



A native of Queens, NY, **Jeff Scott** started the French horn at age 14, receiving an anonymous gift scholarship to begin his private study and formal introduction to music theory with the Brooklyn College Preparatory Division. An even greater gift came from his first private teacher Carolyn Clark, who taught the young Mr. Scott for free during his high school years, giving him the opportunity to study music when resources were not available.

Since receiving degrees from Manhattan School of Music, '90 and SUNY at Stony Brook, '92, Mr. Scott has enjoyed a performance career as a

studio, chamber, and orchestral musician, performing in Broadway shows, Ballet companies, touring with various commercial artists as well as recording for film, classical music, pop music and jazz music.

Mr. Scott's composing credits include original works for symphonic and chamber orchestra, chorus, chamber ensembles and solo works for winds, brass, strings and voice.

In 2021 Mr. Scott, a founding member of the internationally acclaimed wind quintet "Imani Winds", retired after 24 years groundbreaking years of touring and recording and pedagogy. The quintet was honored with a permanent installation at the Smithsonian Museum of African American History in 2017.

Mr. Scott was recently appointed Associate Professor of Horn at Oberlin College and Conservatory.