## DR. AUBREY S TUCKER CURRICULUM VITAE

NAME: AUBREY STEPHEN TUCKER

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CITIZENSHIP: United States

MILITARY SERVICE: Noncommissioned Officer (Sp5), Trombone Instructor,

Staff Arranger

U.S. Army Armed Forces School of Music.

Little Creek, Virginia- 1969-1971

UNDERGRADUATE

EDUCATION:

Bachelor of Music Degree (Trombone Performance) 1972

University of Houston, Houston, Texas

Certification – V.A. Training Program in Audio

Engineering – 1984

GRADUATE Graduate Studies, (Trombone Performance)

EDUCATION: University of Houston, Texas 1972-73, 1990

Master of Music Degree (Theory) – 1989 Doctor of Musical Arts, (Composition) - 1999

Rice University, Shepherd School of Music, Houston,

**Texas** 

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

2016-Present Adjunct Professor for Academic Music and Music

Business, Online, Houston Community College System,

Houston, Texas

1985-2016

Founding Instructor, Commercial Music Department

Department Head, Commercial Music Department

Department Head, Fine Arts Department

Department Chair, Commercial Music Department Assistant Department Chair, Fine Arts Department Division Chair, Fine Arts, Speech & Commercial Music

Retired from Full-time employment, July, 2016

Houston Community College System, Houston, Texas

2009	Co-Composer and Lyricist, Music Director, <i>Old Stories</i> , a new musical, with Larry Dierker and Paul English		
2005- 2007	Director, Houston Dynamo Major League Soccer Pep Band		
1995-2004	Orchestra Director, Jersey Village Baptist Church		
1988-1989	Graduate Fellowship, Rice University, Shepherd School of Music, Houston, Texas		
1972-1974	Graduate Assistantship, Founding Instructor of Jazz Studies University of Houston, School of Music, Houston, Texas		
1984-Present	Owner, Aubrey Tucker Music Productions, Aubrey Tucker Band and Orchestra		
1983-1985	Producer and Engineer, Limelight Recording Studio Dickinson, Texas		
1983-1984	Recording and TV Producer, Studio 1, Galveston, Texas		
1981-1983	Texas Opera Theatre Orchestra, Houston, Texas		
1974-1981	Musician, Band Leader, Arranger and Music Producer Las Vegas, Nevada		
1977-1981	Board of Directors Member, Local 369, American Federation of Music, Las Vegas, Nevada		
1972- 1973	Jazz Improvisation Instructor, Houston High School for the Performing and Visual Arts, Houston, Texas		
1970-1971	Low Brass Instructor, Old Dominion University Norfolk, Virginia		
1969-1971	Low Brass Instructor and Staff Arranger, Armed Forces School of Music, Norfolk, Virginia		
1967-1969	Founding Music Director, Live Show Executive and Writer, Astroworld Amusement Park, Houston, Texas		
1964- Present	Professional Trombonist and Arranger with numerous		

traveling orchestras and artists, including Woody Herman, Si Zentner, Illinois Jacquet, Elvis Presley, "Doc" Severinsen, Dionne Warwick, The American Pops Orchestra and The Houston Symphony Orchestra

#### PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS:

American Federation of Musicians (AFM), Local #65-399 Houston, Texas- Lifetime Member

American Federation of Musicians (AFM), Local #369 Las Vegas, Nevada Executive Board, 1977-1981 Elected Delegate, AFM International Convention, 1979

American Society of Composers, Authors & Publishers (ASCAP) Composer, Songwriter and *SJBE Publishing* 

Broadcast Music Inc (BMI) EBJS Publishing

The Chair Academy

The College Music Society

Houston Composers Alliance

Houston West Chamber of Commerce Salute To Veterans Program Committee, Band Leader, 2005-2017 Chair, Cultural arts Committee, 2002-2005

Chair, Cultural Arts Committee, 2001-2002 Vice-Chair, Cultural Arts Committee, 1997-2000

International Association of Jazz Educators
Election Committee, 2003
Community and Junior College Committee, 1998-2000
Texas State Vice-President, 1989

The International Trombone Association (ITA) *Program Presenter*, 2002

Katy West Houston Arts Council *Chair*, 2003 - 2006

Music and Entertainment Industry Educators Association (MEIEA) 1998-Present Nevada State AFL-CIO Convention Elected Delegate, 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980

North Houston-Greenspoint Chamber of Commerce Producer, Greenspoint Music Festival Committee, 2000

Texas Bandmasters Association

Texas Music Educators Association Nominating Committee, 1999

Women in Film and Television, Houston

# SERVICE TO NATION, COMMUNITY AND COLLEGE:

2006-2014

U.S. Army, Armed Forces School of Music, Norfolk, Virginia, 1969-1971 Boy Scout Leader, Houston, Texas, 1992-2000 Scoutmaster, Troop 747, 1998-2000 Faculty Advisor: MEISA (Music and Entertainment Industry Students Association), 1997-2016 Faculty Advisor: HCC Students Reaching for Christ 1998-2014 Faculty Advisor, HCC Academy for Lifelong Learning,

Faculty Advisor, HCC Chess Club 2010-Present Youth Sunday School Teacher, Jersey Village Baptist Church, 1998-2002

HONORS AND AWARDS: January 14, 2017 declared "Dr. Aubrey Tucker Day" in Houston, Texas by Mayor Sylvester Turner, for Lifetime Achievement in Music Education; Lifetime Achievement Award presented by Conrad O. Johnson Music and Fine Arts Foundation; recognition in U.S. Congress by Congresswoman Shelia Jackson Lee

Fellow, Salzburg Global Seminars (Austria) 2009, 2011

Who's Who in American Education

5 Las Vegas Entertainment Awards, Best Orchestra (with Johnny Haig Orchestra) 1974-1978

Winner, down beat Magazine Scholarship Award, (Arranger), 1971

Co-winner, University of Houston Concerto Competition, 1968

Finalist, International Music Competition, (Trombone Soloist), Munich, Germany 1965 (U.S. Representative)

# COURSES TAUGHT: **Rice University**: Music Theory

Houston Community College System, HCC Academic Catalog: Music Literature, Music Appreciation, American Music, Music Fundamentals, Music Theory and Ear Training, Symphony Orchestra, Chamber Music, Jazz Ensemble, Music Theater, Applied Trombone, Euphonium and Tuba, Applied Conducting, Music Composition, Jazz Improvisation

HCC Technical Education (Workforce) Catalog: Survey of the Music Business, Music Publishing, Live Music and Talent Management, The Record Industry, Music Marketing, Legal Issues in the Entertainment Industry, Cooperative Education (Internship), Commercial Music Forum, Studio Orchestra, Songwriting, Arranging, Composition and Production

**The University of Houston**: Jazz Ensemble, Jazz Improvisation

**Old Dominion University**: Applied Trombone, Bass Trombone, Baritone Horn, and Tuba

**Private Practice:** Low Brass Instruction, Arranging and Composition, Songwriting

## **CURRICULA DEVELOPED:**

Houston Community College Programs: Audio and Recording Technology, Video Technology, Jazz Studies, Piano Pedagogy, Music Business, Music in Performance, Music Instrument Repair Technology All Program applications were designed, written and submitted to the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (THECB) and were approved

The University of Houston: Jazz Studies

Founder - UH Jazz Bands (1972) Founder - Basketball Band and Women's Dance Team ("Cougar Brass and Cougar Dolls") 1966

## **SELECTED PUBLICATIONS:**

*Old Stories*- A New Musical, co-written with Larry Dierker and Paul English 2009

Breath- Scenes for Soprano, Tenor and Baritone Voices, Flute, Piano and Cello UM Publications 1999 (Doctoral dissertation composition)

The Red Pony – The Film and Music of Aaron Copland UM Publications 1989 (Master's thesis)

*Poems* – 1974 (private publication)

More than 50 published songs and compositions – ASCAP

#### WORKS IN PROGRESS:

Bootprints- Screenplay, the World War II story of Sgt. Hobert Winebrenner

Galveston, 1900- a New Musical based on the 1900 Hurricane

The Raven- a New Musical Based on the life of Sam Houston

Music from the Red Pony- the Film Music of Aaron Copland- Book

# SELECTED DISCOGRAPHY, TELEVISION and FILMS:

Woman Hollering Creek- Aubrey Tucker Jazz Quartet RTC Records, 2009

Swingin' Live- Illinois Jacquet, Jacquet Records, 2006

Night Train - Aubrey Tucker Band, RTC Records, 2004

The Calvin Owens Show – Calvin Owens, Sawdust Alley Records, 2004

The House is Burning – Calvin Owens, Sawdust Alley Records, 2002

It's About Time—Ronnie Renfrow, RR Records, 1996

Golden Petals - Richard Nunemaker, MMC Recordings 1993

Texas Tenor – Illinois Jacquet, A Film by Arthur Elgort, 1992

2 and 1 – Buddy Kirk, Bellaire Records, 1992

Don't Touch That Dial! – Houston Symphony Orchestra, Columbia Records, 1992

Uptown - Aubrey Tucker, Rosebud Records, 1987

At the Flagship Hotel - Buddy Kirk, BK Records, 1984

Buddy Brock '82 – Buddy Brock, Bellaire Records, 1982

Siegfried and Roy Special II – Siegfried and Roy, CBS Television, 1981

Lookin' to Get Out – Jon Voight, Ann-Margret, 20th Century Fox Film, 1981

Siegfried and Roy Special I – Siegfried and Roy, CBS Television, 1980

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