



BRADEN ELLIS

ABOUT ME

I am a double bassist and serve as co-principal bass in Temple University's Center for Gifted Young Musicians' Youth Chamber Orchestra and in the University of Pennsylvania's Symphony Orchestra. I am also a member of the Kimmel Center's Magenta jazz ensemble. A two-time attendee of Carnegie Hall's NYO2 program, in 2018, I spent my summer at Interlochen and Curtis Summerfest. I am homeschooled and dually enrolled at Drexel University and my local community college. I have been a teacher's assistant for Science Explorers, interned with local game developers, and I have been featured in ads for Adventure Aquarium and Smith Memorial Playground. I am a proud PMAY and Primavera Foundation Artist, a three-time Marian Anderson grant recipient, and 2018 Bruce Montgomery Foundation for the Arts Springboard grant recipient.

PERSONAL

Name Braden Ellis
Birthday 10 Nov. 2001 (17)
Grade 11th/Dual Enrollment

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LANGUAGES

English ●●●●●●●●●●
Mandarin ●●●●●●●●●●
Latin ●●●●●●●●●●
Spanish ●●●●●●●●●●

SOFTWARE

Logic ●●●●●●●●●●
Adobe Photoshop ●●●●●●●●●●
Unity Game Software ●●●●●●●●●●
MS Office/Google Docs ●●●●●●●●●●
MuseScore ●●●●●●●●●●

REFERENCES

Ranaan Meyer
Time for Three, Next Level Journals, Wabass -
Inst for the 21st Century Bass Player

Aaron Picht
Conductor, Youth Chamber Orchestra Temple
Center for Gifted Young Musicians

Dr. Alden Young
Professor, Drexel University

web resume - contact for info

EXPERIENCE

- **Double Bassist / 2009+**
Co-principal Bass - UPenn PSO and YCO at Temple CGYM; Interlochen; Curtis Summerfest; BUTI; Brevard. Former: PYO, Trowbridge, DCYO, Luzerne, PRYSM
- **Bass and Composer / 2016+**
 - Kimmel Center Advanced Jazz
 - Past: Settlement Adv Ensemble
- **Play Captain's Initiative / 2017**
FAB Youth Philly/Drexel Promise Zone
 - Job working with kids to prevent summer slide in West Philadelphia
- **WHYY Young Journalists / 2016-17**
Documentary filmmaking program
- **Cipher Prime Game Studio / 2016**
Internship
 - Game music and Boy Friday
- **STEMPrep / 2015**
Science Education and Lab Skills Southern Methodist University
- **Science Explorers / 2011-15**
Teacher's Assistant - after-school and summer science program helping pre-K to 4th graders with science projects
- **Model United Nations / 2014-2017**

EDUCATION

- **Drexel U & Comm. Colleges / 2017+**
President's List: Delco Comm College Scholar award
English and Spanish I & 2, Biology, Pre-calc, Physics, History, Global & Africana Studies.
- **Math and Science / 2016-2018**
Tutored by Dr. William Steinberg, retired physician and SAT coach
- **Ellis Homeschool / 2004-14; 16+**
8th Gr. California Achievement Test:
 - 99th percentile Reading
 - 97th Language and MathSSAT: 94th percentile Math
- **Stanford & Northwestern Univ Gifted Courses**
 - Writing Courses (3)
 - Game Design

HONORS/AWARDS

- 2018-19 Springboard Award Bruce Montgomery Foundation**
Grant supports "the pursuit of excellence in the arts".
- 2017 Marian Anderson Awards Gala Honoring Dionne Warwick**
Scholarship and performed with chamber group and house band.
- +40,000 Facebook Views - Solo Recital Video**
Dragonetti Concerto in G major
- NYO2 - Carnegie Hall 2016, 2017**
Orchestra inaugural member. One of two students from PA
- Marian Anderson Award Three Years: 2015-present**
Competitive award supporting talented young musicians
- Primavera Foundation Artist 2016+** - Primavera supports young musicians' dreams
- Teen Ambassadors - UPenn Archaeology Museum: 2016-18**
- Bucks County Symphony Competition Winner - 2014**
- Jr. Model United Nations - Best Position Paper - 2014**

INTERESTS

