



Ohio Music Teachers Association
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Greetings!

Summer is now in full swing with Fall just around the corner. As we prepare for the upcoming year, I would like to give a brief overview of what to expect. This set of E-notes will be dedicated to the [2014 Fall Conference](#) being held October 16-18, 2014 at Wilmington College, in Wilmington, OH. Registration is officially open today.

Conference Artist, Presenters, and Commissioned Composer

- **Louis Nagel, Conference Artist**, is a graduate of the Juilliard School and student of Rosina Lhevinne and Josef Raieff, has been performing before the public for over sixty years. He has served on the faculty of the University of Michigan since 1969, and has taught and performed at the Sydney Australia Conservatorium, Donghai University in Taiwan, The Rubin Academy in Jerusalem, the Adamant Music Festival in Vermont, and for thirteen summers at the National Music Camp in Interlochen, Michigan. His performances have taken him to festivals in Italy, Poland, St. Petersburg, (Russia) and Michigan's Pine Mountain Festival in the Upper Peninsula. He has given Town Hall Weill Auditorium and Steinway Hall recitals in New York City.
- **Julie Jaffee Nagel, Featured Presenter**, Ph.D. is a graduate of the Juilliard School, The University of Michigan, and The Michigan Psychoanalytic Institute. She is known locally, nationally, and internationally for her writing, presentations, and clinical work in performance anxiety, music and emotion and career choice/change. Dr. Nagel has won numerous awards for her work. Her book, "Melodies of the Mind", which explores how music is a pathway to emotion and how music can be used for social and psychological purposes outside the concert hall and consulting room, is receiving wide acclaim as being both scholarly and readable.
- **Ty Alan Emerson, Commissioned Composer**: Louisville Courier-Journal music critic Andrew Adler wrote of Ty Alan Emerson's award winning piano trio Dedications that it "possessed surprising emotional resonance and was quite expertly wrought." Cleveland radio personality and music critic Eric Kisch stated, "This is a young man with a great future ahead of him. I look forward to many musical experiences from his pen."
- **Other Presenters include**: Dr. Cole Burger, Dr. Scott Donald, Rita Hauck, Rachel Kramer, Joy Morin, Clinton Pratt, Gloria Pugh, Sheila Vail and Dr. Jerry Wong
- **Collegiate Poster Sessions** will held again this year. Awards will be given to the top three posters submitted by the Collegiate Chapter. 1st, 2nd and 3rd prizes will be awarded \$250, \$150 and \$100 respectively. Please review the [Poster Session Flyer](#) for complete details.

- **Future Conferences:** for information regarding Session Proposal for selection of the Composer of the year please select [Proposal Submission Requirements](#) for deadlines and other important information.

All Conference Details are currently on-line at
<http://www.ohiomta.org/conferences.html>

To register on-line click this link: [OhioMTA Conference Registration](#)

To reserve a room click this link and use the Group Code OMT:
[Hampton Inn and Suites, Wilmington, OH](#)

Looking forward to meeting everyone at the Fall Conference October 16-18, 2014 in Wilmington, OH.

Sincerely,
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OhioMTA President