Colorado Mesa University’s Department of Music and the Grand Junction Symphony seek a dynamic oboe teacher and performer.

**ESSENTIAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:** Recruit for and maintain a vibrant oboe studio at CMU and perform in the faculty woodwind quintet. Other responsibilities at CMU include teaching two sections of Music Appreciation, one section of The History of Popular Music, providing oboe lessons and coaching chamber music. The standard teaching load is 12 credit hours per semester (24 per year). This position also serves as principal oboe of the Grand Junction Symphony (under separate contract).

**REQUIRED EDUCATION & EXPERIENCE:** A Master’s degree from an accredited institution is required, with preference given to those who demonstrate exceptional experience and proven success teaching and performing on oboe. Doctoral degree preferred.

**DESIRED QUALIFICATIONS/EXPERIENCE:** Experience teaching oboe at the college/university level, proven experience recruiting oboe students, and experience in the field of arts leadership and entrepreneurship.

Colorado Mesa University is particularly interested in candidates who have experience working with students from diverse backgrounds and who have a demonstrated commitment to improving the levels of access and success for underrepresented students within higher education.

**TYPE OF APPOINTMENT:** Lecturer of Music for CMU (full-time, non-tenure track), and Principal Oboe for the Grand Junction Symphony (part-time, per service basis), to begin August 10, 2016. Both positions are yearly, renewable assignments.

**SALARY:** Commensurate with education and experience. Excellent health and retirement benefits package.

**APPLICATION DEADLINE:** Open until filled. To ensure consideration, complete applications must be received by January 15, 2016.

**APPLICATION:**
Submit a cover letter describing qualifications and experience as they relate to the specific requirements, responsibilities, and preferences of this position, current resume, recordings in CD/DVD format or links to audio/video of solo oboe performances and chamber ensemble performances (optional), a copy of transcripts for all degrees completed (official transcripts will be required upon hire), the names, phone numbers and e-mail addresses of three professional references, and the following completed forms:
- Applicant Authorization to permit Search Committee members to review candidate transcript
- Applicant Authorization and Release to Conduct Reference and Background Check form
- Voluntary Affirmative Action form

Mail to:
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*Colorado Mesa University is committed to providing a safe and productive learning and living community. To achieve that goal, we conduct background investigations for all final applicants being considered for employment. Background investigations include reference checks, a criminal history record check, and when appropriate, a financial and/or motor vehicle history. Applicant must be able to verify U.S. employment eligibility. Colorado Mesa University is an Equal Opportunity Employer, committed to a culturally diverse faculty, staff and student body. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply.*