

Thursday, March 4

7:30–9 am **Breakfast Kiosks** The Hilton Minneapolis, 3rd Floor, Salon D

8 am–8 pm **Registration** Red Wing

8 am–5 pm **Exhibits Open** Salons D, B, & F

8–8:45 am **Simultaneous Literature/Interest Sessions**

R & S Literature (3 and 4 Part Mixed Choruses) Rochester
Teresa Ashworth and Jerry Rubino, R & S Chairs

Multicultural Sessions

Paperless Singing: Leading "Music That Makes Community"

1. **Techniques for Leading Paperless Songs** Salon A
Thomas Hassig, Minnesota, Presiding

Ben Allaway, Presenter

2. **Improvisation as Worship Transformation
with Paperless Music** Salon C
Karen Lutgen, Minnesota, Presiding

Ana Hernandez and Donald Schell, Presenters

3. **African and African-American Paperless Songs** Salon E
Kathy Sundvold, South Dakota, Presiding

Roosevelt Credit, Presenter

4. **Paperless Songs from Around the Planet** Salon G
Mark Potvin, Minnesota, Presiding

Doug von Koss, Presenter

Writing for the *Choral Journal* Duluth
Carroll Gonzo, Minnesota, Presiding

J. Michele Edwards and Sharon A. Hansen, Presenters

9–9:40 am **Folksong Sing America!** Orchestra Hall
Kevin Meidl, Wisconsin, Presiding

Alice Parker and David Lamb, Presenters

Z. Randall Stroope, Steven Heitzeg, Carol Barnett,
Robert Sieving, Sunny Link, Kenneth Kosche, and
Benjamin Kornelis, Guest Composers

Thursday

- 9:45 am **Concert Set I** Orchestra Hall
Aimee Beckmann-Collier, Iowa, Presiding
Waukee (IA) High School A Cappella Choir
Ryan Beeken, Director; Shirley Grimm and Amy Hall, Accompanists
- 10:15 am **Manitou Singers, St. Olaf College**
Sigrid Johnson, Director
- 10:45 am **Dordt College Choir**
Benjamin Kornelis, Director
- 11:15 am **Keynote Address: "The Singing Community"** Orchestra Hall
Kevin Meidl, Wisconsin, Presiding
 Alice Parker, Keynote Speaker
- Noon **Lunch Break –Visit Exhibits** The Hilton, 3rd Floor
- 1:00 pm **ACDA–The New Generation** The Hilton, 2nd Floor, Symphony II
Address and Reception for College Students (Pizza Included...)
 Tim Sharp, ACDA National Executive Director, Presenter
- 1:30 pm **Special Interest Session** The Millennium Hotel, Loring Ballroom
Kevin Meidl, Wisconsin, Presiding
Kodály Compositions for Male Choirs: Composing & Performing
 Tamás Lakner, Presenter
 and The Béla Bartók Male Choir (Pecs, Hungary)
- 1:30 pm **Simultaneous Interest/Literature Sessions** The Hilton, 3rd Floor
R & S Literature (4 Part and Divisi Mixed Choruses) Salon A
Steven Grives, John Albrecht, R & S Chairs
Developing a Color Palette for Various Choral Styles Salon C
Rhonda Fuelberth, Nebraska, Presiding
 Peggy Dettwiler, Presenter
Panel Discussion: Community Choirs that SING! Salon E
Lynn Seidl, Wisconsin, Presiding
 Jane Ramseyer Miller, Moderator
Restoring the Brilliance of Baroque Polyphony Salon G
Laura Diddle, South Dakota, Presiding
 Eric Johnson, Presenter

Thursday

After the Prelude: Creative Use of Handbells in Worship

Robert Peterson, Minnesota, Presiding Duluth

William H. Mathis, Presenter

Singing into the Sunset: Shedding Light on the Aging Voice

James Kinchen, Jr., Wisconsin, Presiding Rochester

Sarah Parks, Presenter

3:00 pm **Concert Set II** Orchestra Hall

Valley High School Vocalese

Linda Vanderpool, Director

Steven Albaugh, Minnesota, Presiding

3:30 pm **Appleton (WI) North High School Varsity Men's Choir**

Craig Aamot, Director

Mark Aamot, Wisconsin, Presiding

4:00 pm **Iowa State Singers**

James Rodde, Director

Steven Albaugh, Minnesota, Presiding

4:30 pm **Keynote Address:**

"Sing Up! Bringing Song Back to a Nation" Orchestra Hall

Kevin Meidl, Wisconsin, Presiding

Howard Goodall, National Ambassador for Singing, United Kingdom

Dinner Break

7:30 pm **Jazz Concert** Minneapolis Convention Center Auditorium

Brian Stubbs, Minnesota, Presiding

NC-ACDA Vocal Jazz Honor Choir

Laura Tempel, Coordinator

Steven Zegree, Guest Conductor

The Real Group (Sweden)

Friday

- 10:45 am **Omaha Chamber Singers** (Orchestra Hall)
David Batter, Director; John J. Bennett, Accompanist
Phillip Hesterman, Nebraska, Presiding
- 11:15 am **Iowa State University Cantamus Women's Choir**
Kathleen Rodde, Director
Phillip Hesterman, Nebraska, Presiding
- 11:45 am **Concert Set III** (continued). Orchestra Hall
Pre-Concert Discussion: Stravinsky's "Symphony of Psalms"
Brian Stubbs, Minnesota, Presiding
Kathy Saltzman Romey, Presenter
- Noon-12:25 pm **University of Minnesota Singers**
Kathy Saltzman Romey and Matthew Mehaffey, Directors
with the University of Minnesota Symphony Orchestra
Brian Stubbs, Minnesota, Presiding
Lunch Break—Visit Exhibits
- 12:30–3 pm **An Afternoon at the Exhibits**. The Hilton Minneapolis
- 1-2 and 2-3 **"Never Stop Singing" Documentary Film** Duluth
Diana J. Leland, Minnesota, Presiding
Peter Myers, Film Producer
- 1-2 and 2-3 **Just a Click Away: Public Domain Choral Music
at the Library of Congress**. Rochester
Michael Weber, North Dakota, Presiding
Philip Brunelle, Presenter; Charles Kemper, Accompanist
- 1:15–3 pm **Collegiate Interest Session Rotation**
- 1:15 pm **General Address: NC Leadership** Salon A
Peter A. Eklund, speaker
Rotation: 1:30–2:15 and 2:15–3:00
- Successful Middle School Strategies**. Salon A
James Heiks, Wisconsin, Presider/Presenter
- Relevant Issues in Today's Education**. Salon C
Rhonda Fuelberth, Nebraska, Presider/Presenter
- Recruiting and Retaining Male Singers
in the 21st Century Choral Classroom**. Salon E
Peter A. Eklund, Nebraska, Presider/Presenter
- "Meet and Greet" Choral Luminaries, Past and Present** Salon G

Friday

- 2–3:00 pm **The Music of Eric Whitacre** Millennium Hotel, Loring Ballroom
Robert Demaree, Wisconsin, Presiding
Eric Whitacre, Presenter
with Luther College Cathedral Choir, demonstration choir
Sandra Peter, Director
- 3:15 pm **Concert Set IV** Orchestra Hall
Bruce W. Becker, Minnesota, Presiding
Blake Middle School Choristers (MN)
Daniel LeJeune, Director; Kerri LeJeune, Accompanist
- 3:45 pm **Bemidji (MN) High School A Cappella Choir**
Christopher Fettig, Director
- 4:15 pm **Luther College Norsemen**
Timothy Peter, Director; Stephen Uhl, Accompanist
- 4:45 pm **The St. Olaf Choir**
Anton Armstrong, Director
Dinner Break
- 8:00 pm **North Central-ACDA Featured Concert**. Orchestra Hall
Introduction of North Central-ACDA Leadership and
2010 Conference Steering Committee
Kevin Meidl, Wisconsin
Weston Noble Award Presentation
Diana J. Leland, Minnesota
- 8:30 pm **Spotlight Oratorio Concert**
Gregory Carpenter, Wisconsin, Presiding
Craig Hella Johnson, Guest Conductor
Magnum Chorum,
The Singers–Minnesota Choral Artists,
and the St. Olaf Orchestra

Saturday, March 6

- 7:30–9 am Breakfast Kiosks The Hilton Minneapolis, 3rd Floor .
- 8–10:30 am Registration Open Red Wing
- 8 am–Noon Exhibits Open Salons B, D & F .
- 8:30–9:45 **Simultaneous Interest/Literature Sessions**
- R & S Literature (3 and 4 Part Women’s Choruses) Salon A
Jill Wilson, Linda Conrad, Cheryl McIntire,
and Ben Allaway
- Interkultur Presentation Salon C
Laura Diddle, South Dakota, Presiding
Christina Prucha, ACDA International Festival Liaison, Presenter
- Show Choir & Contemporary Pop Techniques Salon E
Cathy Britton, South Dakota, Presiding
Jerry Rubino, Presenter
- Helping Your Choir Sing Better in the Gospel Style,
with a Focus on the Music of Glenn Burleigh Salon G
Rodger Trader, Wisconsin, Presiding
James Kinchen, Jr., Presenter
- R & S Literature (3 and 4 Part Mixed Choruses) Duluth .
Thomas Porter, R & S Chair
- Movement and Imagination in Rehearsal Rochester
Aimee Beckmann-Collier, Iowa, Presiding
Patricia Connors, Presenter
- 10:00 am **Concert Set V** Central Lutheran Church
Plymouth Chancel Choir
Sharon Parker-Lenihan, Director; Carl Gravander, Accompanist
Norman Grimm, Iowa, Presiding
- 10:30 am **The Summer Singers**
Vicki Peters, Director
Judy Sagen, Minnesota, Presiding

Saturday

- 11:00 am **Music In Worship Event** (Central Lutheran Church)
John Albrecht, Wisconsin, Presiding
- Hymn Festival: “To Everything There Is A Season”
- The National Lutheran Choir
David Cherwien, Director
- Lunch Break
- 1:00 pm **North Central Division–ACDA**
Honor Choir Performances Orchestra Hall
- Presidential Greeting and Introduction of Honors Project Chair
Kevin Meidl, NC-ACDA President/2010 Conference Chair
- Douglas Strandell, Minnesota, Presiding
- NC–ACDA Women’s Honor Choir**
Stephanie Trump and Michelle Hayes, Coordinators, Presiding
- Beth Holmes, Guest Conductor
 Lisa Foland, Accompanist
- 1:30 pm **NC–ACDA Middle Level Honor Choir**
Mary Wiersum and Sue Gilsdorf, Coordinators, Presiding
- Eugene Rogers, Guest Conductor
 Mary Wiersum, Accompanist
- 2:00 pm **NC–ACDA Men’s Honor Choir**
Gregory Douma and Brian Ohnsorg, Coordinators, Presiding
- Robert Ward, Guest Conductor
 Casey Cook Westfall, Special Guest Accompanist
- 2:30 pm **NC–ACDA Children’s Honor Choir**
Jennifer Hicks and Mark Johnson, Coordinators, Presiding
- Elaine Quilichini, Guest Conductor
 Barbara Gleason, Accompanist
- 2:55 pm **Conference Wrap-Up/Closing**
Kevin Meidl