

## Welcome to the Oboe Studio at the University of South Carolina

We are so glad you are here!

The oboe studio at the University of South Carolina is dedicated to training the next generation of outstanding oboists, artists, and arts advocates. We cultivate a community of students who are creative and critical thinkers in every aspect of their lives. Our commitment to excellence, rooted in a well-rounded approach to music-making and a supportive environment, prepares our students for successful 21st-century music careers.

In every endeavor, musical or otherwise, our studio demonstrates that "With love, compassion, and discipline, we expect success!"

The studio here at the University of South Carolina is modeled after three Cs:

Commitment Compassion Credibility

We define these three words in the following way:

- **Commitment** means giving 100% to everything we do at the University of South Carolina. Whether showing kindness to others or working through a new piece of music, we commit ourselves fully to the learning process because we know that our potential is boundless and that we are good enough.
- **Compassion** means that we will never forget that we are all human and what makes us perfect are our imperfections. It also means that we are willing to progress with

open hearts, fail, and be vulnerable in discovering our best selves as human beings and artists. We model compassion in our daily lives and seek to support others in all that they do.

• **Credibility** means that we do what we say we will do and are who we say we are. We seek to be known as people with integrity. We are honored to participate in the legacy and great tradition of classical music, and it is our mission to let the world understand that "classical music is for everyone."

We would love to have you join our studio if the above values inspire you and align with yours. In closing, we wish you happiness, joy, and encouragement in all your musical endeavors.

Warmly,

Mr. Handrand

**Professor Anderson** The University of South Carolina Oboe Studio

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