

**2008 GMTA CONFERENCE
TENTATIVE SCHEDULE
UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA, ATHENS, GA**

Hugh Hodgson School of Music (music building)

Edge Recital Hall (located on the 3rd floor of the Hugh Hodgson School of Music)

Hodgson Concert Hall (located in the Performing Arts Center, next to the music building)

Ramsey Concert Hall (located in the Performing Arts Center, next to the music building)

Orchestra Room (located in the back of the Performing Arts Center, next to the music building)

Choral Room (located opposite Edge Recital Hall, 3rd floor, music building)

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2008

12:30-4:30 REGISTRATION

Lobby--just outside Edge Recital Hall (3rd floor, music building)

1:00-2:00 **“Georgia’s Own” Showcase Concert**

Pam Martin, Decatur MTA, and LuAnn Latzanich, Clayton State Univ., Piano Duo

Fred Hsiang, North Fulton MTA

Francis Leach, Delta State University, Cleveland, MS (former faculty member)

Gila Goldstein, Columbus State University

*Edge Recital Hall. (*See program below)*

2:10-2:40 **To Reward Or Not To Reward: A Survey And Investigation Of The Use Of Extrinsic Rewards In The Piano Studio**

Paula Thomas-Lee

Reinhardt College

Edge Recital Hall

2:10-2:40 **Teaching Little Fingers to Play: The Organ, That Is!**

Emma Pettyjohn

Emmanuel College

Organ Practice Room, Room #510 (5th floor, HHSOM)

(This session is held concurrently with the other 2:10 session, in the Organ Practice Room. Limited seating available.)

2:50-3:35 **Panel Discussion by Georgia’s Own:**

- Avoiding Teacher Burnout

Lois Finlay, North Georgia College & State University

- Keyboards & Laptops: Create, Convert & Share

Tom Pearsall, Georgia Southern University

- Preparing Students for Competitions

Janice Wong, Gwinnett County MTA

Edge Recital Hall

3:45-4:15 **New Tricks for Old Dogs: Using Computer Multimedia to Teach**

Carol Wazlavek

Cherokee Music Teachers Association

Edge Recital Hall

- 3:45-4:15 **Teaching Little Fingers to Play: The Organ, That Is!**
 Emma Pettyjohn
 Emmanuel College
Organ Practice Room, Room #510 (5th floor, HHSOM)
 (This session is held concurrently with the other 3:45 session, in the Organ Practice Room. Limited seating available.)
- 4:25-5:30 **GMTA/MTNA Competition Winners Recital and the 2008 GMTA Instrumental Concerto Winner**, Alice Liu.
Edge Recital Hall
- 5:30-8:00 Dinner on your own
- 8:00 **UGA Symphony Orchestra Concert** under the direction of Mark Cedel, featuring the 2008 GMTA Piano Concerto Winner, Roger Ou; Pulitzer Prize winner Lewis Spratlan's Concerto for Saxophone and Orchestra with Kenneth Fischer, saxophone; and Brahms Symphony No. 3.
Hodgson Concert Hall
 Free and open to the public. No tickets required.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2008

- 8:00-4:00 REGISTRATION
Lobby--just outside Edge Recital Hall (3rd floor, music building)
- 8:30-9:00 **Everybody Loves Cyril: The Piano Music Of Cyril Scott**
 David Murray
 Georgia Southern University
Edge Recital Hall
- 9:10-9:50 **General Session**
 - Welcome
 - Annual Business Meeting and President's Report
 - Performance of 2008 Commissioned Composition, featuring the GMTA Commissioned Composer, Dr. William Davis, Composer (University of Georgia)
 Quintet for Piano and Winds
 Allegro con bio
 Adagio con moto
 Allegro molto
 Performers include: Dwight Manning, oboe; D. Ray McClellan, clarinet; Jean Martin-Williams, horn; William Davis, bassoon; and Martha Thomas, piano.
Edge Recital Hall
- 10:00-11:30 **Piano Teaching Literature: Outside the Box.** This workshop will feature unusual, effective teaching repertoire for various levels. Enliven and refresh your lessons with this new material, and learn creative ways to present the pieces.
 Jane Magrath, Pedagogy Headliner
 University of Oklahoma
Edge Recital Hall

- 11:30-1:00 **Lunch on your own**
 Box lunch available by pre-purchase only through the Conference Registration Form.
 See Conference Registration Form for details.
Orchestra Room (located in the back of the Performing Arts Center)
- 1:00-1:30 **A Funny Thing Happened At The GMTA State Conference**
 Susan Naylor (Reinhardt College) and the Reinhardt Collegiate Chapter
Edge Recital Hall
- 1:00-4:30 **NATS Master Class**
 Erie Mills, Clinician
Ramsey Concert Hall
- 1:45-3:15 **Video Performances: The Intermediate Student as Transfer.** This session is
 presented with the aid of a video presentation of piano students performing. Student
 performances discussed exhibit typical (but not-so-easy to fix) technical problems and
 musical problems. Potential solutions and ramifications of the problems will also be
 discussed.
 Jane Magrath, Pedagogy Headliner
 University of Oklahoma
Edge Recital Hall
- 3:30-4:00 **Recreational Music Making--Get On The Train!**
 Mary Louise Wilson
 Early Childhood Movement and Music Association
Edge Recital Hall
- 4:10-5:00 **GMTA College Audition Winner's Recital**
Edge Recital Hall
- 5:45-7:30 **GMTA Evening Banquet**
 Holiday Inn Hotel, Athens (Conference Hotel)
- 8:00 **Conference Artist Recital**
 Claude Frank, pianist. Conference Headliner
Hodgson Concert Hall
 Tickets Required. Available by Pre-Registration ONLY through the Conference
 Registration Form. See Conference Registration Form for details.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2008 UGA

- 8:30-10:30AM **REGISTRATION**
Lobby--just outside Edge Recital Hall (3rd floor, music building)
- 9:00-11:00 **GMTA Master Class**
 Claude Frank, Conference Headliner
 Curtis Institute of Music and the Yale School of Music
Ramsey Concert Hall (located in the Performing Arts Center)

