# Steven Andre

### **EXPERIENCE**

Mesquite ISD
Director of Fine Arts

Mesquite, TX
July 2012 -June 2022

- Oversee & manage the K-12 fine arts programs for a large suburban school district
- Coordinate the purchase of capital outlay for the fine arts programs
- Provide instructional support for 128 fine arts teachers
- Plan & coordinate fine arts professional development
- · Set budgets for all secondary fine arts programs
- Write, update, and implement fine arts curriculum
- Approve fine arts purchases
- · Conduct regular meetings with coordinators and head directors
- · Responsible for the hiring of all fine arts personnel
- · Serve as host and organizer for DCI and UIL events at Memorial Stadium

#### Grapevine High School

Director of Bands

Grapevine, TX July 1992 - Jun 2012

- Coordinated all aspects of a competitive Texas High School band program
- Conducted the Wind Ensemble and Concert Band
- · Directed and served as program coordinator for the marching band
- Taught AP music theory
- · Prepared and managed a district budget
- Oversaw the activities of an active band booster club
- Served on various committees for the entire school district
- Served as the fine arts department chair

# Boswell High School

Assistant Band Director

Fort Worth, TX

July 1991 - Jun 1992

Sky View High School

Director of Bands

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July 1987 - May 1990

Jasper Middle School

Head Band Director

Jasper, TX

January 1985 - June 1987

# **EDUCATION**

TEXAS CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY

Fort Worth, TX

Master's Degree Music Education (1996)

STEPHEN F. AUSTIN STATE UNIVERSITY

Bachelor of Fine Arts Music Education (1984)

Nacogdoches, TX

#### ADDITIONAL SKILLS

- Personnel Management
- Arts Administration
- Event Organization
- Budgeting
- Public Speaking & Group Presentations
- Curriculum and Instruction
- Professional Development
- Leadership Development

# HONORS & AWARDS

- Past President of the Texas Music Educators Association
- UIL Sponsor Excellence Award
- Stephen F. Austin State University Music Department, Outstanding Alumnus 2007
- Inducted into the TCU Band Hall of Fame 2019
- Phi Beta Mu
- Mesquite ISD has been recognized by NAMM as a "Best Community for Music Education"
- Grapevine High School President's Choice Award
- Grapevine High School PTA Friend of Children Award
- · GCISD Excellence in Education Award
- Grapevine High School Distinguished Teacher, multiple occasions
- 18 Consecutive UIL Sweepstakes Awards
- William D. Revelli Award for Musical Excellence
- Who's Who Among America's High School Teachers, multiple occasions
- Class 4A Texas State Marching Finalist; 1997 4th place, 1999 3rd place, 2001 3rd place
- 1998 TMEA Honor Band Competition 3<sup>rd</sup> Place in Class 4A
- Multiple Best in Class & Outstanding Band Awards

#### REFERENCES

Treva Franklin, Assistant Superintendent, Mesquite ISD (retired)

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