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## Full Schedule: Montréal Organ Festival

Presented by the Canadian International Organ Competition, the Royal Canadian College of Organists, and the American Guild of Organists

JULY 1–7, 2017

(For more details, visit [www.montrealorganfestival.org](http://www.montrealorganfestival.org))

Thursday, June 29

**RCCO National Playing Competition)**

**2:00 PM – 5:00 PM**

**7:00 PM – 10:00 PM**

Friday, June 30

**Registration desk open (Sheraton Hotel)**

**3:00 PM – 9:00 PM**

Saturday, July 1 (Pre-Festival Day\*\*)

**Registration desk open (Sheraton Hotel)**

**8:00 AM – 8:00 PM**

**Buses depart from Sheraton for RCCO Competition**

**9:15 AM**

**RCCO National Competition /  
AGO Regional Competition**

**10:00 AM – 2:00 PM**

Competitions for young artists at St. James United Church (AGO) and the Très-Saint-Nom-de-Jésus Church (RCCO)

**Concert: The Elora Singers**

**3:30 PM – 5:00 PM**

Gésù Church

**Concert**

**8:00 PM**

Notre-Dame Basilica, **Pierre Grandmaison**, organ

**Rooftop terrace cocktail party (with view of Canada-Day fireworks)**

**10:00 PM**

Montréal 360° Space (Pointe-à-Callière Museum)

Sunday, July 2

**Registration desk open (Sheraton Hotel)**

**10:00 AM – 7:00 PM**

**Organ Unleashed!**

**12:00 PM – 3:00 PM**

A three-hour outdoor organ extravaganza, featuring a performance by **Alcée Chriss III**, demos, and a silent film with **Peter Krasinski**. Takes place at Place d'armes, just outside of Notre-Dame Basilica.

<b>McGill Student Organ Academy Closing Concert</b> (Academy students) St. James United Church	<b>1:00 PM – 2:00 PM</b>
<b>Buses leave for Oratory</b> (Bus times to be confirmed at registration desk)	<b>1:45 PM – 2:45 PM</b>
<b>Concert: Nathan Laube</b> Oratoire Saint-Joseph, in collaboration with the Oratory concert series	<b>3:30 PM</b>
<b>Exhibits Open</b> Sheraton Hotel	<b>5:00 – 7:30 PM</b>
<b>RCCO National Council</b> Church of St. Andrew and St. Paul	<b>5:00 PM – 7:30 PM</b>
<b>AGO Regional Leadership Meeting</b> Church of St. Andrew and St. Paul	<b>5:00 PM – 7:30 PM</b>
<b>Festival Opening Concert:</b> <b>Mélanie Barney</b> with <b>Buzz</b> brass ensemble; <b>Rachel Mahon</b> and <b>Sarah Svendsen</b> <b>(Organized Crime Duo)</b> The Church of St. Andrew & St. Paul	<b>8:00 PM</b>

*Sponsored by the Godfrey Hewitt Memorial Fund*

<b>Exhibits Open</b> Sheraton Hotel	<b>10:00 PM – 12:00 AM</b>
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Monday, July 3

<b>Registration desk open (Sheraton Hotel)</b>	<b>7:00 AM – 1:30 PM</b>
<b>Opening Service</b> Church of St. Andrew & St. Paul, <b>Jonathan Oldengarm</b> , organ, and the Choir of St. Andrew & St. Paul. Featuring world premieres of newly-commissioned choral works by <b>John Burge</b> and <b>Mark Sirett</b> .	<b>9:00 AM</b>
<b>Workshops (Various locations)</b>	<b>11:00 AM – 12:00 PM</b>
<b>Exhibits Open</b> Sheraton Hotel	<b>11:00 PM – 3:00 PM</b>
<b>RCCO Annual General Meeting</b> Sheraton Hotel, Salon 6	<b>1:30 PM – 2:45 PM</b>
<b>AGO Regional Meeting</b> Sheraton Hotel, Salon 7	<b>1:30 PM – 2:45 PM</b>
<b>Registration desk open (Sheraton Hotel)</b>	<b>3:00 PM – 5:00 PM</b>
<b>Workshops (Various locations)</b>	<b>3:00 PM – 4:30 PM</b>
<b>Happy-Hour Concert (Option A)</b> St. John the Evangelist, <b>Federico Andreoni</b> , organ	<b>5:00 PM</b>
<b>Happy-Hour Concert (Option B):</b> Saint-Jean Baptiste Church, <b>Stephen Boda</b> and <b>Colin MacKnight</b> <i>Godfrey Hewitt Annual Memorial Recital</i>	<b>5:00 PM</b>
<b>Choral Evensong (Option C): The Choir of King's College London</b> Christ Church Cathedral	<b>5:00 PM</b>

<b>Bus departure for evening concert</b> Sheraton Hotel	<b>7:15 PM</b>
<b>Concert</b> Immaculée-Conception, <b>Hans-Ola Ericsson</b> , organ	<b>8:00 PM</b>
<b>Registration desk open (Sheraton Hotel)</b>	<b>10:00 PM – 11:00 PM</b>
<b>Exhibits Open</b> Sheraton Hotel	<b>10:00 PM – 12:00 AM</b>

Tuesday, July 4

<b>Registration desk open (Sheraton Hotel)</b>	<b>7:00 AM – 9:00 AM</b>
<b>Buses load at the Sheraton for the Guided Tour*</b>	<b>8:00 AM – 8:15 AM</b>
<b>Buses depart the Sheraton for the Guided Tour*</b> <i>*Please note: to space limitations in the organ loft, you must be registered for the Guided Tour in order to attend</i>	<b>8:15 AM</b>
<b>Buses depart from Sheraton for the Oratory Concert</b> Buses will depart every 5-10mins or as quickly as they are filled to capacity	<b>8:45 AM – 9:15 AM</b>
<b>Guided Tour</b> The organs of l'Oratoire Saint-Joseph	<b>9:00 AM</b>
<b>Concert</b> Oratoire Saint-Joseph, <b>Vincent Boucher</b> , organ	<b>10:00 AM – 11:00 AM</b>
<b>Buses depart the Oratoire Saint-Joseph for options A, B, C, and Hotel</b> Please bring your concert tickets in order to board the designated bus	<b>11:15 AM</b>
<b>Option A: Guided Tour and boxed lunch</b> Workshop of <b>Juget-Sinclair</b> organ builders	<b>12:00 PM – 2:00 PM</b>
<b>Option B: Boxed lunch and Concert</b> Saint-Gilbert church, <b>Katelyn Emerson</b> (2016 NYACOP winner), organ	<b>12:30 PM – 1:30 PM</b>
<b>Option C: Boxed lunch and Concert</b> Mountainside United Church, <b>John Grew</b> , organ	<b>12:30 PM – 1:30 PM</b>
<b>Option D: Concert</b> St. James United Church, <b>Rashann Allwood</b> , organ	<b>12:30 PM</b>
<b>Buses leave Sheraton for Cherry Rhodes Concert</b>	<b>2:00 PM</b>
<b>Concert</b> Saints-Anges (Lachine), <b>Cherry Rhodes</b> , organ <i>This concert has been generously sponsored by Dr. John B. Herrington III, in memory of Dr. Robert B. Scoggins, Sr. (1933-2016), a longtime friend and supporter of Cherry Rhodes</i>	<b>3:00 PM – 4:00 PM</b>
<b>Happy-Hour Concert (Option A)</b> St. Mathias' Anglican Church, <b>Monica Czausz</b> and <b>Nicholas Capozzoli</b> , organ	<b>5:00 PM – 5:45 PM</b>
<b>Happy-Hour Concert (Option B)</b> Grand Séminaire. <b>Mária Budáčová</b> and <b>Jonathan Vromet</b> , organ	<b>5:00 PM – 5:45 PM</b>
<b>Happy-Hour Concert (Option C)</b> Église Saint-Léon-de-Westmount, <b>Mireille Lagacé</b> , organ	<b>5:00 PM – 5:45 PM</b>
<b>Choral Evensong (Option D): The Choir of King's College London</b> Christ Church Cathedral	<b>5:00 PM – 5:45 PM</b>

**Concert** 8:00 PM  
Cathédrale Marie-Reine-du-Monde, **Roomful of Teeth**

**Festival Cocktail Party** 10:00 PM  
Au Sommet Place Ville Marie (<http://www.ausommetplacevillemarie.com/>)

*A must-attend event in celebration of the 4th of July. Includes hors d'œuvres and open bar, with a beautiful, sweeping view of Montréal from on top of the Place Ville Marie tower!*

**Exhibits Open** 10:00 PM – 12:00 AM  
Sheraton Hotel

Wednesday, July 5

**Mass at the Cathedral of Marie-Reine-du-Monde** (in French) 7:30 AM  
Choir of King's College London

**Registration desk open (Sheraton Hotel)** 8:00 AM – 9:00 AM

**AGO National Competition in Organ Improvisation Semi-finals** 9:00 AM – 1:30 PM  
Improvisation competition for young American organists  
Church of St. Andrew & St. Paul

**Exhibits Open** 9:00 AM – 1:30 PM  
Sheraton Hotel

**Workshops (Various locations)** 9:00 AM – 10:15 PM

**Workshops (Various locations)** 10:30 AM – 11:45 PM

**Concert (Group A)** 1:30 PM – 2:30 PM  
Redpath Hall, **Jean-Baptiste Robin**, organ. Please bring your tickets!

**AGO/RCCO Joint Convocation** 3:00 PM  
Christ Church Cathedral, **Patrick Wedd**, Director of Music

**Concert (Group B)** 4:45 PM  
Redpath Hall, **Jean-Baptiste Robin**, organ. Please bring your tickets!

**Choral Evensong: The Choir of King's College London** 5:00 PM  
Christ Church Cathedral

**Concert** 7:00 PM  
Montréal Symphony Hall (in collaboration with the **Montréal Jazz Festival**)

**Christian Lane** and **Jean-Willy Kunz\***, organ

\*Jazz quintet, featuring **André Moisan** (clarinet), **Frédéric Alarie** (double bass),

**Camil Belisle** (percussion), and **Hélène Lemay** (trombone)

*Sponsored by the AGO New York City Chapter (Jean-Willy Kunz) and the Fonds de Solidarité FTQ (Christian Lane)*

**Exhibits Open** 10:00 PM – 12:00 AM  
Sheraton Hotel

Thursday, July 6

**Registration desk open (Sheraton Hotel)** 8:00 AM – 9:00 AM

**Festival Worship Service** 9:00 AM  
Cathedral of Marie-Reine-du-Monde, led by the **Rev. Gwenda Wells** and **Scott Bradford**

**Workshops (Various locations)** 10:15 AM – 11:45 AM

<b>Concert</b> The Church of St. Andrew & St. Paul, <b>winner of the AGO/RCCO competitions</b>	<b>12:15 PM</b>
<b>Open Consoles (various locations)</b>	<b>2:00 PM – 4:00 PM</b>
<b>Happy-Hour Concert (Option A)</b> The Gésù Church <b>Duo Majoja (Marnie Giesbrecht and Joachim Segger, organ)</b>	<b>5:00 PM</b>
<b>Happy-Hour Concert (Option B)</b> Chapelle Notre-Dame-de-Bon-Secours, <b>les soûls d’amour</b>	<b>5:00 PM</b>
<b>Choral Evensong (Option C): The Choir of King’s College London</b> Christ Church Cathedral	<b>5:00 PM</b>
<b>Concert</b> Notre-Dame Basilica, <b>Olivier Latry, organ</b>	<b>8:00 PM</b>

*Sponsored in memory of Mervin Mowry Costigan*

<b>Exhibits Open</b> Sheraton Hotel	<b>10:00 PM – 12:00 AM</b>
<b>Closing Reception</b> Sheraton Hotel	<b>10:00 PM</b>

Friday, July 7 (Post-Convention Day\*\*)

<b>Concert and Guided Tour</b> Église de la Visitation-de-la-Bienheureuse-Vierge-Marie, <b>Marc-André Doran, organ</b>	<b>9:00 AM – 10:00 AM</b>
<b>Concert and Guided Tour</b> Sainte-Famille Church, Boucherville, <b>Jan Kraybill, organ</b>	<b>10:30 AM</b>
<b>Guided Tour I and lunch</b> Orgues Létourneau / Casavant Frères, Saint-Hyacinthe	<b>12:00 PM – 1:15 PM</b>
<b>Guided Tour II and lunch</b> Orgues Létourneau / Casavant Frères, Saint-Hyacinthe	<b>1:15 PM – 2:20 PM</b>
<b>Concert and Guided Tour</b> Cathédrale Saint-Hyacinthe-le-Confesseur, Saint-Hyacinthe, <b>Rachel Laurin, organ</b>	<b>2:30 PM</b>
<b>Dinner and Wine Tasting</b> Domaine les Brôme	<b>4:30 PM – 6:00 PM</b>
<b>Concert and Guided Tour</b> Abbey of Saint Benoit du Lac, <b>Renée Anne Louprette, organ</b>	<b>6:30 PM</b>

*Sponsored by the Greater Hartford Chapter of the AGO*

*\*\*Please note that the Pre and Post-Convention Days are not included in the standard registration package. Additional charges apply: \$100 for July 1 Pre-Convention Day; \$175 for July 7 Post-Convention Day (Fees include access to all events).*