

SCMEA Collegiate Newsletter



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A LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

SCMEA Collegiate Members,

I hope that you are reading this message as you wrap up a successful and somewhat more “normal” semester. Whether it was your first time or your fourth time, thank you for purchasing your collegiate membership so early in the school year! As I am writing this letter in early October, there are almost three times as many collegiate members of SCMEA as there were at the same time last year.

As a collegiate executive board, we are committed to making your membership as valuable as possible. As part of that value, there will be five collegiate-specific sessions at the SCMEA Professional Development Conference in February. The content of these sessions will include using social media as a pedagogical resource, preparing for your job interviews, avoiding the mistakes of new music teachers, and more. Additionally, a single-day conference for collegiate members is in the works for Spring 2021.

Remember to stay connected with us via our social media accounts. Our Instagram is @scmea.collegiate and our Facebook page is SCMEA Collegiate Membership.

Also, remember to check scmea.net for the collegiate membership website launching soon.

Sincerely,
Will Ellison
Winthrop University



CHAPTER SPOTLIGHT



Anderson University, Chapter 1027

The first NAFME Collegiate chapter spotlight is Anderson University!

In preparation for next semesters' SCMEA Conference in February, Anderson University's NAFME Collegiate chapter has had a few fundraisers to raise money so that their members can be sent to the conference with minimal cost. The chapter has also held social events and networking stands to let more students know about NAFME and the perks of membership. Along with everything else during the length of this past semester, AU's chapter has reached out to local schools in the Anderson districts to offer their assistance in tutoring and offering private lessons.

Pictured is the Anderson chapter gathering outside during the semester!

Want to be the next chapter in the spotlight?

Email collegiate@scmea.net with information on your chapter name, chapter number, and fun things your chapter has done to potentially be the next chapter to have the spotlight!

WINNER ANNOUNCED

At the beginning of the Fall 2021 semester, SCMEA Collegiate held a membership competition between each college/university in South Carolina. The school with the highest percentage of its music education majors holding NAFME/SCMEA Membership by October 15th won, and five of the members from that school were chosen at random to receive FREE registration to the conference in February!

The winner of the competition is Furman University, with 40% of their music education majors having a NAFME/SCMEA membership!

Congratulations to the Furman University chapter!



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SCMEA Conference Details: Collegiate-Specific Sessions*

FRIDAY, 2/4/22

8:00-9:00 AM

Finding Your Tribe: Using Social Media to Crowd Source Pedagogy/Curriculum Ideas

Location: Congaree A

Clinician: Brandon Graves

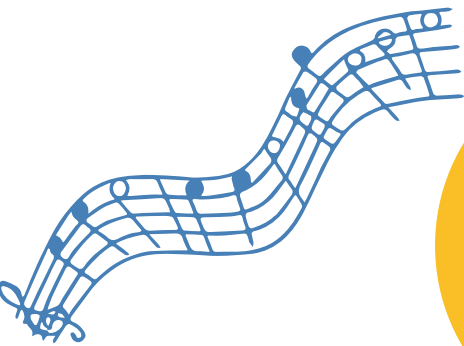


2:15-3:15 PM

Get a Mentor!

Location: Congaree A

Clinician: Lia Alexandria Snead



4:45-5:45 PM

How to Survive Your First Year of Teaching

Location: Congaree A

Clinician: Dr. Patrick Moore



SCMEA Conference Details: Collegiate-Specific Sessions*

SATURDAY, 2/5/22

8:00-9:00 AM

Preparing for Your Interview

Location: Richland A

Clinician: Dr. Adam Scheuch

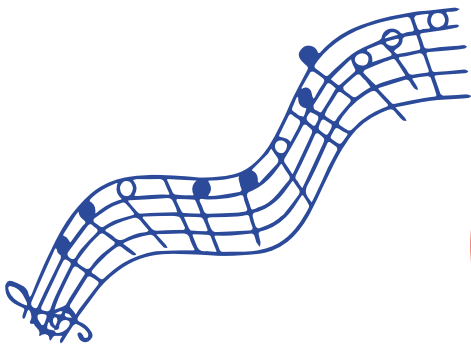


12:00-1:00 PM

Mistakes of Young Band Directors

Location: Richland A

Clinician: Dr. Patrick Moore



3:30 PM

Collegiate Division Business Meeting

Location: Richland B & C

Presiding: Will Ellison



NAfME Collegiate Membership/Fees

Have you renewed your NAFME
Collegiate membership?

If not, take advantage of the
collegiate discount and get the
fullest out of your membership by
renewing today!



Renewed and joined memberships
will expire on June 30th, 2022.

***SCMEA Conference fees for Collegiate
members are as follows:**

On or before January 15th, 2022: \$15

After January 15th, 2022: \$30

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