

MING LUKE

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ORCHESTRAL EXPERIENCE

- 2004-present **General Director/Conductor, Napa Valley Youth Symphony, CA**
• *Recognized by United States Senator Barbara Boxer for excellence and achievement*
• *Doubled the size and significantly increased the quality of the orchestra in two seasons*
- 2003-present **Assistant Conductor, Sacramento Philharmonic, CA**
• *Duties include conducting the Sacramento Philharmonic in selected Subscription concerts, Ballet performances and serving as Assistant Conductor of the Sacramento Opera*
- 2004-2006 **Assistant Conductor, Napa Valley Symphony, CA**
• *Duties included conducting selected pops concerts and developing, writing, and conducting education concerts.*
- 2002 **Conductor/Music Director, Participate America Foundation, Pittsburgh Chapter**
• *Conducted 9/11 tribute concert broadcast on NPR and internationally on the web*
• *Organized, planned and directed events in the City of Pittsburgh and Allegheny County for the one-year anniversary of 9/11*
- 2000-2002 **Music Director/Conductor, Carnegie Mellon Chamber Orchestra**
• *Founded, conducted, and directed 50-member university ensemble*
- 1998-present **Pre-concert Lecturer/Program note annotator**
• *Pre-concert Lecturer - Mondavi Center Presents, Napa Valley Symphony, Sacramento Philharmonic, various guest speaker engagements*
• *Program notes – Sacramento Philharmonic*
• *Presenter – Western States Arts Federation (WESTAF)*

CHORAL EXPERIENCE

- 2005-present **Chorus Master/Assistant Conductor, Sacramento Opera, CA**
- 2001-2002 **Staff Conductor, Mendelssohn Choir of Pittsburgh, PA**
• *Rehearsed and prepared the choir for Charles Dutoit, André Previn, Mariss Jansons, Michael Stern and Lucas Richmond*
• *Resident choir of the Pittsburgh Symphony, the only choir named a Steinway Artist*
- 2000-2002 **Assistant Director/Conductor, Carnegie Mellon University Choirs, PA**
- 1998-2000 **Tenor, Westminster Symphonic Choir, NJ**
• *Performed with New York Philharmonic, Philadelphia Orchestra, New Jersey Symphony, Kurt Masur, Wolfgang Sawallisch, Bobby McFerrin, Zdenek Mácal, and Joseph Flummerfelt*

KEYBOARD EXPERIENCE AND OTHER RELATED

- 1996-present **Piano Soloist**
• *Soloed with Pittsburgh Symphony, Sacramento Philharmonic*
• *Debut at Carnegie Hall's recital hall at age of 18*

