

**83rd Annual In-Service Virtual
Workshop/Conference Schedule**
(Dates, Times, and Sessions are subject to change)
2021



Wednesday, January 27

Pre-Sessions

4:00-6:00 **How to Teach Guitar Like a Pro in 5 Easy Steps**.....Traci Bolton
4:00-5:50 **Children’s Singing Games from Ghana, West Africa**Karen Howard
5:00-5:50 **Children’s Singing Games from Tanzania, East Africa**.....Karen Howard

7:00 pm **Conference Opening**.....Chris Sprague
7:-15-8:00 **Teaching ON-and-OFF the Podium: The Importance of Role Modeling**
Keynote Address..... Dr. Tim Lautzenheiser

8:15-9:05 **A Practical Approach to Variety in Sound**
Choral Session.....Dr. Brad Holmes

World Music Pedagogy in the Elementary Classroom
Elementary Session.....Karen Howard

Gaming the Classroom Keeping Students Engaged & On Their Toes Through Meaningful Activities, Pacing, & Rehearsal Strategies
Orchestra Session.....Dr. Laurie Williams

Five Easy Steps for a Superior Percussion Section
Band SessionDr. Jeffrey Barudin



Thursday, January 28

6:00-6:50

Mental Health 101: Strategies for Students

General Music Session.....Julie Karlson/Amy Hill

7:00-7:50

Jazz Education....For ALL!

Jazz Session.....Ronnie Rios

Creating an Anti-Racist Elementary Music Curriculum

General Music Session.....Karen Howard

A Roadmap to Ensemble Students Owning Creativity and Musical Choice

College/University Session.....Dr. Armand Hall

7:30-8:20

Choral Classroom Sight Reading Factory Best Practices

Choral Session.....Patrick Dell/Melynda Lamb

Expressive Gesture from Your Musician's Perspective: What Ensembles Really Want and Need, and How Conductors Miss the Mark

Orchestra Session.....Dr. Robert Pippin

Easy Assessment on Any Device

Technology Session.....Jim Frankel

8:00-8:50

Transitions: Where the Magic Happens

Elementary Session.....Katie Schisler

It's Just Intonation - Strategies for Improving Ensemble Intonation

Band Session.....Dr. Christopher Brandt

Mental Health 101: A Roundtable Discussion

General Music Session.....Julie Karlson/Amy Hill



Friday, January 29

9:00am-9:45	Sharing the Value of MusicTri-M Session...Dr. Tim Lautzenheiser
2:00pm-2:45	Sharing the Value of Music Tri-M Session...Dr. Tim Lautzenheiser
7:00-7:50	The Healed Arts Classroom: Deep Breaths into A New Normal Equity Session.....Robert Battle
	A Practical Method for Developing Expressive Conducting Band Session.....Dr. Christopher Kaatz
7:30-8:20	MSHSSAA UpdateDavine Davis
8:00-8:50	From Music Education to Global Change: Empowering PK-12 Learners to Civically Engage with Global IssuesAdvancing Music Education Session.....Beth Davey
	Paint Me a Story: Diverse Picture Books in the Music Classroom MIO SM Session.....Elizabeth Tummons
	Diversify Your Music Program Multicultural Session.....Dr. Adrianna Marshall
	Music Software Integrations for Google Classroom Technology Session.....Jim Frankel
9:00-11:00	Virtual Mixer

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Saturday, January 30

9:00-12:00	MMEA Mentoring Sessions Mentoring Sessions.....Steve Litwiller
9:00-9:50	MOAJE Reading Session Jazz Session.....Chris Becker
	Choral Reading Session: Advanced Middle School Through College Choral Session.....Susan LaBarr
	Music Class is LIT: Lessons in Creative Teaching for the General Music Class General Music Session.....Dr. Kiana Williams
9:00-9:45	Retired Members Virtual CoffeeBuddy Hannaford
10:00-10:50	Leadership and Sustainability Band Session.....Nolyn Jager Loyde
	Music Education and Social Emotional Learning: Now More Than Ever SMTE Session.....Scott Edgar
	Jazz Up Your Classroom: Sing, Say, Dance and Play - with Jazz! Elementary Session.....James Eldreth
12:00pm-1:30	Panel Discussion: What Every Future Educator Should Know NAfME-C Session.....Mark Lawley, Susan Fox, Juliana Beatie
1:00-3:00	Research Poster Session MMEA Research Session.....Wendy Sims
3:00-5:00	University Receptions

Sunday, January 31

7:00-9:00pm	Affiliate Meetings
	MBA.....Paul Fliege
	MCDA.....Stephen Rew
	MOAJE.....Grant Maledy
	7:00-7:30.....Business Meeting
	7:30-8:00..... FOCUS on FUNdamentalsLauren Sevian
	MoASTA..... Meet the Conductor: Sey AhnAndy Johnston



Monday, February 1

7:00-7:50

////Slashin' Away////

Jazz Session.....Derek Limback

Creating & Improvising in the Music Classroom: Orff and MLT - A Meeting of the Minds.....General Music Session.....Joan Eckroth-Riley Wendy Van Gent

Double Bass Codification, or Lack Thereof: How Can I Expand My Double Bass Players' Options?..... Orchestra Session.....Matt McGrory

Jump Into Music Technology Without Drowning

Technology Session.....Renee Tarczon

Speaking Up and Playing Out: How to Advocate for You and Your Program

College/University Session.....Dr. Jackie Skara

8:00-8:50

Buying In: How to Foster a Culture of Commitment and Positivity in our Ensembles, Community, and Profession

Band Session.....Dr. Katy Strickland/Dr. Elise Hepworth

Rethinking Rhythm

Choral Session.....Dr. Patrick Dill

Bringing Joy in a Virtual Choir

Elementary SessionMaria Ellis

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We'll See You Next Year!



Tuesday February 2

- 7:00-7:50 **"But That Doesn't Work in Music!": A Guide for Productive Dialogue and Growth in Teacher Evaluation**....Advancing Music Education Session....Cara Bernard
- A Rhythm a Day Teaches Students to Play**
Technology Session.....Laura Vaughan
- "I Thought Music Was the Great Equalizer"**
Equity Session.....James Melton
- Nurturing Musical Creativity in Beginning Instrumental Instruction**
Orchestra Session.....Chris Livesay
- 7:30-8:20 **Experiences of Missouri Music Educators: A Panel Discussion on Race and Diversity in Music Education**
SMTE Panelist Discussion....Dr. Adrianna Marshall/Dr. Daniel Hellman
- 8:00-8:50 **Mental Health First Aid Kit: Practical Ways to Support All Students**
Choir Session.....Lorraine Smith/Dr. Erin Steep
- Jump Ropes, Bouncing, and Clapping Games (Bringing the Games of the Playground Back to Life)**.....Elementary Session.....Rene' Spencer
- MoASTA Business Meeting**.....Andy Johnston

Wednesday, February 3

- 6:45-8:00 **Second General Session**.....Chris Sprague
2022-2024 MMEA Candidate Introductions
Special Guest Speaker

Close of Conference



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