

History of AOSA Professional Development Conferences

1969 Muncie, IN
Conference Chairperson, Arnold Burkart

1970 Cincinnati, OH
NCC,1 Arnold Burkart
LCC,2 Dr. Elizabeth Taylor

1971 Memphis, TN
NCC, Ruth Hamm
LCCs, Nancy Ferguson and Konnie Saliba

1972 Chicago, IL
NCC, Ruth Hamm
LCC, Jacobeth Postl

1973 Minneapolis, MN
NCC, Konnie Saliba
LCCs, Jane Frazee and Arvida Steen

1974 Boston, MA
Spring NCC, Konnie Saliba
LCC, Edna Geary

1974 Denver, CO
Fall NCC, Jacobeth Postl
LCCs, Barbara Grenoble and Edith Morris

1975 Pittsburgh, PA
Spring NCC, Jacobeth Postl
LCC, Jean Wilmouth

1975 Detroit, MI
Fall NCC, Jane Frazee
LCC, Peg Van Haaren

1976 Los Angeles, CA
NCC, Nancy Ferguson
LCC, Millie Burnett

1977 Washington DC
NCC, Mary Shamrock
LCCs, Brigitte Warner and Phyllis Arner

1978 Saint Louis, MO
NCC, Lillian Yaross
LCC, Cordelia Stumberg

1979 Phoenix, AZ
NCC, Arvida Steen
LCC, Vivian Burgmeier

1980 Pittsburgh, PA
NCC, Millie Burnett
LCC, Jean Wilmouth

1981 Albuquerque, NM
NCC, Carolyn Tower
LCC, Virginia Ebinger

1982 *A Cultural Kaleidoscope
Integrating the Arts*
Portland, OR
NCCs, Janice Rapley and Nedra Schnoor
LCC, Sr. Christine Weber

1983 *North Coast Soundings*
Cleveland, OH
NCC, Judith Thomas
LCC, Betty Jane Lahman

1984 *Destination Improvisation*
Las Vegas, NV
NCC, Virginia Ebinger
LCC, Gloria Fuoco-Lawson

1985 *Heartland Horizons:
The Future of Music Education*
Kansas City, MO
NCC, Judy Bond
LCCs, Joy Browne and Karen Logbeck

1986 *The Spirit of '86:
An American Evolution*
Boston, MA
NCCs, Pat Hamill and Marion O'Connell
LCCs, Pat Browne and Carolee Stewart

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1987 *The Chicago Connection:*

The Artistic Child

Chicago, IL

NCC, Carol Huffman

LCCs, Sheran Fiedler and Judith Kirby

1988 *Watercolors: An International Palette*

Detroit, MI

NCCs, Donna Monticello and Carolyn Tower

LCCs, Marilyn Collins and Claudia Spring

1989 *A Southern Jubilee*

Atlanta, GA

NCC, Beth Miller

LCCs, Frederica Thames and Sharon Vrieland

1990 *Colorado Cottage: Celebrating Music and Language through Orff Schulwerk*

Denver, CO

NCCs, Ruth Ann Chiaraluce and Douglas C. Wilson

LCCs, Gwen Mickle and Meg Worth

1991 *Pacific Fusion Embracing Music Cultures through Orff Schulwerk*

San Diego, CA

NCC, Mary Shamrock

LCC, Gloria Ensign

1992 *Northland Voyage: Exploring Sources and New Directions*

Minneapolis, MN

NCC, Carolee Stewart

LCCs, Randy Edinger, Hilree Hamilton and Patricia K. Rice

1993 *The Drum, the Voice, the Dance*

Indianapolis, IN

NCC, Douglas C. Wilson

LCC, Judith McMillen

1994 *A Declaration of Interdependence*

Philadelphia, PA

NCCs, Karen Medley and Richard E. Watt

LCCs, John F. Bednar and Rose Grellis

1995 *Tapestry of Time: A Centenary Celebration*

Dallas-Fort Worth, TX

NCCs, Judith Cole and Janet Robbins

LCCs, Jan Baker and Chris Judah-Lauder

1996 *Bridging Traditions: Memphis Montage*

Memphis, TN

NCC, Karen Medley

LCCs, Carol King and Susan Van Dyck

1997 *Northwest Horizons Exploring the Elements*

Seattle, WA

NCC, Douglas C. Wilson

LCCs, Diane Graham and Donna Poppe

1998 *The Sun, the Source, the Schulwerk*

Tampa, FL

NCC, Betty Jane Lahman

LCCs, Debbie Clifton and Donna Dixon

1999 *Music for All Ages:*

Southwest Renaissance

Phoenix, AZ

NCCs, Del Bohlmeier and Richard E. Watt

LCCs, Cathleen Brock and Jon Sywassink

2000 *Overture: Reflections of the Past, Focus on the Future.*

Rochester, NY

NCCs, Kay Lehto and Karen Medley

LCCs, Maureen Oser and Jessie Vance

2001 *Fountain of Creativity*

Cincinnati, OH

NCC, Rosemary Koepfle

LCC, Peggie True

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2002 *Desert Rhapsody:*

Images in Sound and Motion

Las Vegas, NV

NCCs, Joan Middlebrook and Sue Mueller

LCCs, Rossanna Arager and Sue Loser

2003 *Run with your Imagination:*

A Bluegrass Celebration

Louisville, KY

NCCs, Rob Amchin and Timothy S. Brophy

LCCs, Gina Eberenz and Alice Wells

2004 *Rhythms of Life, Oceans of Voices*

Long Beach, CA

NCCs, Kay Lehto and Patty Reed

LCCs, David Connors, Lynn Halterlein and

Alex Morales

2005 *Southern Harmony:*

Many Voices, One Spirit

Birmingham, AL

NCCs, Shirley McRae and Vivian Murray

LCCs, Marsha Alexander and Melanie Harris

2006 *Seeds of Discovery:*

A Great Plains Harvest

Omaha, NE

NCC, Donna Staton

LCCs, Karen Benson and Shelly A. Smith

2007 *The Art of Play*

San Jose, CA

NCC, Karen Medley

LCCs, James Harding and Heidi Tzortzis

2008 *Patschwerk of Possibilities*

Charlotte, NC

NCCs, Diane Sabourin and Jessie Vance

LCCs Jane Hoch and Noreen Hofmann

2009 *Great Lakes, Great Traditions*

Milwaukee, WI

NCCs, Brian Burnett and Chris Judah-Lauder

LCCs, Judy Brauer and Mary Lea Clark

2010 *Rhythms of the River,*

Flowing from the Source

Spokane, WA

NCC, Sue Mueller

LCCs, Karen Baldwin and Linda Hohn

2011 *Neighbors in Harmony Creating Connections*

Pittsburgh, PA

NCCs, Alice Pratt and Diane Sabourin

LCCs, Robin Brian and Billie Hollenbaugh

2012 *Gateway to Exploration*

St. Louis, MO

NCCs, LuAnn Hayes and Joan Stansbury

LCCs, Sue Phillips and Mimi Steele

2013 *Rocky Mountain Rendezvous*

Denver, CO

NCC, Doug Wilson

LCCs, Barbara Pierpoint and Judy Sapegin

2014 *Music City Montage*

Nashville, TN

NCCs, Tiffany English and Alice Pratt

LCCs, Mimi Hamilton and Susan Ramsey

2015, San Diego, CA

NCCs, Rhonda Greeson and Kay Lehto

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