



TFE WORKSHOP  
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## MEET YOUR INSTRUCTOR

Dr. Brian Fentress, Professor of Music at the Academy of Music in Łódź, Poland, is an experienced educator and artist who consistently performs throughout Europe while simultaneously working as an academic professor at the Academy of Music in Łódź. He received his habilitation in vocal performance from the Academy of Music in Łódź (2019) and his PhD in artistic conducting from the Academy of Music in Gdańsk (2014). She also holds a master's degree in teacher education from the University of Phoenix (2006) and a bachelor's degree in music business from Alabama A&M University (2003).

Dr. Fentress specializes in conducting choral workshops and consultations in Poland and abroad. He has over 200 such events to his credit, during which he inspires and supports the development of young musicians. He has collaborated with such prominent artists as Aretha Franklin, Kirk Franklin, Fred Hammond, Kayah, Zbigniew Wodecki, Maryla Rodowicz, Edyta Górniak, Natalia Niemen, Mietek Szcześniak, TGD, and many more.

As a soloist and with vocal ensembles, he has participated in numerous concerts and artistic projects. He gained recognition as a finalist on *The Voice of Poland* (2018), as well as through performances at the TVN New Year's Eve concert (2019), the soundtrack of the film *Silent Twins* (2022), and the Christmas concert at the NOSPR (2020). His musical output includes singles such as 'Pillow Talk' and 'Temporary Love' (2023), the EPK 'Dawning' (2023), and the recording 'Live at the Rock Opera Praha' (2018), which formed the basis for the musical 'Nebsa.'

In 2023, he co-authored the book *Teaching Jazz: History, Theory, and Practice*, which presents his original 'Fentress conducting method', offering an innovative perspective on vocal education.

Dr. Fentress is dedicated to creating life-changing musical experiences and providing quality instruction for people from all walks of life. You can be sure that you will receive a high-quality and uplifting musical experience whenever Brian is present.



## TFE WORKSHOP

Experience an exhilarating journey where music meets community! The Fentress Experience Workshop is not just an event—it's a unique opportunity to forge new friendships and create unforgettable musical experiences. Whether you're an amateur or a seasoned professional, this workshop is designed for singers of all levels, allowing you to shine in a vibrant and supportive environment. Enjoy a variety of experiences, including a single evening event or a two-day weekend workshop that culminates in a final concert.

Led by the renowned Dr. Brian Fentress, a master of gospel music conducting, you'll explore the rich tapestry of gospel while enjoying selections from various genres. This eclectic approach creates a genuinely personalized musical adventure you won't want to miss! But that's not all! Participants will receive invaluable vocal techniques and insights into music history that they can carry into their future musical endeavors.

Join a singing experience that enhances your confidence and offers a safe space for self-expression, allowing you to contribute to creating beautiful music that resonates within you and with those around you.



## TFE VOCAL PROGRAM

Are you ready to dive deep into the world of ensemble singing and elevate your skills to new heights? The Fentress Experience Vocal Program is an exhilarating, tailored course perfectly designed to accommodate ensembles of any size. This transformative program focuses on vocal emission, improvisation, and the art of song interpretation and performance. Whether your ensemble chooses to immerse itself in a single weekend session, a week-long camp, or a series of engaging meetings throughout the year, this course promises an enriching experience.

This is more than just a singing workshop! You'll strengthen your group's bond through dynamic team-building activities, refine your unique vocal qualities to enhance the sound of the entire ensemble, and learn how to operate and perform as a cohesive unit. But that's not all! For those looking to culminate their experience in style, a concert featuring the talented Dr. Brian Fentress can be arranged upon request. Don't miss this opportunity to unlock your full vocal potential and create unforgettable musical memories together.



## WORKSHOP/VOCAL PROGRAM OPTIONS:

- One-Day Workshop
- Two-day Weekend Workshop (with concluding concert)
- Custom Vocal Program – flexible length to fit your needs

An interest form containing detailed organizational information and booking requirements for Dr. Fentress is available upon request.



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