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Objective: Berklee graduate with excellent educational preparation is seeking a career oriented position in teaching and performance.

EDUCATION

Sept. 06 – June 09	BERKLEE COLLEGE OF MUSIC , Boston, MA Bachelor in Music Performance (Drums) – CUM LAUDE (studies finished in three years instead of four)
June 2006	LICEO DELLA COMUNICAZIONE , Chieti, Italy Bachelor, obtained with distinction.
Summer 2005	BERKLEE COLLEGE OF MUSIC, Boston, MA Five Week Summer Program 2005: Private lessons, Ear Training and Harmony.
Summer 2002	UMBRIA JAZZ 2002 (organized by Berklee) . Private lessons, harmony, and gigs around Perugia
2001-2002	LUISA D'ANNUNZIO CONSERVATORY , Pescara, Italy Two years of studies: Percussion Principal, Music Theory, Piano and Percussion Ensemble

RELATED EXPERIENCE

2006-2009	Has been giving private drum lessons for three years (see references here attached)
Summer 2009	Recording of the new Vivian Darkbloom CD with the producer of Fall Out Boy and American Hi Fi
2009	Gigs with Vivian Darkbloom, Casey Desmond, Jordan Rudd, Franklin Kite, Howie Howie, Project 51 and many others. Including: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- One week tour in California and annual Princeton Festival with Vivian Darkbloom- Opening for David Cook (winner of 2008 American Idol) with Casey Desmond during Common Ground Festival in Lansing, MI
April 23rd 2009	Drummer and Percussionist for the Pop/Rock Showcase at the Berklee Performance Center; directed by Mirek Kocandrl.
Summer 2006	Recorded Two Demo Cd's with Italian Artists.

CLINICS AND CONCERTS

2009	Jeff Ballard, John JR Robinson, Chick Corea, John McLaughlin, Brian Blade, Christian McBride, Kenny Garrett, Meshell Ndegeocello, Tony Smith, Larry Finn, Joshua Redman, Greg Hutchinson and many others.
2008	Antonio Sanchez, Dave Dicenso, Cindy Blackman, Terry Lyne Carrington, John Blackwell, Dennis Chambers, and others.
2006-2007	John Blackwell Rod Morgeistein, Mark Walker and others.

LANGUAGES

Italian: Mother Tongue

English: Fluent

French: Intermediate

Spanish: Beginner

