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OCVTS Program: Audio for Electronic Media, Lakehurst Center – Bill Bourke (left) and Zack Slater (right),  
Instructors

Student: Jeff Kalemba (center)

Employer: Canyon Music Studio, Toms River - Jeff Kalemba, Manager

According to Jeff Kalemba, “OCVTS’s Audio Recording Program at the Navy Lakehurst Center gave him hands-on experience in a professional environment. It also gave him access to a vast network of professional artists and instructors with real word experience.” Since graduating OCVTS, Jeff has worked in many different areas of audio. Some of these include live sound reinforcement at the Water’s Edge, studio recording and producing at his own professional studio - Canyon Music Studio, as well as his own amplifier and speaker repair shop. Jeff is also an accomplished musician. He has played in his own band, Ropetree, for many years and is also a published songwriter for film & network television. In addition, Jeff has worked with many notable industry professionals, some of these include The Atartis, Nathan East, Eric Clapton, Anton Fig, and Kenny Arnoff.”

Bill Bourke had some complimentary remarks to share... “Jeff was a post-secondary student, class of 2012. He was a superior student who performed at the top of his class. Jeff was a leader in the studio and during recording sessions. Since graduation, Jeff has continued to give back to our school. He was a substitute teacher, as well as, an additional instructor for the adult class. Jeff is always very professional and personable. He currently owns and operates his own recording studio and guitar amplifier repair shop, Canyon Studios. Jeff was a post-secondary student for 2001-2002. He was a superior student who always performed at the top of his class. He was a leader in the studio and during recording sessions. Since his graduation Jeff has continued to give back to our school. He was substitute teacher for a period of time, as well as, an additional instructor for the adult class. Jeff is always very professional and personable. He currently owns and operates his own recording studio and guitar amplifier repair shop, Canyon Studios. Jeff is part of our advisory committee and is a great advocate for Audio for Electronic Media.”