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Advertising Your Regional Convention in TAO



ATTENTION

2021 Regional Convention Coordinators
 2021 Regional Convention Publicity Coordinators
 AGO Regional Councillors

DEADLINE: MARCH 15, 2020

The first ads for the 2021 Regional Conventions will appear in the May 2020 issue of THE AMERICAN ORGANIST. Each Regional Convention will be given space for a **display advertisement**. These ads should serve as announcements and should include the date, location, and logo of your convention. They may also list the names of confirmed artists and the convention website address or a contact for further information.

Dimension

3.5" (w) x 4.86" (h)



All ads must be press-ready. TAO accepts press-optimized Adobe Acrobat PDF digital files with fonts and graphics embedded. All images should be submitted with a resolution of at least 300 pixels/inch. Color: All embedded graphics should be in CMYK color mode (not RGB). TAO is pleased to recommend skilled designers if needed.

PDFs can be attached and e-mailed to Todd Sisley, tsisley@agohq.org. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

DEADLINE: NOVEMBER 1, 2020

Beginning with the January 2021 issue, we will publish a two-page spread that will run in consecutive issues through June. This layout contains the essential information concerning each of the Regional Conventions.

1. Region name and location of convention
2. Convention dates
3. Website address
4. High-res color version (CMYK, not RGB) of official convention logo (JPG). (Send your web version of the logo to the AGO webmaster.)
5. List of artists, clinicians, and special events
6. Contact information for convention registrar
7. Convention hotline phone number (if any)
8. Cost of registration: prices for differing categories, transportation, meals, etc.
9. Name and address of official convention hotel and alternate housing
10. Cost of housing and deadline for reservations

Please send the above information via e-mail (in an attachment) to tsisley@agohq.org. The high-res logo may be sent as an attachment.

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 <p>REGION I NEW ENGLAND Hartford, Connecticut June 26-29 Web site: www.HartfordAGO.org</p>	<p>Artists/Clinicians: David Allen Peter Bagley James Barry Robert Clough Young John Adams Hector Diamante Bayre David Kopp Margaret L. Brooks John H. Brown Richard Coffey</p>	<p>CONCORDIA William Zakarias Margot Heister Glen Gode Peter Madhman Kenneth Ormrod Robo Heister Mark Mazzoli Mary Ellen Jurda John H. Brown Debra A. Smith</p>	<p>Recital Ensembles: The Rev. John J. Marchant David Cyle Moore Peter Madhman The Rev. Louis Westenthaler Mark Mazzoli David V. Pomato John H. Brown Susan K. Smith</p>	<p>Patricia Swain Martha Sobaj David Soper Lara Z. Trappner Phyllis Trappner Cheryl Waldworth Bridget Hester Wendy</p>	<p>Special Events Evening at Christ Church Cathedral National Convention Women's Recital Wine Reception and Carillon Concert at Trinity College Convention Banquet North Organ History Day Pre-convention joint and theater organ concert Pre-convention organ recital</p>	<p>Fees: Early (by March 1) Regular (after March 1) Non-Member \$270 Student/Senior/Spouse/Partner: \$225</p> <p>Headquarters: Hartford, CT 06103 Phone: 860-728-5151 or 1-800-943-7262 \$120 (plus tax) (single/double) \$220 plus tax (double) Rates guaranteed through June 11 (American "American Guild of Organists" Region 1 Conference when held)</p> <p>Registrar: Stephen J. Dick Carter Hatched Region 1 Convention P.O. Box 33008 West Hartford, CT 06130-1000 Email: Registrar@HartfordAGO.org</p>
 <p>REGION II & III NEW YORK-NEW JERSEY MID-ATLANTIC Poughkeepsie, New York June 22-25 Web site: www.sbrago.org</p>	<p>Artists/Clinicians: Charles Callahan Charles L. Young Peter Schoeninger Elihu Lumbert Elihu Lumbert John Long</p>	<p>J. David Hart David Kopp Arthur David Miller Neil Layman Thomas Schmidt Craig Williams</p>	<p>John Weiser Margaret Gallagher Art Callahan The Cantata Choir and the Luther Church Society</p>	<p>Compositional Composers: Janetta Gay Joseph Benvenuto Charles Callahan Charles Weiser</p>	<p>Service Music and Repertory Tuning Possibilities Recital Programming for the 21st Century Children's Choir: Easthingham (Unique Sounds of the Fifth Organ) Choir: Management and Programming Financial Planning for Organists Has Your Church Can Utilize the internet</p>	<p>Special Events: Pre-Convention Theater Organ Concert Concert at Vassar College Concert at Gaddi Chapel, West Hill Four Additional Concerts Banquet (Guest Speaker: Peter Schoeninger)</p> <p>Headquarters: Poughkeepsie Grand Hotel 40 Oak Center Plaza Poughkeepsie, NY 12601 www.poughkeepsie.com Room: \$119 per room per night, double occupancy (includes garage parking and breakfast) Special rates for AGO members</p> <p>Registration: Early: \$120 Regular: \$125 Student: \$75 Spouse/Partner: \$100 Non-member: \$125</p> <p>Registrar: \$45-163-1249 CHAGO@earthlink.net</p> <p>Fees: Includes bus transportation, banquet, and one day lunch Early (before 3/1): \$205 Regular (beginning 3/1): \$208 Student: \$75 Spouse/Partner: \$100 Non-member: \$125</p>
 <p>REGION IV SOUTHEAST Columbus, Georgia June 13-15 Web site: http://ago.colstate.edu</p>	<p>Artists/Presidents: David Boycher David Benninger Francis Brennan Janet Bisset Faytha Bisset</p>	<p>Oliver Lally Norman Macanville Michael Maronde Sam Mitchell-Williams Robert Ryan Piche Worthington</p>	<p>John Weiser Norman Macanville Charles O'Neil Colleen Dale O'Neil Cecilia O'Neil Christina</p>	<p>Venue: Worship Center for the Performing Arts The Springs Opera House The Columbus Museum (Downtown Columbus)</p>	<p>Special Events: Opening Night Festival Organ and Concerts Special Concerts Gourmet Banquet (if in a Major City) Chorus Master Pre-Convention Chamber Music Concert</p>	<p>Fees: Regular members: \$110 Student: \$75 Check Web site for senior and student discounts</p> <p>Headquarters: 1101 North 1st Street Columbus, GA 31906 Phone: 606-528-5900</p> <p>Registrar: John Weiser 106-645-7740 E-mail: johnweiser@colstate.edu</p>
 <p>REGION V GREAT LAKES Grand Rapids, Michigan June 19-22 Web site: www.srags.org</p>	<p>Artists/Clinicians: Barry Stein Lauri Swanson Lauri Swanson Lauri Swanson Lauri Swanson Lauri Swanson Lauri Swanson Lauri Swanson Lauri Swanson Lauri Swanson</p>	<p>Keith Hill James Jones Reinald Anke Paul Lantz Rena Gantist Christina Gantist Paul Stepien Hector Swain Susanne Swain</p>	<p>Jonathan Tank John Stone Reinald Anke Paul Lantz Rena Gantist Christina Gantist Paul Stepien Hector Swain Susanne Swain</p>	<p>Compositional Composers: Eugene Delon John Stone Reinald Anke Paul Lantz Rena Gantist Christina Gantist Paul Stepien Hector Swain Susanne Swain</p>	<p>Special Events: Sunday Concert featuring the music of Herbert Howells Sunday Evening Concert of Music for Organ and Orchestra Friday Service at the Basilica of St. Ambrose Worship Center Organ Concert at the Van Alstyne Museum Center</p>	<p>Fees: Regular: \$225 before 3/1, \$275 thereafter Spouse (discount with current ID): \$95-120-150 Student: \$75 Late Registration: \$300 (after 3/1, after 4/15, after 5/15)</p> <p>Headquarters: The Amway Grand Plaza Hotel Grand Rapids, Michigan 606-528-5900</p> <p>Registrar: John Weiser 106-645-7740 E-mail: johnweiser@colstate.edu</p>
 <p>REGION VI NORTH CENTRAL Colorado Springs, Colorado June 26-29 Web site: www.scsago2005.org</p>	<p>Artists/Clinicians: Richard Baker Michael Beer Michael B. Gantist Michael B. Gantist Michael B. Gantist Michael B. Gantist Michael B. Gantist Michael B. Gantist Michael B. Gantist Michael B. Gantist</p>	<p>Peggy Johnson John Kuffel Edmund Luthardt Christina Lutz Barbara Lutz Dorothy Lindner-Martin Bonnie Lutz Kevin McCann D. Michael Thomas Murphy</p>	<p>Patricia Swain Mary Preston Linda and Bill Tanka Judy Walsh Celia Walsh</p>	<p>Special Events: Organ Festival with Michael Buehler USA's Grand Brass & Organ Chamber Orchestra of the Springs Colorado Springs Arts Festival Bach Collaboration Concert Open Concert Theater Organ Concert Pines Peak Organ</p>	<p>Fees: Regular: \$215 (before 3/1/15) Student: \$150 Under 21 over 18 or disabled: \$215 Under 18: \$125 Full-time student under 21 with ID: \$180 (before 3/1), \$200 thereafter Transfer: \$120 per room + tax Non-member and bulk rates available Local Transportation (optional): \$25</p>	<p>Headquarters: Aurora Hotel 2 South Cascade Ave Colorado Springs, CO 80902 Phone: 719-594-1111 Fax: 719-594-1111 E-mail: info@scsago.org</p> <p>Registrar: John Weiser 106-645-7740 E-mail: johnweiser@colstate.edu</p>
 <p>REGION VII SOUTHWEST Tulsa, Oklahoma June 12-15 Web site: www.agohq.org/chapters/tulsa</p>	<p>Artists: Peter Soper Clive Driskill-Griffin Timothy Hill Michael Beckwith Nicholas Wilson Tina May Singlet</p>	<p>Mary Rabin John Rabin John Rabin John Rabin John Rabin John Rabin John Rabin John Rabin John Rabin John Rabin</p>	<p>Workshops: Church Music and Worship Traditional and Contemporary Tune Writing Organ Maintenance 101 New Organ Music</p>	<p>Special Events: Compositional Composers Organ and Concerts Special Concerts Gourmet Banquet (if in a Major City) Chorus Master Pre-Convention Chamber Music Concert</p>	<p>Fees: Regular: \$270 (before 3/1), \$225 thereafter Special: \$100, student</p>	<p>Headquarters: 1101 North 1st Street Columbus, GA 31906 Phone: 606-528-5900</p> <p>Registrar: John Weiser 106-645-7740 E-mail: johnweiser@colstate.edu</p>
 <p>REGION VIII PACIFIC NORTHWEST Billings, Montana June 27-30 Web site: www.agohq.org/chapters/yellowstone</p>	<p>Artists: David Boycher Timothy Hill Michael Beckwith Nicholas Wilson Tina May Singlet Dan McCoy</p>	<p>Edward Harris David Hill John Foch Johnson William Leonard Alex Lynn Christina Steve Hagenweber John Diller Reinald Anke</p>	<p>Workshops: Church Music and Worship Traditional and Contemporary Tune Writing Organ Maintenance 101 New Organ Music</p>	<p>Special Events: Compositional Composers Organ and Concerts Special Concerts Gourmet Banquet (if in a Major City) Chorus Master Pre-Convention Chamber Music Concert</p>	<p>Fees: Regular: \$270 (before 3/1), \$225 thereafter Special: \$100, student</p>	<p>Headquarters: 1101 North 1st Street Columbus, GA 31906 Phone: 606-528-5900</p> <p>Registrar: John Weiser 106-645-7740 E-mail: johnweiser@colstate.edu</p>
 <p>REGION IX MID-WINTER CONCLAVE Southern Nevada Chapter Las Vegas, Nevada January 8-12, 2006 Web site: www.sagreg1Koonclave.com</p>	<p>Artists/Clinicians: Michael Bevine Timothy Hill Michael Beckwith Nicholas Wilson Tina May Singlet Dan McCoy</p>	<p>Sandra Lee Dierker John H. Brown John H. Brown John H. Brown John H. Brown John H. Brown John H. Brown John H. Brown John H. Brown John H. Brown</p>	<p>Miloslav Teco William Leonard Alex Lynn Christina Steve Hagenweber John Diller Reinald Anke</p>	<p>Special Events: Compositional Composers Organ and Concerts Special Concerts Gourmet Banquet (if in a Major City) Chorus Master Pre-Convention Chamber Music Concert</p>	<p>Fees: Regular: \$270 (before 3/1), \$225 thereafter Special: \$100, student</p>	<p>Headquarters: 1101 North 1st Street Columbus, GA 31906 Phone: 606-528-5900</p> <p>Registrar: John Weiser 106-645-7740 E-mail: johnweiser@colstate.edu</p>

The image above shows the layout of information spread over two pages in the magazine. Prepare your convention information in a Word document running down the left margin (as shown in the numbered items at the top of this page).

DEADLINE: DECEMBER 1, 2020

Each Regional Convention will be given a half-page color ad free of charge in the February 2021 issue. All ads must be sent press-ready. TAO accepts press-optimized Adobe Acrobat PDF digital files with fonts and graphics embedded. All images should be submitted with a resolution of at least 300 pixels/inch. Color: All embedded graphics should be in CMYK color mode (not RGB). TAO is pleased to recommend skilled designers if needed.

Space
1/2 page

Dimension
7" (w) x 4.86" (h)

Please supply a PDF of your ad by e-mail attachment to tsisley@agohq.org



DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 1, 2021

Each Regional Convention will be given one full-page color ad free of charge in the April 2021 issue. We suggest careful planning of this space. The material should be both attention-catching and informative. Good, high-res photos should be chosen to add interest. All ads must be received press-ready. TAO accepts press-optimized Adobe Acrobat PDF digital files with fonts and graphics embedded. All images should be submitted with a resolution of at least 300 pixels/inch. Color: All embedded graphics should be in CMYK color mode (not RGB). TAO is pleased to recommend skilled designers if needed.

Space	Dimension
Full page (no bleed)	7" (w) x 9.931" (h)

*Bleed size: 8.25" x 11.125"
 Trim size: 8" x 10.875"
 Live area: 7.5" x 10.375"

*Contact ad manager Maury Castro (maury.castro@agohq.org) to receive a document containing a full explanation of our printer's bleed requirements.

Please supply your ad by e-mail attachment to tsisley@agohq.org

**SOUTHWEST AGO
 REGIONAL CONVENTION**
 JUNE 28 - JULY 1, 2015
 FORT WORTH, TX

FEATURING

 Todd Wilson	 Jane Parker-Smith	 Bradley Welch	 Yoon-Mi Lim	 Kiyo and Chiemi Watanabe
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ENSEMBLES
 Schola Cantorum of Texas
 Concert Bells of Fort Worth

PERFORMERS
 Charlotte Mattax Moersch
 Robert August
 Timothy Shewmaker

COMPOSERS
 S. Andrew Lloyd
 Sondra Tucker

PRESENTERS
 Albert Travis
 Russell Stinson
 Charlotte Kroeker
 Janet Pummill

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Additional Display Ads

Each Regional Convention will be given one additional free color advertisement (up to 1/4 page) in the issue of its choice. These ads must be submitted press-ready according to the specifications and deadlines printed in the TAO media kit posted online at www.agohq.org.

Post-Convention Reports

Each Regional Convention will be given up to one page of the October 2021 issue for a report (approx. 700 words) with one high-resolution photograph (at least 300 dpi, original size; TIFFs or JPGs). Convention Coordinators or Regional Councillors should assign a local person to write this report and obtain the necessary photograph. **Deadline: August 1, 2021**

AGO/Quimby Regional Competitions for Young Organists

We will print a two-page spread of the winners of the AGO/Quimby Regional Competitions for Young Organists in the October 2021 issue. Please provide Harold Calhoun with high-resolution photos of the first- and second-place winners together with brief, updated biographies, addresses (postal and e-mail), and phone numbers.

Since we have had great difficulty in securing this information in the past, please charge your Competition Coordinator with the responsibility of securing this information and sending it to Harold Calhoun (hc@agohq.org). Remind the winners that up-to-date information in TAO may lead to recital engagements in their area. **Deadline: August 1, 2021**

Note: As soon as convention publicity coordinators/graphic designers have been appointed or engaged, please send their contact information to tsisley@agohq.org. This document is available as a PDF. Send request to tsisley@agohq.org.

Thank you for your help in keeping the magazine on schedule.

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