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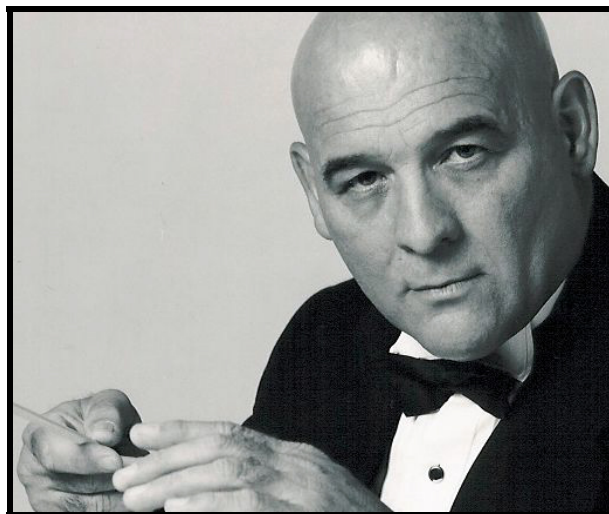
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## **C. MYRON FLIPPIN**

### **CONDUCTOR**



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## BIOGRAPHY

**C. Myron Flippin** is a graduate of Ponca City, OK High School, where he was an All-State and All-American Musician. He attended Kansas State University and majored in Music Education and European History. Flippin pursued a career in management from 1972 to 1987, and he was awarded an MBA certificate by the Wickes Corporation. His successful management career is noted with numerous awards and recognitions, including the Wickes Corporation Rookie Manager of the Year, Fiscal 1977-1978. Flippin returned to music and earned a Master of Music degree in cello performance and voice in 1990 and Doctoral of Musical Arts (ABD) in orchestral conducting in 1994. He studied, performed and conducted in Austria in 1989 and 1992. There, he performed with the Melkus Ensemble and the International Symphony, as well as with Christopher Bunting and Phyllis Young in master classes. His graduate studies included cello with Professor Marjorie Cornelius and voice with Sean Daniel. He studied privately with internationally known conductor Akira Endo from 1990-1992. Flippin also performs in Branson with the White River Trio at various theaters. Currently, Flippin is co-principal cellist with the North Arkansas Symphony, rehearsal conductor for the Symphony and conductor of the North Arkansas Symphony Youth Orchestra. He is a Master Class teacher, and he holds clinics and guest appearances in the United States and Europe. He was formerly Assistant Conductor and principal cellist of Opera in the Ozarks from 1996-1999. In addition to being at the podium of the Oklahoma Community Symphony from 1991-1994, Flippin was also the choir director for the Putnam City United Methodist Church (1989-1993) as well as the Putnam City Baptist Church (1985-1988) in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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## Education

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### **University of Oklahoma**

DMA (ABD)  
 Orchestral Conducting/Cello Performance 1991-1994

Master Music  
 Cello Performance/Voice 1991

B.A.  
 Cello Performance 1990

### **Kansas State University**

Music Education/History 1967-1971

### **Wickes Corporation**

MBA Certificate 1977

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## Awards

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- Gabor Rejto Scholarship University of Oklahoma 1990, 1992
- Graduate Teaching Assistant University of Oklahoma 1992-1994
- Oklahoma All-State Musician 1967
- All-American Musician National School Orchestra of America 1967

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## Musical Experience

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- Conductor of the Oklahoma Community Symphony 1992-1996
- Cellist:  
 Enid, OK Symphony; Lawton, OK Symphony; Springfield, Mo  
 Symphony; International Symphony, Erl, Austria.  
 Currently Co-Principal Cellist, North Arkansas Symphony

- Currently Principal Conductor, North Arkansas Youth Orchestra
- Maintain private cello studio
- All-State clinician in Oklahoma, Kansas and Arkansas

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#### Languages

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- English – native language
- French – Ability to rehearse musical groups and semi-fluent
- German – Ability to rehearse musical groups and semi-fluent
- Czech – In the process of learning

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#### Memberships

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- Conductors Guild
- American Federation of Musicians (1989-1996)
- Internet Cello Society
- American Symphony Orchestra League

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