

Shelagh is a veteran New York City freelance musician with over 20 years of performance experience including long-running Broadway musical contracts, Original Cast Album recordings, live stadium concerts, opera, symphonic, ballet and chamber music performances, awards shows, Original Motion Picture Film scores, media themes, radio jingles, and Live Network Television. Shelagh is widely known for her warm assertive, and expressive playing style, no-nonsense approach to the business of music and superb collaborative skills. Moreover, she understands how the world of the creative and performing arts works as both a creative performer and businessperson. Politically active within Local 802 AFM, Musicians for Change, The Vermont Symphony Orchestra, NY Pops/Kids on Stage, Broadway Cares Equity Fights Aids, The Boston University Tanglewood Institute to name just a few of Shelagh's active network communities. When Shelagh is not playing long tones, she's gardening, cooking, and riding her Peloton. Degrees earned: B.A. Boston College, M.M. UMASS (At Amherst), A.D. The New England Conservatory of Music. For more info & background, visit www.shelaghabate.com.