October 1, 2015 Ohio Music Teachers Association Affiliated with Music Teachers National Association

Dear Member,

OhioMTA State Conference - November 12-14 Sheraton Columbus at Capital Square



Registration is underway for the 2015 State Conference!

Antonio Pompa-Baldi, Dr. Rozalie Levant, Leila Viss, and a host of presenters from our own state headline the many wonderful sessions offered during this 3-day event.

Register soon to receive the early-bird rate of \$95, available until October 30, 2015 with student fees only \$25. A group rate is available at the Sheraton Hotel until October 22. Reserve your space now!

Collegiate Chapter Poster Sessions at the OhioMTA State Conference

Application Deadline: Friday, October 16, 2015

Proposals for <u>Collegiate Poster Sessions</u> are now being accepted for the 2015 State Conference. Topics may include pedagogy projects, collegiate chapter activities, professional development, and community outreach, to name just a few. Proposals for individual posters may also be submitted.

MTNA Grants

Application Deadline: January 4, 2016

Teacher, Affiliate, and Collegiate Chapter grant applications are now available from MTNA. Visit MTNA Grants for more information.

2016 Commissioned Composer - Call for Scores

Application Deadline: November 15, 2015

Congratulations to Austin Jaquith, the 2015 OhioMTA Commissioned Composer! His commissioned piece will be performed at the 2015 State Conference and submitted to MTNA for consideration in their Distinguished Composer of the Year competition.

OhioMTA invites composers from around the state to submit scores for 2016 Commissioned Composer consideration. If interested, please send your CV, a score of your choice (with recording) to Margarita Denenburg at mdenenbu@heidelberg.edu. Scores and recordings can be online or hard copy. If you wish the score to be returned to you, please include a self-addressed stamped envelope.

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MTNA State Competition - Oct. 9-11

Bowling Green State University

Good luck to all the competitors at the MTNA State Competition, October 9-11! A special thanks to all the coordinators, teachers, and participants of this wonderful event!

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President, OhioMTA

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