Brad Fant

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Relevant Education

Florida State University, College of Music | Master of Arts in Piano Technology
Tallahassee, FL (Class of 2016)
Instructor: Anne Garee

North Bennet Street School | Piano Technology
Boston, MA (Class of 2014)
Instructors: Jack Stebbins, Christine Lovgren, Debbie Cyr

Work Experience

Brad Fant Piano Service | **Owner/Registered Piano Technician**
Charlotte, NC (2024-present), Los Angeles, CA (2017-2024), Tallahassee, FL (2014-2017)

- Provide full-service acoustic piano maintenance to schools, churches, performance venues, and private clientele
- Improve piano actions through analysis and geometry correction, action rebuilding, and parts replacement
- Consult with and assist clients in purchasing new or pre-owned pianos
- Prepare new pianos and service incoming and outgoing rental pianos for LA-based Yamaha, Kawai, and Bösendorfer authorized dealers (2017-2024)

Florida State University, College of Music | **Piano Technician**
Tallahassee, FL (2014-2017)

- Tuned and regularly maintained 70 pianos in concert halls, classrooms, faculty studios, and practice rooms
- Managed 250-piano inventory data, service records, and purchase history
- Rebuilt Steinway & Sons pianos by applying skills in action geometry and design
- Worked alongside guest artists and clinicians to prepare pianos for performances and masterclasses

Certifications and Memberships

- Registered Piano Technician, Piano Technicians Guild
- Secretary/Treasurer, PTG Charlotte Chapter
- Yamaha Authorized Service Provider
- Piano Life Saver Certified Installer
- Yamaha Performance Piano Service Seminar certification
- Yamaha Disklavier Player Piano Seminar certification
- Pi Kappa Lambda National Honorary Music Society member

Professional Development

- Attended national and regional Piano Technicians Guild conventions
- Presented as guest lecturer for conventions, meetings, and specialized workshops hosted by universities and professional organizations
- Participated in factory tours for major piano manufacturers in both the U.S. and Europe

Notable Clientele Served

Kris Bowers, Chris Coady, Nathan Cole, John Frusciante, Philip Glass, Dave Grohl, Brett Gurewitz, Tamir Hendelman, Lenny Kravitz, Paul Leonard-Morgan, Patti LuPone, Marcus Roberts, Sunset Sound Recorders