



42nd Annual NATS Southern Regional Conference and Student Auditions

Featuring the Members of the Southern Region of NATS

University of Southern Mississippi School of Music

November 9 – 11, 2017

Auditions Chair office – School of Music Office/Conference Room

Vendor/Registration Area – PAC Lobby & Marsh Lobby

Wednesday, November 8 Executive Board Meeting

6:30PM Cotton Blues

TBD Rehearsal for *Master Class* **Marsh Auditorium**

Thursday, November 9

8:00AM Hospitality Space – **FAB 212**

8:30AM Judges meeting – **Marsh Auditorium**

9:30AM Preliminary Round Begins

4:00PM Rehearsal time for Members Recital – **Parkway United Methodist Church**

7:00PM Welcome by Regional Governor – **Parkway United Methodist Church**

Singing of An die Musik

Awarding of Brothers Award to Collaborative Pianist

Members Recital

Announcement of Semi-Finalists

Friday, November 10

8:00AM Regional Breakfast, then individual State meetings – **Thad Cochoran Room 218**

10:00AM Semi Finals Round begins

10:00AM - noon Open Masterclass for Non Semi-Finalists – **University Baptist Church** - Richard Hobson

10:30AM – 3PM Parkway United Methodist available for NATSAA rehearsal

1:30PM Lecture Recital – Cheryl Coker - **Marsh Auditorium**

The Language of Lullabies – A musical thread through cultures and countries

1:30PM Lecture Recital –Chris MacRae - **Gonzales Auditorium (Liberal Arts Bldg)**

The Use of Landscape in the portrayal of Canadian National Identity in Srul Irving Glick's Song Cycle "South of North, Images of Canada"

2:00PM Lecture Recital – Terri Sanders - **Marsh Auditorium**

The Silver Queen: The Legacy of the real Baby Doe

3:00PM NATSAA competition – **Parkway United Methodist Church**

7:00PM Performance of *Master Class* – **Saenger Theatre (Downtown)**

Announcement of Finalists

Saturday, November 11

9:00AM Finals begin – **Parkway United Methodist Church**

Approx. 2:00PM End of conference

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