

From the drum set Sherrie leads The **DIVA** Jazz Orchestra, her quintet FIVE PLAY and co-leads the **3D** Jazz Trio. She is also a busy freelance performer and a published composer/arranger.

With her bands Sherrie has performed at many of the world's most acclaimed music venues and festivals, from Lincoln Center to the Hollywood Bowl, to Jazz Festivals in Germany, Switzerland, France, Portugal, Ireland, Croatia, Japan, Vietnam, Israel and beyond. Additionally Sherrie and **DIVA** were featured at the NEA Jazz Master's Awards Ceremony, on the soundtrack for the NBC-Macy's Fireworks Spectacular and on TCM's broadcast of the 25th Anniversary of the Kennedy Center. The band also co-stars in the award-winning documentary film *The Girls in the Band*.

Sherrie has received several awards and honors which include the 2023 Yamaha Music in Education, Legacy Award; 2022 Ronald McDonald House – New York's *Music for Hope* award; 2014 Ovation award for "*Best Music Direction*" in *Tappin Thru Life*; the 2009 Mary Lou Williams-Kennedy Center *Lifetime Achievement Award*.

Sherrie runs a private drum set studio in West Chester, PA and from coast-to-coast she serves as a guest conductor, soloist, and adjudicator for professional, collegiate and high school jazz festivals.

In 2000 Sherrie earned a PhD in Jazz performance and composition from New York University.

Sherrie's recent recordings include *The **DIVA** Jazz Orchestra – Tappin Thru Life* (2025), *The **DIVA** Jazz Orchestra "30"* (2023), *The 3D Jazz Trio 9 to 5* (2022) and *FIVE PLAY "LIVE" at The Firehouse Stage* (2019)