

# 2013 AMTA Conference Sneak Peek

## *Voices of the Sea Music Therapy @ Florida*

MEETING SCHEDULE  
CONCURRENT SESSION PRESENTATIONS  
CLINICAL PRACTICE FORUM PRESENTATIONS  
CONTINUING MUSIC THERAPY EDUCATION COURSES

Hyatt Regency Jacksonville Riverfront  
Jacksonville, Florida

More information will be available soon.

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**Register by August 2<sup>nd</sup> to save!**

## 2013 AMTA Conference Meeting Schedule

### **Tues. Nov. 19, 2013**

8:00 AM – 10:00 PM AMTA Board of Directors

### **Wed. Nov. 20, 2013**

8:00 AM – 3:00 PM AMTA Board of Directors  
 8:00 AM – 6:00 PM Academic Program Approval  
 8:00 AM – 6:00 PM Association Internship Approval  
 2:00 PM – 6:00 PM Professional Advocacy  
 3:00 PM – 4:00 PM Joint Academic Program & Association Internship Approval  
 4:00 PM – 7:00 PM AMTAS Officers  
 6:00 PM – 7:00 PM Council Coordinators and Committee Chairs  
 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM Special Target Populations  
 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM Standards of Clinical Practice  
 7:00 PM – 10:00 PM AMTAS Board of Directors  
 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM Regional Presidents

### **Thur. Nov. 21, 2013**

8:00 AM – 12:00 PM Workforce Development and Retention Committee  
 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM AMTA Board of Directors  
 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM Government Relations\  
 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM Academic Program Approval  
 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM Technology  
 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM Affiliate Relations  
 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM Standards of Clinical Practice  
 8:00 AM – 1:30 PM Ethics Board  
 8:30 AM – 12:30 PM Professional Advocacy  
 8:30 AM – 12:30 PM Student Affairs Advisory Board (SAAB)  
 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM International Relations  
 9:00 AM – 11:30 AM WFMT Council  
 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM Special Target Populations  
 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM Joint – Academic Program Approval, Association Internship Approval & International Relations  
  
 12:45 PM – 2:15 PM Research  
 1:30 PM – 5:30 PM Assembly of Delegates  
 2:30 PM – 4:30 PM Reimbursement  
 3:00 PM – 5:00 PM AMTAS Board of Directors  
 5:30 PM – 7:00 PM Regional Board of Directors – GLR  
 5:30 PM – 7:00 PM Regional Board of Directors – SER  
 5:30 PM – 7:00 PM Regional Board of Directors – WR  
 5:30 PM – 7:00 PM Regional Board of Directors – SWR  
 5:30 PM – 7:00 PM Regional Board of Directors – MWR  
 6:00 PM – 7:00 PM Regional Board of Directors – NER  
 6:00 PM – 7:20 PM Regional Board of Directors – MAR

## 2013 AMTA Conference Meeting Schedule

### Fri. Nov. 22, 2013

8:15 AM – 10:15 AM	Assembly of Delegates
10:30 AM – 12:00 PM	AMTA Business Meeting
12:00 PM – 2:00 PM	Ethics Board
12:00 PM – 1:00 PM	Korean Music Therapists Lunch Meeting
12:00 PM – 1:00 PM	The University of Iowa Lunch
12:00 PM – 1:00 PM	Taiwanese Music Therapy Students and Professionals Brownbag Network Lunch
12:00 PM – 1:45 PM	Continuing Education
12:00 PM – 1:45 PM	Special Target Populations Networking Session
12:15 PM – 1:15 PM	Networking Meeting for Music Therapists from Latin America
12:30 PM – 2:00 PM	JMT Editorial Board
12:30 PM – 2:00 PM	Music Therapy Business Owners' Meeting
12:45 PM – 2:00 PM	Technology
12:45 PM – 2:00 PM	Reimbursement
12:45 PM – 2:00 PM	Judicial Review Board
12:45 PM – 2:00 PM	International Relations
12:45 PM – 2:00 PM	Professional Advocacy
12:45 PM – 2:00 PM	Standards of Clinical Practice
12:45 PM – 2:00 PM	Affiliate Relations
12:45 PM – 2:00 PM	Workforce Development and Retention Committee
1:00 PM – 2:00 PM	MTP Editorial Board
2:30 PM – 5:15 PM	Membership
2:30 PM – 5:15 PM	Education and Training Advisory Board
6:15 PM – 7:45 PM	AMTAS Business Meeting
6:15 PM – 8:00 PM	Professional Competency Task Force
9:30 PM – 11:00 PM	Japanese MT Students and Professional

### Sat. Nov. 23, 2013

7:30 AM – 9:15 AM	Regional Meeting – WR
7:30 AM – 9:15 AM	Regional Meeting –MAR
7:30 AM – 9:15 AM	Regional Meeting – SWR
8:00 AM – 9:15 AM	Regional Meeting – SER
8:00 AM – 9:15 AM	Regional Meeting – NER
8:00 AM – 9:15 AM	Regional Meeting – MWR
8:00 AM – 9:15 AM	Regional Meeting – GLR
9:30 AM – 11:00 AM	AMTA Board of Directors
11:15 AM – 1:15 PM	Assembly of Delegates
12:15 PM – 2:15 PM	International Relations Global Perspectives Session
1:30 PM – 3:30 PM	Membership
1:30 PM – 5:15 PM	Education and Training Advisory Board
5:30 PM – 6:30 PM	AMTAS Business Meeting
5:30 PM – 6:30 PM	AMTA Business Meeting

### Sun. Nov. 24, 2013

7:00 AM – 8:00 AM	Assembly of Delegates Elect
9:45 AM – 11:30 AM	AMTA Board of Directors

## **2013 AMTA Conference Concurrent Session Presentations**

The following is a “First Glance” of the concurrent sessions that will be presented at the 2013 AMTA Conference *Voices of the Sea: Music Therapy @ Florida* Friday November 22 to Sunday November 24.

### **Transitional Palliative Care Improvisation Interventions for Clients Who Are Actively Dying**

Andy Edmundson, MM, LCAT, MT-BC

### **One Love: Cross-Cultural Music Therapy Experiences in Jamaica**

Katie Myers, MM, MT-BC; Elaine Vuong, MM, MT-BC

### **Research Committee Presents: Mixed Methods Designs to Enhance Psychiatric Music Therapy Clinician Practice**

Michael Silverman, PhD, MT-BC

### **But I'm Not a Professional... - E-Professionalism for Students**

Debbie Bates, MMT, MT-BC

### **Music and Imagery: A Clinical Method for Self-Reflection**

Elaine A. Abbott, PhD, MT-BC

### **Roundtable for Educators and Internship Directors/Supervisors: Continuing Collaboration and Dialogue**

Kamile Geist, MA, MT-BC; Mary Jane Landaker, MME, MT-BC; Karen E. Miller, MM, MT-BC

### **Extending the Bridge: A Music Therapy Alzheimer's Project, Year Two**

Betsey King, PhD, LCAT, MT-BC; Laurie Keough, MSED, LCAT, MT-BC

### **Sprouting Melodies®: An Early Childhood Music Program Designed Especially for Music Therapists**

Elizabeth K. Schwartz, LCAT, MT-BC; Meredith R. Pizzi, MT-BC

### **Drumming as Therapy and Drumming in Therapy**

Hakeem Leonard, MM, MT-BC; James E. Riley, MM, MT-BC; Ashley Gibson Hall, MT-BC; Ruth Smith; Ashley Townsend

### **What Music Therapists Need to Know About Creativity**

Paul Nolan, MCAT, LPC, MT-BC

### **Cantemos en Español: Building Your Repertoire for Spanish-Speaking Children and Elderly Adults**

Linda Lathroum, PhD, MT-BC; Marlen Rodriguez-Wolfe MT-BC

### **SensoryFriendly Concerts(TM) , An Opportunity to Celebrate Neurodiversity through Community Music Therapy**

Christy Joy Shiloh, MT-BC; Laura-Sun Cefaratti

### **Technology Tips, Techniques and Tools for your Music Therapy Practice**

Julie Guy, MM, MT-BC, Lori Frazer

### **Music Therapy and People with Tourette's**

Minda Gordan, MM, MT-BC; Matt Giordano

### **Becoming a CBMT Approved Provider: Benefits and Protocol**

Deanna Hanson-Abromeit, PhD, MT-BC

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### **Giving Practitioners a Voice: Outcomes of the National Survey Study on ASD**

Petra Kern, PhD, MT-DMtG, MT-BC, MTA; Nicole Rivera, EdD, MT-BC; Alie Chandler, MM, MT-BC; Marcia Humpal, MEd, MT-BC

### **Involving Senior Citizens in Group Music Therapy**

Joseph Pinson, MA, MT-BC

### **Music Therapy with Guatemalans at Risk for Sex and Drug Trafficking**

Ashley Hall, MT-BC

### **Living Life at the End of Life through Creative Music Therapy**

Jillian Argue, MMT, MT-BC

### **Tales of an Accidental Politician: Music Therapy Advocacy and Elected Office**

Meganne K. Masko, MA, MT-BC/L

### **Visual Journaling: Healing Grief through Music and Art**

Chelsea Johnson, MS, LMT, MT-BC

### **Music Therapy in Residential Alcohol and Drug Rehabilitation Treatment: Interventions and Applications**

Mallory Even, MT-BC; Sarah Seo, MT-BC

### **Not a Question of Quantitative vs. Qualitative: Understanding the Relevance of Epistemology in Music Therapy Research**

Claire M. Ghetti, PhD, CCLS, LCAT, MT-BC; Bill Matney, MA, MT-BC

### **Music Therapy: Breaking the Cycle of Pain**

Joy Allen, PhD, MT-BC

### **Talking the Talk: Networking and Music Therapy**

Bree Beynon, MT-BC

### **Adrift on a Sea of Choices: Selecting Music for Music-Assisted Relaxation**

Christine P. Leist, PhD, MT-BC; Alexa Dorris

### **Growing Your Private Practice: A Guide to the Back-End of Hiring a Music Therapist**

Meryl Brown MM, MT-BC, DT

### **Supervision for Supervisors using Psychodrama Techniques and Improvisation Experiences**

Darlene Brooks, PhD, LPC, MT-BC; Lillian Eyre, PhD, LPC, MT-BC

### **Medical-GIM (MED-GIM), Adaptation of the Bonny Method. Experiencing Clinical Applications of Music and Imagery in a Medical Setting**

Maria Montserrat Gimeno, EdD, MT-BC,

### **Be Safe, Be Informed: Preparing For and Responding to Natural Disaster**

Barbara Else, MPA, LCAT, MT-BC; A. Blythe LaGasse, PhD, MT-BC.

### **Educators Roundtable: Undergraduate Students Experiencing Music Therapy as Clients: A Learning/Support Group Model**

James Hiller, PhD, MT-BC; Susan Gardstrom, PhD, MT-BC; Nancy Jackson, PhD, MT-BC

## **2013 AMTA Conference Concurrent Session Presentations**

**Profile of Music Programs at Residential Schools for Blind and Visually Impaired Students**  
Edward P. Kahler, PhD, MT-BC; Della Molloy-Daugherty, MME, MT-BC; Jeremy Coleman, MT-BC

**Shelter for the Homeless: Music Engagement and Therapy Practice in a Homeless Shelter**  
Alice-Ann Darrow, PhD, MT-BC; Addison Lucas; Carlos Silva

**Burn, Baby, Burn: Addressing Burnout and Need for Self-Care Among Music Therapists**  
Alissa Carver, MS, MA, LPC, MT-BC; Amanda Sehr, MS, MA, LPC, MT-BC

### **#HowToBeAnAwesomeMTOnline**

JoAnn Jordan, MT-BC; Kat Fulton, MM, MT-BC; Megan Resig, LCAT, MT-BC; Michelle Erfurt, MT-BC; Rachel Rambach, MM, MT-BC; Rachel See, MA, MT-BC; Sarah Sendlbeck, MT-BC

**Journey to MT-BC: Creating a Roadmap to Success**  
Kyle Fleming; Daniel Goldschmidt; Katie Fitch

**What are you WORTH? Defining YOUR Place in the Marketplace**  
Tim Ringgold, MT-BC

**Sociological Theories of Aging: Applications to Music Therapy**  
Nicki S. Cohen, PhD, MT-BC

**Facilitating Music Therapy Research in the Surgical Arena**  
Deforia Lane, PhD, MT-BC; Jaclyn Bradley Palmer, MT-BC,

**Journeying with Our Coworkers: An Expanding Role for Music Therapy in Comprehensive Pediatric Palliative Care**  
Kristen O'Grady, MA, LCAT, MT-BC; Claire Ghetti, PhD, CCLS, LCAT, MT-BC

**Sing me Home: The Use of Songwriting at the End of Life**  
Rebecca Findley, MM, MT-BC

**The Impact of Music Therapy on Psychological and Physiological Outcomes in Cancer Patients**  
Joke Bradt, PhD, MT-BC; Amy Kesslick, MT-BC

**Music Therapy through Family Therapy Theoretical Frameworks**  
Erin Shields, MA, MT-BC

**Guitar Skills for Entry-Level Music Therapists: What's Taught and What's Not**  
Matthew Logan, MA, MT-BC

**Music Therapy for Music Therapists in Training: A Nordoff-Robbins Perspective**  
Suzanne Sorel, DA, LCAT, MT-BC

**Listen to the Music the Biographies of Adolescents with Foster Care Experience**  
Michael L. Zanders, PhD, LPC, MT-BC

**Infant-Directed Singing and Self-Regulation in Infants with Down Syndrome**  
Shannon K. de l'Etoile, PhD, MT-BC

**The Rhythm of Life: Using the Breath in Music Therapy**  
Suzanne B. Hanser, EdD, MT-BC; Heather Smist, MT-BC

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## **JMT & MTP: Managing the Review Process**

Sheri Robb, PhD, MT-BC; Anthony Meadows, PhD, MT-BC

## **Active Learning in the University Classroom**

Anita L. Gadberry, PhD, MT-BC; David L. Gadberry, PhD

## **A Content Analysis of the Use of Music in Pain Research across Healthcare Disciplines**

Xueli Tan, MM, MT-BC

## **The Reentry Experiences of International Music Therapy Professionals from the Asia Pacific Rim Area**

Hiu Ying Angel Leung, MM, MT-BC

## **Maximizing Your Career, Taking Steps to Reach Your Dream Job**

Tracy Kiel Bowdish, MM, MT-BC

## **Sequential Transformative Mixed Methods Research: Applications for Clinical Music Therapy Research**

Melody Schwantes, PhD, MT-BC

## **Why and How to use Rap, Punk, and Heavy Metal in Clinical Settings**

Audrey Hausig, MMT, MT-BC; Chris Pires BA (MT-BC pending)

## **Music Therapy Theory and Philosophy Jam**

Barbara J. Crowe, MMT, MT-BC

## **The TaKeTiNa Process – A Multi-Faceted Rhythm Therapy**

Michael Kenny MMT, MT-BC

## **It's a Generational Thing: Partnering Across Generations to Transform Music Therapy Careers**

Elizabeth K. Schwartz, LCAT, MT-BC; Meredith R. Pizzi, MT-BC

## **New Voices: MT Services for Students who are Culturally and Linguistically Diverse with Disabilities**

Amy Greenwald Furman, MM, MT-BC

## **Music Therapy in the Digital Age: Podcasting, Music Recording, and Mixing**

Tyler Hogan, MT-BC; Andrea Yun-Springer, MT-BC

## **Deconstructing Intersectionality: A Dialogue on the Resilience-based Model of Supervision for Minority Supervisors**

Feilin Hsiao, PhD, MT-BC; Xueli Tan, MM, MT-BC

## **The Impact of Collaborative Music Therapy and Speech/Language Therapy on Parenting Self-Efficacy**

Patricia Winter PhD, MT-BC; Anthony Kaserou; Charity Quesenberry

## **Tying It All Together with Transitions**

David L. Gadberry, PhD; Anita L. Gadberry, PhD, MT-BC

## **Is the Work-Life Balance a Myth? A Roundtable Discussion**

Deborah Layman, MM, MT-BC; Kimberly Sena Moore, MM, MT-BC

## **2013 AMTA Conference Concurrent Session Presentations**

**Integrating Child and Therapist-Led Strategies for Improving Communication in Children with Autism: Does Sequence Matter? Implications for Music Therapy Practice and Research**

John A. Carpente, PhD, LCAT, MT-BC; Stella Manne, PhD

**Working within Wellness-Based Music Therapy Settings with Older Adults**

Melita Belgrave, PhD, MT-BC; Andrea Boswell-Burns, MT-BC; Cassandra Chapman; Jylian Jaloma, Michelle Wanstreet; Zachary Williams-Kupec

**Clinical Applications of Evidence-Based Practice within Adult Mental Health**

Emily C Bailey, MM, MT-BC; Galena Reiter-Thomson, MT-BC; Kevin Hahn, MT-BC

**Music Therapy for Recovery from Child Abuse**

Tania Cordobés, MMT, MT-BC,

**First Pediatric Music Therapy Program in China**

Jingwen Zhang

**Re-Visioning Music Programs in Schools: A New Role for Music Therapists**

Katrina Skewes McFerran, PhD, RMT; Daphne Rickson, PhD, RMT

**It Has Truly Resonated With Me: Music Therapy, DBT, and Eating Disorders**

Natalie Mullis, MT-BC; Gloria Terziyska, EdS, LMFI-1

**I Have a Voice: Using Songwriting for Emotional Expression with Hospitalized Children**

Rita RICH Abante Moats, MT-BC

**Back to the Beat: Practical Application of Rap Techniques in Music Therapy with Young Adolescents**

Jessica L. Schlabach, MT-BC

**Starting & Marketing Your Music Therapy Practice: An Innovative Model for Success**

Catherine Nielsen, MT-BC; Chris Nielsen

**Research Committee Presents – Music Therapists and Research: A Discussion of Utilization and Perceived Barriers**

Eric Waldon, PhD, MT-BC

**The Scientific Clinician: Designing and Implementing Single System and Pilot Research**

Kamile Geist, MA, MT-BC; A. Blythe LaGasse, PhD, MT-BC

**Understanding Relational Support Musically in Cancer Care Groups: Initial Findings and Reflections**

Brian Abrams, PhD, LPC, LCAT, MT-BC

**A Survey Report of Music Therapist Attitudes and Actions Regarding the LGBTQ Community**

Annette Whitehead-Pleaux, MA, MT-BC; Amy Donnenwerth, MA, MT-BC; Beth Robinson, MT-BC; Spencer Hardy, MT-BC; Leah Oswanski, MA, LAC, MT-BC; Michele Forinash, DA, LMHC, MT-BC; Maureen Hearn, MA, MT-BC; Natasha Anderson, MA, LMHC, MT-BC; Xueli Tan, MM, MT-BC

**Aesthetics, Collaboration, and Community: Approaching Therapeutic Songwriting from a Hip-hop Perspective in Music Therapy**

Michael Viega, PhD, MT-BC



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### **Ethics 101 and Beyond: Staying Current with our Code of Ethics**

Betsey King, PhD, MT-BC; Gretchen Patti, MS, MT-BC; Jan Schreibman, MM, MT-BC; Carol Shultis, PhD, LPC, MT-BC; Jennifer Sokira, MMT, LCAT, MT-BC; Elizabeth York, PhD, MT-BC

### **M-TIP: A Pilot Music Therapy Introduction Project for High School Students**

Ronna S. Kaplan, MA, MT-BC

### **The Last Note: Music Therapy at the Moment of Death**

Debbie Bates, MMT, MT-BC; Lauren DiMaio, MMT, MT-BC

### **The New York State Creative Arts Therapist Law (LCAT) and You: An Update**

Lora Heller, MS, LCAT, MT-BC; Beth R. McLaughlin, MS, LCAT, MT-BC; Donna W. Polen, LCAT, MT-BC; Evelyn C. Selesky, MA, LCAT, MT-BC; Madelaine E. Ventre, MS, LCAT, MT-BC

### **Application of Theory to Clinical Practice: Perspectives from the Classroom**

Deanna Hanson-Abromeit, PhD, MT-BC, Xavier Fleming; Matthew Lloyd; Erin Riggers; Hannah Scott; Brittany Slaughter; Halsey Young

### **Establishing New Medical Music Therapy Programs: Perspectives and Practices Panel**

Judy Engel, MM, MT-BC; Lori Gooding, PhD, MT-BC; Jennifer Peyton, MM, MT-BC; Jessy Rushing, MM, MT-BC; Darcy Walworth, PhD, MT-BC; Olivia Yinger, PhD, MT-BC

### **The Effects of a Music Therapy Group on the Prosodic Speech of Children with ASD**

Heather J. Wagner, MMT, MT-BC

### **Songs of Faith and Hope: Learning Christian Hymnody for the End of Life Care**

Michelle Hairston, EdD, MT-BC; David Smith, PhD

### **Music Therapy Students with Disabilities: Considering Adaptations and Competencies**

Cindy Ropp, EdD, MT-BC; Andrea Crimmins, PhD, MT-BC

### **Addressing the Diverse Therapy and Educational Needs of Persons with Hearing Loss**

Kate Gfeller, PhD; Alice-Ann Darrow, PhD, MT-BC

### **Tap, Drag, and Swipe: Select the Best Music App for the Task**

Petra Kern, PhD, MT-DMtG, MTA, MT-BC

### **Continuity: Bridging the Gap between Inpatient and Community Mental Health Treatment**

Lindsey A. Holmes, MT-BC; Katy Capestrani, MT-BC

### **Blues Guitar: Taking it Beyond the Twelve Bars**

Sean Aultman, MM, MT-BC

### **For Students Only: Musical Intention: Conveying Emotion through Song**

Robin Spielberg

### **Research Committee Presents: Combining Elements: Mixed Methods Research in Hospice Care**

Meganne K. Masko, MA, MT-BC/L

### **Who Can Be A Helper? Addressing Maturity in Music Therapy Students**

Andrew Knight, MA, MT-BC; A. Blythe LaGasse, PhD, MT-BC

### **Integrating a Social Skills Curriculum into Music Therapy Sessions: A Collaborative Model**

Edward Todd Schwartzberg, MEd, MT-BC

## **2013 AMTA Conference Concurrent Session Presentations**

### **Coping-Focused Music Therapy in Adult Psychiatric and Medical Settings**

Michael J. Silverman, PhD, MT-BC; Tyler Hogan, MT-BC

### **The Efficacy of Music as a Multicultural Training Modality for Healthcare Professionals and Students**

Seung-A Kim, PhD, AMT, LCAT, MT-BC

### **Master Juggler or Multiple Personality Disorder: Finding Balance in Music Therapy Roles**

Julie Parker Neal, MS, MT-BC; Becky Wellman, PhD, MT-BC, DT

### **Statistics Primer (or Reminder!) for Dummies: Reading and Writing Research Results**

James E. Riley, MM, MT-BC; Elisa M. Aven, MM, MT-BC

### **What to Present When You're Presenting: Conference Proposal Planning for Beginners**

Krista Winter, MA, MT-BC; Natalie Wlodarczyk, PhD, MT-BC

### **Deciphering the Affordable Care Act: Implications, Perceptions, and Current Knowledge within Music Therapy**

Elisa Aven, MT-BC; Daniel Tague, PhD, MT-BC

### **Music Therapy Research and Clinical Practice for Patients with Eating Disorders**

Abbey Dvorak, PhD, MT-BC

### **More Than Co-Treating: Child Life and Music Therapy Working Together**

Michelle Erfurt MT-BC; Brittany Kelley, CCLS

### **Preparing for the [Online] Certification Exam: Using the Online Self Assessment Examination as a Guide**

Nancy Hadsell, PhD, MT-BC Representing Board of Directors, CBMT

### **The Music Therapy Student / Intern Survival Guide: 10 Key Principles for Success!**

Tim Ringgold, MT-BC

### **Hospice Medicare Cuts & How to Save Music Therapy Program**

Russell Hilliard, PhD, LCSW, LCAT, MT-BC

### **The Effects of Rhythmic Pulse in Tai-Chi for People with ADRD**

Kuan-Chen Su, MA, MT-BC

### **The Impact of GIM to Explore Trauma and Abuse across the Lifespan**

Amy Clements-Cortes, PhD, MTA, MT-BC

### **Sing me Stronger: Inpatient Pediatric Rehabilitation**

Amy Smith, MA, CCLS, MT-BC; Christy Merrell

### **Mindfulness-based Music Therapy and Attention Control**

Teresa Lesiuk, PhD, MT-BC

### **Music Therapy Training and Education in the U.S. through International Students' Perspectives**

Hannah Bae; ChengCheng Du; Hyun Jin Hong, MA; Matsuri Imura, MA; Aiko Onitsuka

### **Family-Centered Music Therapy and Young Children with ASD: A Randomized Controlled Trial**

Grace Thompson, PhD, RMT

### **Assessment of Foundational Music Skills in Undergraduate Music Therapy Students**

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Peggy A. Farlow, MAE, MT-BC

## **Research Committee Presents: Developing a Conceptual Framework to Guide Theory-based Research**

Deanna Hanson-Abromeit, PhD, MT-BC

## **Music Therapy Educators Supporting Clinical Research: A Roundtable Discussion**

Kamile Geist, MA, MT-BC; Blythe LaGasse, PhD, MT-BC; Andrew Knight, MA, MT-BC; Alejandra Ferrer, PhD, MT-BC

## **Meet the Candidates**

## **Mindfulness and More: Integrating Evidence Based Stress Management Techniques into your Practice**

Jessy Rushing, MM, MT-BC; Adrienne C. Steiner

## **Music for the Soul: Addressing Grief for Clients with Cognitive Impairments**

Alissa Carver, MS, MA, LPC, MT-BC; Bill Matney, MA, MT-BC

## **Music Therapy and Emotion Regulation Development: A Conceptual Framework**

Kimberly Sena Moore, MM, MT-BC

## **The 30th Anniversary of CBMT: Celebrate the Journey and Embrace the Future**

Wendy Woolsey, MA, MT-BC; Joy Schneck, MM, MT-BC and other CBMT past board members and staff

## **Creative Uses of Music in Qualitative Research**

Laura E. Beer, PhD, ACMT

## **Therapeutic Group Lessons: Addressing the Psychosocial Needs of Adult Cancer Survivors**

Alejandra Ferrer, PhD, MT-BC

## **The Music Circle: Social Skills Rehearsal for Children with Autism Spectrum Disorder**

Jennie P. Band, PhD, MT-BC

## **Job Security: The Importance of Advocating Within Your Own Company**

Whitney P. Ostercamp, MA, MT-BC

## **Community Music Therapy with the LGBTQ Population**

Mary Kathleen McNulty, MT-BC

## **Adapted Neurologic Music Therapy Speech Techniques for Fluent Aphasia**

Kathleen Howland, PhD, CCC-SLP MT-BC; Brian Harris, MA, MT-BC,

## **Enhancing Music Therapy Practice: Developing YOUR Theory/Philosophy of Music Therapy**

Jessica Jess Pearson Cloud, MMT, MT-BC

## **From Research to Practice: Interventions for Children with Special Needs**

Lindsey Wilhelm, MA, MT-BC; Jenny Denk, MT-BC

## **The Traveling Music Therapist: An International Perspective on Program Development in Singapore**

Ashley Spears, MT-BC

## **The Internship SUPERvisor: Balancing Supervisory & Clinical Responsibilities**

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Susan Droessler, MT-BC

## **What Keeps Us Well? Self-Care for Music Therapists**

Shane Swezey, MM, MT-BC

## **The Camera as a 4th entity: Clinical Applications of Video in Music Therapy**

Ariel Weissberger, MA, LCAT, MT-BC

## **Musical Bonds: A Program for Parents and Young Children with Developmental Disabilities**

Yen-Hsuan Yang, PhD, MT-BC

## **Students and Interns with Severe Competency Problems: Remedies and Best Practice**

Feilin Hsiao, PhD, MT-BC; Dawn McDougal Miller, MME, MT-BC

## **Nothing to Carry: How and Why to Use Your Voice as Your Primary Therapeutic Tool**

Elizabeth K. Schwartz LCAT MT-BC

## **Early Brain and Child Development: The American Academy of Pediatrics and Music Therapy**

Becky Wellman, PhD, MT-BC, DT

## **MusicTherapyActivities.Wikia.com**

James E. Riley, MM, MT-BC

## **Effects of Experiential Music Therapy Education on Student's Reported Empathy and Self-Esteem**

Patricia Winter PhD, MT-BC

## **Hot Topics in Special Music Education: Music Therapy and the Common Core**

Mary Adamek, PhD, MT-BC; Alice-Ann Darrow, PhD, MT-BC; Judith Jellison, PhD

## **21st Century Tools for Educators and Supervisors: There's an App for That!**

Abbey Dvorak, PhD, MT-BC; Daniel Tague, PhD, MT-BC

## **From Research to Practice: Interventions for Adults with Developmental Disabilities and Dementia**

Kyle Wilhelm, MA, MT-BC; Rachel Miller, MT-BC

## **What Do I Do When I See Music Therapy Misrepresented?**

AMTA Professional Advocacy Committee: Emily Bevelaqua, MT-BC; Leslie Henry, MT-BC; Julie Long, MA, MT-BC; Leah Oswanski, MA, MT-BC; Kelley Pujol, MEd, MM, MT-BC; Terri Smith Morse, MT-BC; Cheryl Stephenson, MM, MT-BC

## **IMCAP-ND: A Developmental and Relational Framework for Assessing and Understanding Interactions in Musical-Play**

John A. Carpenete, PhD, LCAT, MT-BC

## **Comparative Religions and Music Therapy in End-of-Life Care**

Meganne K. Masko, MA, MT-BC/L

## **100+ Ideas for Musically Engaged Seniors**

Meredith Faith Hamons, MT-BC

## **A New Duet: Integration of Music Therapy with Diabetes Education**

Susan E. Mandel, PhD, MT-BC

## **The Use of Singing to Promote Health and Well Being for Adults with High Functioning Autism or Asperger's Syndrome**

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Laurel Young, PhD, MTA

## **Improvisation Liberation: Freeing the Voice through Popular Song**

Sharon R. Boyle, MM, MT-BC

## **VOICS™ (Vocal Interactive Communication Strategies™) A New and Dynamic Music Therapy Model**

Yasmine White, MT-BC; Jenna Witcher, MT-BC

## **MT by the Sea: Establishing the first music therapy practice the Cayman Islands**

Julianne Parolisi, MA, MT-BC; Kimberly Febres, MA, MT-BC

## **Self-Care for MT's in the Aftermath of Significant Traumatic Events**

Gloria McDaniel, MT-BC; Robbin Buford, MT-BC

## **Current Trends in Music Therapy Theory: A Comparative Analysis of Contemporary Orientations**

Kenneth Aigen, DA, LCAT, MT-BC

## **State Recognition/Government Relations Advocacy Update**

Judy Simpson, MT-BC

## **Contemporary Teaching: From the Basement to the Virtual Classrooms**

Amy Clements-Cortes, PhD, MTA, MT-BC; Felicity Baker, PhD; Gene Ann Behrens, PhD, MT-BC; Petra Kern, PhD, MT-DMtG, MT-BC, MTA; Melissa Mercadal-Brotons, PhD, MT-BC

## **Follow the Beat to Wellness: Music 4 Life® Health Club & Training Center**

Judith Pinkerton, MT-BC/L

## **The Impact of Cultural Identity on Cross-Cultural Music Therapy Practice and Supervision**

Andrea McGraw Hunt, PhD, MT-BC; ChihChen Sophia Lee, PhD, MT-BC; Seung-A Kim, PhD, AMT, LCAT, MT-BC, Adenike Webb, MMT, MT-BC

## **What They Didn't Teach You in College: Internship & Employment Tips**

Carolyn A. Dobson, AP-BC, MT-BC; Mary Lawrence, MT-BC; Michelle Kennemer, MT-BC; Stephanie Shehan, MT-BC; Christina Stock, MM, MT-BC

## **Music and Movement: Two Ingredients for Infant and Toddler Development**

Carol Ann Blank, MMT, MT-BC

## **Listening To Your Voice: Creative Activities**

Michele Erich, MM, CCLS, MT-BC; Michelle J. Hairston, EdD, MT-BC; David S. Smith, PhD; Amber Weldon-Stephens, EDS, MT-BC

## **Functional Guitar Skills (Students Only): Easy Steps to Improve your Guitar Playing Immediately**

Robert Groene, PhD, MT-BC; Peter Meyer, MA MT-BC; Paul Nolan, MCAT, LPC, MT-BC

## **Turning a Course Inside-Out: The Flipped Classroom Model in Music Therapy Education**

Deborah Layman, MM, PhD(c), MT-BC

## **A Systematic Approach for Using Clinical Improvisation Techniques: Workshop - Presentation**

Debbie Carroll, PhD, MTA; Claire Lefebvre, MA, MTA

## **Crossing Seas and Intercultural Music Therapy Practices: Professional Explorations and Perspectives**

Lucanne Magill, DA, LCAT, MTA, MT-BC; Theresa Merrill, PhD, MT-BC

## **2013 AMTA Conference Concurrent Session Presentations**

### **Gonna Take a Sentimental Journey: Life Review with Older Adults**

Kathleen M. Murphy, PhD, LPC, LCAT, MT-BC; Melanie Brison; Sara Graham; Tyler Vest

### **Autism Spectrum Disorders: Evidence-based Strategies Transposed to Music Therapy Sessions**

Elizabeth Francoeur, MTA, MT-BC, MM, MS

### **Music as Therapy and Extreme Poverty in Latin America**

Patricia Zarate

### **Improvisation is Not Just about Jazz: Using Expressive Arts in Music Therapy**

Karen Estrella, PhD, ATR-BC, MT-BC,

### **Music Makers and Shakers: Neurologic Music Therapy for Parkinson's Disease**

Linda Lathroum, PhD, MT-BC

# 2013 AMTA Conference Clinical Practice Forum Presentations

**Shake, Rattle, and Roll! Music Therapy to Treat Agitation in Hospice**

Alyssa Cadwalader, MA, MT-BC; Shashanna Orellano, MM, MT-BC

**Investigating the Function of Music in Music Therapy: A 21st Century Take on Merriam**

Sarah E. Pitts, MA, MT-BC; Kirsten E. Meyer, MA, MT-BC

**Applying The 12-steps to Self-Care and Burnout Prevention**

Jan Schreibman, MM, CCLS, MT-BC

**Aesthetic Theory with End-of-Life Music Therapy**

Lauren DiMaio, MMT, MT-BC; Lyla Yaner MT-BC

**Chaos to Community: Managing Behaviors in Children's Music Therapy Groups**

Tracy S. Wanamaker, MEd, MT-BC

**Obstacles and Openings: Recognizing Opportunities for Making Musical Connections**

Jill Lucente, MS, MT-BC

**Chartering the improvisational territory: Maps, multisensory theory, boundaries, and transitions as navigation**

Rebecca Zarate PhD, LCAT, MT-BC

**Sail away from Xanax: identifying and transforming themes of anxiety**

Rebecca Zarate PhD, LCAT, MT-BC

**Advanced Music Foundations to Improve Clinical Efficacy**

Whitney P. Ostercamp, MA, MT-BC; Neil Ostercamp

**Music for survival: Evidence based treatment options for individuals with COPD**

Leanne Wade, MA, MT-BC

**Ringin' and Singin' - Establishing a Therapeutic Intergenerational Tone Chime Choir**

Danielle Levine Porter, MM, MT-BC

**Country Roads: Music Therapy in Rural Areas**

Susan Droessler, MT-BC

**Understanding Assessment: One Music Therapist's Unique Approach to Effectively Measuring Functional Skills**

Natasha Thomas, MS, MT-BC

**Vocal Improvisation Skills for Music Therapists**

Lynn Miller, MA, CMT

**Family Music Therapy for Young Children: Theory and Practice**

Carol Ann Blank, MMT, MT-BC

**Music and Movement: Supporting Preschoolers with Special Needs**

Carol Ann Blank, MMT, MT-BC

**MTBO Focus: Building Collaborative Partnerships for a Successful Music Therapy Business**

Meredith R. Pizzi, MT-BC

**Voices of the Baltic Sea: Music Therapy Advokacy @ Russia**

Dawn Sandel, MAE, MT-BC

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**Seidman STEPS up to the plate: Meeting the challenges of sickle cell**

Kathy Jo Gutgsell, RN, MT-BC; Tara Griest, MT-BC; Sam Rodgers-Melnick

**Songwriting in Music Therapy: Get past the I IV V in D**

Alyssa Wilkins; Gabriella Hirsch

**Developing the Orff process in One-on-one Adult Oncology or Hospice Settings**

Cynthia M Colwell, PhD, MT-BC; Jennifer Fiore, MME, MT-BC

**Music therapy with extended stage cancer survivors**

Joy Allen, PhD, MT-BC

**Music Therapy As An Essential Tool for Self Expression in Hospice**

Nicole Giacomino, MT-BC

**The Harmonic Language of the Piano**

Joseph Pinson, MA, MT-BC



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## Continuing Music Therapy Education Courses

### THURSDAY NOVEMBER 21 – 7:30 AM – 12:30 PM

- A. You can Uke**  
Karen Jasko, MS, LPC, MT-BC
- B. Early Childhood Developmental Music Therapy: Assessing, Implementing, and Evaluating Skill Achievement through the Bright Start Curriculum**  
Darcy Walworth, PhD, MT-BC; Judy Engel, MM, MT-BC
- C. What Happens in Cyberspace, Stays in Cyberspace: Ethical Issues in Technology**  
Debbie Bates, MMT, MT-BC
- D. Bio-guided Music Therapy: Utilizing Real-Time Physiological Data to Inform Music Therapy Intervention**  
Eric B. Miller PhD, MT-BC
- E. Clinical Applications of Digital Storytelling: Theme and Variations**  
Heather J. Wagner, MMT, MT-BC
- F. Start Out Successful! 5 Must-Have Ingredients to Turbo-Charge your Career**  
Tim Ringgold, MT-BC
- G. Critical Nuances of Music Therapy Implementation: Musical Techniques of Engagement**  
Susan C. Gardstrom, PhD, MT-BC; James Hiller, PhD, MT-BC; Larisa McHugh, MA, MT-BC
- H. Balinese Gamelan: Performance Practice and Therapeutic Applications**  
Michael Rohrbacher, PhD, MT-BC
- I. A Psychodynamic Music Therapy Master Class: Understanding Transference, Countertransference and Beyond**  
Connie Isenberg, Ph.D., PhD, MTA, MT-BC
- J. Rockin' the Electric Guitar: How to use the Electric Guitar in Music Therapy Sessions**  
Peter Meyer, MA, MT-BC
- K. Filling Your Toolbox: NMT Strategies for Speech-Language, Cognition and Motor Skills**  
Julie Guy, MM, MT-BC; Angela Neve, MT-BC
- L. Stuffing the Songwriter's Pocket: Expanded Songwriting Techniques and Guitar Skills for Clinicians**  
Robert G. H. Miller, MS, MT-BC

### THURSDAY NOVEMBER 21 – 1:30 PM- 6:30 PM

- M. Improvisation is Not Just about Jazz: Using Expressive Arts in Music Therapy**  
Karen Estrella, PhD, ATR-BC, MT-BC; Caryl Beth Thomas, MA, LMHC, ACMT
- N. Music Therapy Incubator: Snapshots of Entrepreneurial MT Program Models**  
Cathy Knoll, MA, MT-BC; Helen Dolas, MS, MT-BC; Barbara Reuer, PhD, MT-BC
- O. This is Country Music (for our Clients)**  
Cowboy Bob & the Rangers: Robert Groene, PhD MT-BC; Sharla Whitsitt MME, MT-BC; Susan Tilbury; Matthew Lloyd

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- P. The A Capella Voice: Developing, Expanding and Exploring Voice as Your Primary Therapeutic Tool**  
Elizabeth K. Schwartz, LCAT MT-BC
- Q. Voices in Music Therapy: Creative Trends in Qualitative Research**  
Laura E. Beer, PhD, ACMT
- R. Clinical Applications of Rap in Music Therapy**  
Nir Sadovnik, MA, LCAT, MT-BC; Alan Thompson, MA, LCAT, MT-BC
- S. Beyond Activities: Relationally-Based Music Therapy for Adults with Severe Disabilities/Autism**  
Roia Rafieyan, MA, MT-BC; Janice Dvorkin, PsyD, MT-BC
- T. Music Therapy for Survivors of War: Blending Performance and Therapy for Healing**  
Karen Wacks, MEd, LMHC, MT-BC; Samite Mulondo, Music Spiritualist and Performer
- U. Songwriting: Tips and Tools for Effectively Using Original Composition within Group Therapy**  
Lindsey A. Holmes, MT-BC; Katy Capestrani, MT-BC
- V. Applications of Evidence Based Data on Music and the Brain in Autism**  
Dale B. Taylor, PhD, MT-BC; Elizabeth L. Stegemöller, PhD
- W. Music Therapy Evidenced Based Practice: Issues with Loss and Grief in Hospice**  
Joey Walker, MA, MT-BC
- X. Private Practice: Blending Mindfulness-Based Cognitive Therapy with Music Therapy**  
Barbara Dunn, PhD, LICSW, MT-BC
- Y. Do It Yourself: Simple Audio Recording and Production using Garage Band**  
Lisa Kynvi, MA, LMHC, MT-BC
- Z. Understanding and Supporting Caregivers across the Age Span Caregivers**  
Amy Goyer, AARP's caregiver expert and former music therapist
- AA. Professional and Ethical Boundaries in Music Therapy**  
Betsey King, Ph.D., MT-BC; Gretchen Patti, MS, MT-BC; Jan Schreibman, MM, MT-BC; Carol Shultis, PhD, LPC, MT-BC; Jennifer Sokira, MMT, LCAT, MT-BC; Elizabeth York, PhD, MT-BC
- BB. Supervising the National Roster Music Therapy Intern**  
Mary Jane Landaker, MT-BC; Eve Montague, MT-BC; Teri McManus, MT-BC; Lauren DiMaio, MT-BC; Gina Hacker, MT-BC; Kay Luedtke-Smith, MT-BC; Amy Smith, MT-BC; Andrea Scheve, MT-BC
- CC. Using the Music Therapy Clinical Self-Assessment Guide**  
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