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Under his direction, the Acadia band program received recognition for outstanding performance at festivals across western Canada and the northern United States. In 2011, Acadia's grade 9 ensembles participated in the Canadian Music Educators' Association's performance awards program, in which they were awarded the Robert Rosevear Award and the Don Wright Award as the most outstanding junior high concert band and jazz band performances nationally.

Darryl is active as an adjudicator, guest conductor, clinician, and freelance trumpet player. He also serves as a sessional instructor and applied trumpet teacher at Canadian Mennonite University. He has studied conducting as a part of the Canadian Wind Conductors Development Program. He is also the director of the Rupertsland Brass Band. He and his wife Cheryl have two sons, Sam and Nate.