



Furman Music

MUS 195 February 2-4, 2012 SCMEA In-Service Conference (Graduate Credit)

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Welcome to Charleston and the 2012 SCMEA In-Service Conference. This year's conference promises to be especially exciting. Please read below the requirements and process for obtaining graduate credit through Furman University for this workshop.

1. **Attend 15 clock hours of sessions.**

In addition to regular sessions, you may count concerts, banquets (if there is a program and a speaker), divisional business meetings, and exhibit time viewing curricular materials.

2. **Keep a diary of the events you attend. Provide me with a document that includes a BRIEF 3-4 sentence summation of each event you attend. (REQUIRED) This does not need be a lengthy transcript, but rather a synopsis of the things you learned or observed at each event. Evaluate the sessions as you deem appropriate, but a possible line of thought may be:**

- a. Which clinician did you think was most effective and why?
- b. Did you hear any new music or find materials that would be effective in your teaching situation?
- c. Did you gather any advice or materials on advocacy that can assist you in your teaching situation?
- d. Would you recommend the clinician to a colleague?
- e. How did the conference/session help you grow as a musician a/o teacher?

Because of the reduced fee structure for this year's course, there will be no faculty response to the document you present.

3. **In order for your transcript to be sent to your State Department of Education, please contact the Office of Academic Records by using this website:**
<http://www.furman.edu/registrar/records/html>.

There is a five-dollar fee for this transcript service.

To receive credit promptly, please send me your document by Monday, February 20, 2012. If you prefer, you can send your document via email: les.hicken@furman.edu

4. **Grades received by the above deadline will be posted at the end of spring semester.**