

Dr. J. Peyden Shelton has been featured as a soloist with various ensembles including the Salt Lake Symphony, Reston Symphony Orchestra, and University of North Texas Chamber Ensemble. In 2014, Dr. Shelton was awarded first place in the Soloist Division of the National Trumpet Competition. As a chamber and ensemble musician, he has performed with numerous groups including the Utah Symphony Orchestra, Rochester Philharmonic, Washington Chamber Orchestra, Symphony One, and the New World Symphony. Peyden also performs as a core member of both *Fifth Bridge* ([fifthbridge.org](http://fifthbridge.org)), and the *Mirari Brass Quintet* ([miraribrass.com](http://miraribrass.com)).

As an educator, Dr. Shelton currently serves as the Assistant Professor of Trumpet at the University of Utah School of Music. He has presented clinics and masterclasses at universities and conferences throughout the United States. His articles have been featured in the International Trumpet Guild Journal, and was a featured presenter at the 2019 ITG Conference in Miami, FL.

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