

*Nichols Martin*

**Trombone**

A member of the Allentown Symphony Orchestra for 15 years and a professional musician for over 25, Nicholas Martin is one of the ASO's musicians in need of a sponsor. Though he plays the trombone in ASO concerts, Nicholas can also play the bass trombone, tuba, alto tuba, euphonium, and bass trumpet. He is also a member of the Orchestra of St. Peter by the Sea and the Norwalk Symphony Orchestra. In addition to teaching music and performing, Nicholas is an aspiring jazz artist.

In his time with the ASO, Nicholas's favorite concert was the 2011-2012 season's opening concert, in which Empire Brass joined the ASO to perform Janáček's Sinfonietta. "[The] trombonist of Empire Brass...complimented me on my solo," he says of the experience that has stayed with him years later.

Originally from Los Angeles, CA, and now living in Staten Island, NY, Nicholas recommends Queen City Diner and Dunderbak's to people looking for a good meal in Allentown.