## **Fiona Murray**

## Woodwind Tutor - Junior Concert Band

Originally from South Lanarkshire, Fiona completed her BA in Applied Music at the University of Strathclyde, specialising in the flute, before moving to Edinburgh to gain her MA in Arts and Cultural Management at Queen Margaret University.

Fiona has spent the last 10 years collaborating with a range of organisations, festivals and venues, most recently running family friendly workshops, immersive music events and facilitating heritage and music learning for all ages.

Fiona also worked at St Giles' Cathedral, managing and developing the music concerts and Gaelic events programs and regularly collaborating with the Edinburgh Fringe Festival, while also being involved with a number of other music festivals, such as the Scots Fiddle Festival.

On returning to Glasgow last year, Fiona dabbled for a brief time in Gaelic theatre before moving on to work as an Events Manager for the National Trust for Scotland and is now currently studying towards her PGDE in Secondary School Music Education at the Royal Conservatoire of Scotland.

In her free time, Fiona is a keen learner and promoter of the Gaelic language, having attended a number of short courses at Sabhal Mor Ostaig. Fiona can usually be found in the great outdoors mountain climbing in Scotland and abroad, having trekked across the Atlas Mountains in Morocco and the Dolomites in Italy. She also enjoys a number of extreme sports such as mountain biking and snowboarding, as well as being a keen shinty player for Tayforth women's team.