



NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF NEGRO MUSICIANS, INC.
Dr. Anne-Marie Hudley Simmons, National President

2023 NATIONAL CONVENTION
Sunday, July 9, 2023 - Wednesday, July 12, 2023

Dr. Sylvia T. Hollifield, Chair
Mr. Julian Goods, Co-Chair

Sunday, July 9, 2023

- 3:00 PM** **The Gathering**
Mr. Paul-Martin, 1st Vice President, Presiding
St. Luke Community United Methodist Church
- 6:30 PM** **Strings Competition**
Ms. Nicole Davis, National Scholarship Chair
Plaza A • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel
- 8:45 PM** **President's Scholarship Reception**
Plaza C • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel

Monday, July 10, 2023

- 8:00 - 8:50 AM** **Regional Directors' Meeting**
Board Members Meeting/CYA Meeting
Pegasus A • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel
- 9:00 AM - 10:10 PM** **Plenary Session I: Marian Anderson String Quartet**
Performance/Lecture • Gateways Music Festival
Plaza C • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel
- 10:15 - 11:20 AM** **Opening Business Meeting**
Dr. Anne-Marie Hudley Simmons, National President
Plaza A • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel

- 11:30 AM - 12:15 PM** **The Bridge: Tone Poem by Sharon J. Willis, An Introduction**
Clinician: Dr. Carlos Brown
Plaza B • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel
- Gospel Music in the Heights**
Clinician: Damien Sneed
Plaza C • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel
- 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM** **Strings Masterclass**
Clinician: Ms. Rosalyn Story
Plaza A • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel
- 2:00 - 3:15 PM** **The Wisdom of the Spirituals**
Clinician: Dr. Arthur Jones
Plaza B • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel
- Music Therapy (Youth/Junior)**
Clinician: Ms. Rashida Dick
Pegasus A • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel
- 3:30 - 5:15 PM** **Choir Rehearsal / Orchestra Rehearsal**
Plaza A • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel
- 4:30 - 5:45 PM** **Strengthening K-12 Music Education**
Clinician: Ms. Joyce Norfleet
Panelists: Dr. Pamela Anderson and Dr. Sherill Spruill
Plaza B • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel
- 7:30 - 9:00 PM** **Southwestern Region Night in Dallas, TX**
Facilitator: Mr. Barron Coleman
Sammons Center for the Arts

Tuesday, July 11, 2023

- 8:00 - 8:50 AM** **Regional Meetings**
- 9:00 - 10:10 AM** **Plenary Session II: My Sister's Keeper (Lecture/Performance)**
Clinicians: Dr. Minnita Daniel-Cox, Dr. Alexis Davis-Hazell, Dr. Marcia Porter, and Dr. Rosalyn Wright Floyd
Plaza A • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel
- 10:15 - 11:25 AM** **The Gullah Geechee Origins of the Negro Spiritual**
Clinician: Dr. Eric Crawford
Plaza B • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel
- Presidents' Empowerment Meeting**
Clinicians: Ms. Dorothy Canady and Ms. Henrietta Fortson
Pegasus A • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel

- 11:30 AM - 12:45 PM** **Music Therapy - The Power of Music and the Brain**
Clinician: Dr. Arvis Jones
 Plaza A • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel
- 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM** **Life Member's Guild Scholarship Luncheon**
Mr. Paul-Martin Bender, Life Member's Guild Chairperson
 Plaza A • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel
- 1:00 - 1:50 PM** **Collegiate Young Artist Concert**
 Plaza C • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel
- 2:00 - 3:30 PM** **William Warfield Masterclass**
Facilitator: Barbara Hill-Moore
 Plaza A • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel
- 3:00 - 4:15 PM** **Dallas On Your Own**
- Choir Rehearsal / Orchestra Rehearsal**
 First United Methodist Church (Garfield, TX)
- 7:30 PM** **Gala Concert**
"Chariot Jubilee" (N. Dett) and *"Cry of Jeremiah"* (R. Powell)
Featuring Mansfield Philharmonic Orchestra and the Scholarship Winners' Circle
 First United Methodist Church (Garfield, TX)

Wednesday, July 12, 2023

- 9:00 - 10:00 AM** **Memorial Service**
Facilitator: Ms. Bernice H. Hall, National Chaplain
 Plaza C • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel
- 10:15 - 11:25 AM** **A Documentary: ICYOLA-Inner City Youth Orchestra of Los Angeles**
Clinician: Mr. Charles Dickerson
 Plaza B • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel
- Music Composition & Technology (Youth/Junior)**
Clinician: Dr. Brandon Waddles
 Pegasus A • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel
- 11:30 AM - 12:45 PM** **Contemporary African American Choral Music**
Clinicians: Dr. Brandon Boyd and Dr. Brandon Waddles
 Plaza B • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel
- 12:00 - 1:45 PM** **Instrumental Music for Youth (Youth/Junior)**
Clinician: Dr. Eric Majied
 Pegasus A • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel
- 1:00 - 1:50 PM** **Musical Interlude - Collegiate Division**

Plaza C • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel

2:00 - 3:15 PM

Youth/Junior Concert

Presenter: Ms. Nina R. Scott, Youth/Jr. Division Chair

Plaza B • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel

3:30 - 4:30 PM

Installation of Officers

Dr. Anne-Marie Hudley Simmons Presiding

Pegasus B • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel

Youth Jamboree

Hosted by Dallas Children's Choir • Ms. Carmalie Sims, Director

Pegasus A • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel

6:30 - 8:45 PM

Gala Awards Banquet

Mr. Paul-Martin Bender Presiding

Plaza A+B • Dallas Marriott Downtown Hotel