

Judy Hyland Piano



Degrees and Studies:

Judy Hyland graduated cum laude from St. Ambrose University (SAU) in Davenport, IA, with Bachelor of Arts degrees in both Music and Modern Languages. She received a Master of Music degree from the University of Iowa, studying with Kerry Grippe.

Biographical Information:

Ms. Hyland holds the Music Teachers National Association Permanent National Professional Certification in both Piano and Music Theory. She also serves as an instructor for Yamaha's "Passport to Music".

Maintaining an independent studio in the Quad Cities, Ms. Hyland teaches piano, music theory, and composition to students of all ages and ability levels, both individually and in groups. She taught at Marycrest International University before joining the SAU faculty in 1994; there she teaches piano, class piano, and music theory, and accompanies vocal and instrumental soloists.

Ms. Hyland holds offices in several local and state music organizations including Federated Music Teachers Association, Iowa Federation of Music Clubs, Quad City Music Teachers Association, and the Iowa Music Teachers Association. She is a member of American Association of University Professors and served as Secretary for the SAU-AAUP Chapter. She founded Quad City Music Teachers Association in 1989 and also co-founded their annual Monster Concert.

Ms. Hyland adjudicates auditions, festivals, and competitions, and has been a clinician, speaker, and performer for local, state, and national programs and conferences. She is a founding member of the "Digital Dames", a 5-member keyboard ensemble, and has performed with Friends of Chamber as well as with area colleagues. Judy has authored and has been awarded numerous grants for various arts projects. Several of Judy's articles have been published in the Iowa Music Teacher, The Sounding Board, NFMC Music Clubs Magazine, and The American Music Teacher.

