# Patrick S. Monnius, Viola

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### **EDUCATION:**

Belmont University, Nashville, TN

Master of Music in Commercial Viola Performance, Expected Spring 2020

Additional Studies: Commercial Voice, Commercial Guitar, Commercial Pedagogy

## Oberlin Conservatory of Music, Oberlin, OH

Bachelor of Music in Viola Performance, May 2018

Primary Teachers: Michael Strauss, Peter Slowik, Camille Vogley-Howes Additional Studies: Pedagogical Theory, Music Education, Songwriting

# Baldwin Wallace University, Berea, OH

PSEO Studies in Viola Performance, 2013-14

Primary Teacher: Louise Zeitlin

**Masterclasses with:** Jeffrey Irvine, Lynne Ramsey, Matthew Michelic, Robert Vernon, Helen Callus, Iva Bittova, Jennifer Koh, the Cavani Quartet, the Jasper Quartet, the Fry Street Quartet, the Artaria Quartet, the Pacifica Quartet, the Credo Trio, the Oberlin Trio

#### **Summer Music Festivals:**

Silk Road Global Music Workshop, 2017 Kent Blossom Music Festival, 2016 & 2017 Credo Chamber Music Festival, 2011, 2012, 2013, & 2015

## **ORCHESTRAL & RECORDING EXPERIENCE:**

Evansville Philharmonic Orchestra, substitute viola, 2019-present

Jackson (TN) Symphony Orchestra, section viola, 2019-present

Nashville Music Scoring Orchestra, section viola, 2019-present

Memphis Symphony Orchestra, substitute viola, 2018-present

Orchestra Kentucky Bowling Green, substitute viola, 2018-present

Oberlin Conservatory Orchestra and Chamber Orchestra, section viola, 2014-18

Cleveland Orchestra side-by-side with Kent Blossom Festival, 2016 & 2017

Ginastera: One Hundred CD by Oberlin Orchestra, section viola, 2016

Ashland Symphony Orchestra (OH), section viola, 2016

Baldwin Wallace (OH) Symphony Orchestra, assistant principal viola, 2014

# SIGNIFICANT COMMERCIAL MUSIC EXPERIENCE:

Fiddle, Strings, and BGVs with Nina Ricci and the Rushtones, 2018

Fiddle and BGVs with Bruce Molsky, Hanneke Cassel, & Aoife O'Donovan at the Global Musician Workshop, 2017

Performance with Terence Blanchard and the Oberlin Orchestra, 2016

#### **HONORS AND AWARDS:**

**David Statler Walker Award for Excellence in Music Education**, Oberlin Conservatory of Music 2018

1st Place Donald Crossley Memorial Prize, Ohio Viola Society Competition, 2014