, National Guild of Organists

Avg. # 60

Years exp.: 35

Teaches:

Comment: Harmony Ranch Music School: Piano, Drums, String Bass, Cello, Vocal, Guitar, Electric Guitar Violin, Violin, Organ, Performing Arts. The music school is on eight acres surrounded by trees. It is very private and secluded. It is a beautiful place to study music or have an event. We have a performance hall. We teach to the level of the student where ever they are, and tie into their interests. We work at making music study a joyous experience. The lessons are Professional, Positive and Fun.



Teacher Julia Pope
83704 Boise
(208) 284-7351 (208) 284-7345 julia.t.pope@gmail.com
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Levels taught: All - beginning, intermediate, & advanced

Ages taught: Children & adults

Specialties: Classical Performance Theory

Education: BA in Cello Performance from the College of Idaho, MAT in Education from the College of Idaho. Member of the Boise Philharmonic, Assistant Principal cellist of Boise Baroque, member of The Bru celtic band, cellist for Opera Idaho orchestra.

Associations: IMEA, MENC

Avg. # 12

Years exp.: Taught private lessons for 10 years, public school for 6.

Teaches:

Comment: I teach cello and now beginning piano students. I use suzuki books in addition to the classical method. Students learn notation, theory, music history, and composition when it directly relates to the pieces they are studying.



Teacher Kyle True

83706

Boise

440-9004

kyletrue@gmail.com

Levels taught: Beginning & intermediate

Ages taught: Children & adults

Specialties: Classical Performance Theory

Education: Received Bachelor of Arts in Music with a minor in performance from the College of Idaho. Studied under Samuel Smith, Langroise Trio cellist and Associate Principal Cellist of the Boise Philharmonic.

Associations: College of Idaho Sinfonia since 2010, Boise Cello Collective since 2012, Beethoven's Disciples String Quartet since 2013

Avg. # 5

Years exp.: 2

Teaches: Boise, Eagle, Meridian, Nampa, Caldwell

Traveling Teacher

Comment: I have been playing the Cello for 15 years and have experience performing in a number of different configurations from solo performance to full symphony orchestra. I do not teach the Suzuki method, but the Suzuki books will be used in the early stages of learning the instrument. I accept new students and continuing students.

-Normal teaching days are Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday (can be flexible for make-up lessons)

-Can provide resume and detailed lesson information upon request (please contact me via e-mail to make request)

PRICING:

30 Min.-- \$20

45 Min.-- \$30

60 Min.-- \$40

Travel expense-- \$5 Boise, \$7 Eagle, \$9 Meridian, \$11 Nampa, \$13 Caldwell



Teacher Kaylie Steel
83712 Boise
208-404-4023 cellostee@gmail.com

Levels taught: Beginning & intermediate
Ages taught: ages 5 and up
Specialties: Classical Performance Suzuki method Theory
Education: Received Associates in Music at CSI, then Bachelor's of Music Business from Boise State University in 2004 with emphasis on cello. I have played cello for over 20 years. I have played with the Magic Valley Symphony, played and coached with the Magic Valley Youth Symphony, played with BSU Orchestra.

Associations: Boise Tuesday Musicale
Avg. # 5
Years exp.: 12
Teaches: BOISE, MERIDIAN, KUNA
Traveling Teacher
Comment:



Teacher Leann Villegas
83605 Caldwell facebook.com/atlasacademyid
(208) 631-8168 leann.villegas@gmail.com

Levels taught: Beginning & intermediate
Ages taught: preschool & children
Specialties: Classical Performance Theory
Education: 10 years private lessons, performance arts minor in college
Associations:
Avg. # 5
Years exp.: 5
Teaches:
Comment:



Leslie Mandigo Cello & Bass
Studio

Teacher Leslie Mandigo
83706 Boise
761-1572 lesliemandigo@msn.com

Levels taught: beginning bass &/or cello; cello up to intermediate
Ages taught: All: preschool, children, & adults
Specialties: Classical Performance Theory

Education: B.A. Music Performance from Albertson College

Associations:

Avg. # 20

Years exp.: 15

Teaches:

Comment:



Teacher Matthew Fiorentino
83705 Boise <http://idahomusicacademy.com/lessons/orchestral-strings/>
631-921-7383 matthew.c.fiorentino@gmail.com

Levels taught: All - beginning, intermediate, & advanced

Ages taught: All: preschool, children, & adults

Specialties: Classical Improvisation Performance Theory

Education: Currently pursuing a master's degree in Music Education from Boise State University. Received an undergraduate degree in Music Education from the State University of New York at Potsdam.

Associations: Cello, Bass

Avg. # 10

Years exp.: 7

Teaches:

Comment: I am available to perform in either String Quartet/Trio or Cello Quartet for church services, wedding performances, party music. Additionally, I have 3+ years of conducting experience.



Teacher Nancy Wilson
83713 Boise nancybwilson@msn.com
(208) 658-6504

Levels taught: All - beginning, intermediate, & advanced

Ages taught: Children - adults.

Specialties: Classical Performance Suzuki method

Education: BA from College of Idaho; MAT with Major in Music Teaching from U of I; Post Graduate Study at The Pablo Casals International Cello Centre in Scotland

Associations: ASTA, Retired NEA

Avg. # 13

Years exp.: 40+

Teaches:

Comment: Foothills String Ensemble - String Trio for parties and Weddings. Teaches modified Suzuki method.



Kodaly Cello Studio
Teacher Rita Soltesz
83704 Boise
(208) 246-9863 educate72@live.com
Levels taught: Cello: all level, beginner to advanced , Violin, Piano: beginner only
Ages taught: Children & adults
Specialties: Classical Performance Theory
Education: Erkel Ferenc Musicschool/Hungary, Bela Bartok Musik Conservatory/Hungary, MA from the University of Performing and Dramatic Arts, Graz/Austria
Associations: National Music Clubs, Boise Tuesday Musicale, Member of the Meridian Symphony
Avg. # 10-12
Years exp.: 22+
Teaches:
Comment:



Stephanie's Piano Studio
Teacher Stephanie Zickau
83702 Boise joyzickau.com
(208) 914-0294 stephanie.joy.lheureux@gmail.com
Levels taught: All levels, preschool through adult
Specialties: Classical, Composition, Ensemble, Jazz, Performance, Suzuki method, Theory
Education: Bachelor in Piano Performance, Graduate work, avid performer locally and nationally
Associations: National Federation of Music Clubs, tvfmc.org, National Association of Pastoral Musicians
Avg. # 50
Years exp.: 11
Teaches: Piano, Cello
Traveling Teacher Boise, Meridian, Eagle



Teacher Vicki Herdt
83709 Boise
(208) 409-2225 vherdt@att.net
Levels taught: Beginning & intermediate
Ages taught: All: preschool, children, & adults
Specialties:
Education: Hmmm. I specialize in special needs kids and atypical learners, B.A. In child psychology. I was the Studio Saver in New York and was the woodwind instructor at a private school in

Albany. Also taught general music and theory at The Children's school (k-9th) in Slingerlands, NY. Now I teach privately and also provide music therapy for several students.

Associations:

Avg. # 10

Years exp.: 6

Teaches: Depends on the student, but typically Boise, SW Boise, some Meridian

Traveling Teacher

Comment: I specialize in special needs kids and atypical learners, B.A. In child psychology. Also minored in early childhood education. I was the Studio Saver in New York and was the woodwind instructor at a private school in Albany. Also taught general music and theory at The Children's school (k-9th) in Slingerlands, NY. Now I teach privately and also provide music therapy for several students.



Wharton Studio

Teacher William Wharton

83702 Boise

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wharton@uidaho.edu

Levels taught: All - beginning, intermediate, & advanced

Ages taught: 3 years and up

Specialties: Classical Performance Suzuki method Theory

Education: Bachelor of Music; Doctorate in Music Arts

Associations: MTNA, MENC, SAA, AFM

Avg. # 41

Years exp.: 53

Teaches:

Comment: Teaches at Dunkley Music in Boise, at Mccall Congragational church, and at private Moscow studio and University of Idaho Chirdren's Center.