

# Barbara Hankins

## Woodwinds



Barbara Hankins holds an ARCT diploma in clarinet performance from The Royal Conservatory of Music, an Associate Diploma from Mount Royal College, Bachelor of Music and Bachelor of Education degrees from the University of Calgary, and a Master of Music from the University of Toronto. She has played clarinet with the Kitchener-Waterloo Symphony since 1980 and, in addition to freelance performances, she appears regularly with the Licorice Allsorts Clarinet Quartet, the Kitchener-Waterloo Woodwind Quintet, and the Canadian Chamber Ensemble. Her orchestral work includes coaching woodwind sectionals for the Kitchener-Waterloo Symphony Youth Orchestra and she is active as an adjudicator for Kiwanis Music Festivals throughout Ontario.

Ms Hankins is a former faculty member of The Royal Conservatory of Music, where she served for five years as chair of the Orchestral Instruments Department. Currently she teaches at Wilfrid Laurier University, Waterloo and maintains a private studio where she teaches clarinet, theory, and chamber music. Barbara Hankins has also contributed to publications of RCM Examinations, including the Woodwind Syllabus, 2006 edition.