# Dr. Jon Paul Yerby, Guitarist

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# Education

Florida State University	D.M.A. Guitar Performance	2008 - 2012
New England Conservatory	M.M. Guitar Performance	2005 - 2007
University of Texas at Austin	B.M. Guitar Performance	2002 - 2005
University of North Texas	Undergraduate Study	2000 - 2002

# Applied/Private Study

Bruce Holzman, Florida State University	2008 - 2012
Eliot Fisk, New England Conservatory	2005 - 2007
John Gibbons, New England Conservatory	2006 - 2007
Adam Holzman, University of Texas at Austin	2002 - 2005
Tom Johnson, University of North Texas	2000 - 2002

# Awards/Distinctions

ASTA Conference - Lecturer/Performer	2013
Founding member of the Utah Guitar Trio	2013
President, Utah Classical Guitar Society	2012 - Present
Founder and Director of Seven Hills Guitar Series, Tallahassee, FL	2011 - Present
Director, Classical Guitar Society of Tallahassee	2011 - 2012
Associate Director of Boston GuitarFest	2006 - 2008
Henry and Sophie Mydans Foundation Scholarship,	
New England Conservatory	2005 - 2007
Academic Honors at New England Conservatory	2005 - 2007
Dean's List, UT Austin, TX	2003 - 2004
Semi-Finalist at Boston GuitarFest 2007	2007
Honorable Mention and Concert, Young Texas Artists Competition	2005
Participants Concert, Stetson International Guitar Festival	2005
Design Editor for New England Conservatory Newspaper, The Penguin	2006 - 2007

# Teaching

ASTA Conference, Utah Chapter, Park City, UT	2013
Consonus Music Institute, Director of Instruction	2012 - 2013
Adjunct Professor of Guitar, Utah Valley University	2012 - Present
Director of Guitar Studies, Gifted Music School, Salt Lake City, UT	2012 - Present
Adjunct Professor of Guitar at Tallahassee Community College	2010 - 2012
Graduate Assistant, Florida State University	2008 - 2012
Belvoire Terrace Performing Arts Camp, Lenox, MA	2009
Clavier-Werke Music School, Austin, TX	2004 - 2005

#### **Recent Performances**

Classical 89.1 BYU Radio Interview and Performance Park City Chamber Music Festival Park City Beethoven Festival Ririe - Woodbury Dance Company Cathedral of the Madeleine All Saints Episcopal Church, SLC, UT Utah Arts Festival Utah Symphony - Barber of Seville ASTA conference, UT Utah Guitar Trio - University of Utah Utah Valley University - solo and chamber music recitals Utah State Veterans Nursing Home Boston Guitar Festival Isabella Stuart Gardner Museum Florida State University - solo, lecture, and chamber music recitals Seven Hills Guitar Series Jordan Hall, New England Conservatory Boston GuitarFest Dallas Ft. Worth Guitar Society

#### **Masterclass Performances**

Denis Azabagic	Gerald Klicksteen
Carlos Bonnel	Wolfgang Lindle
Joaquin Clerche	Matteo Mela
Eliot Fisk	Lorenzo Michelli
Oscar Ghiglia	Nigel North
Antigone Goni	Judicael Perroy
Julian Gray	Stephen Robinson
Adam Holzman	Steven Thatchuk
Bruce Holzman	Ana Vidovic

# Festivals/Workshops

ASTA Conference, Utah	2013
Boston GuitarFest Boston, MA	2006 - 2007
Accademia Musicale Chigiana Siena, Italy	2005
Guitar Foundation of America	2002 - 2013
Stetson International Guitar Workshop Deland, FL	2001 - 2004

## **Publications and Recordings**

An Introduction to Figured Bass Accompaniment on the Classical Guitar, Doctoral Treatise 2012 The Lindsay Hall Sessions, Recording 2012

## **Other Applicable Skills**

Fluent in English, German, and Spanish Graphic Design Web Design Concert Production and Promotion Leadership Experience as President of a Guitar Society and Concert Series Recruitment for Utah Valley University's Guitar Program/Gifted Music School/Private Studio Design Editing for University and Arts Publications Fundraising for Non-Profit Arts Organizations Electronic Music Collaborations Jazz Band Dance Collaborations (Ririe - Woodbury Dance Company)

#### **Other Musical Styles or Instruments**

Electric Guitar Bass Guitar (Electric) Cuban Tres Blues/Rock Guitar Folk/Gospel Jazz/Latin Percussion - Drum Set, Timpani, Afro-Cuban Drumming Pit Orchestra Work - Utah Symphony, Pioneer Theater