

KSU SUMMER BAND DIRECTOR SYMPOSIUM
for High School and Middle School Instrumental Directors- June 10-13, 2024

Monday, June 10

8:00-8:45 am (Bailey Center Lobby/Scott Hall)
Check- in/ Continental Breakfast with Coffee and Conversation
8:45-9:15 am David Kehler/Nat Parker: *Welcome, Setting the Stage*
9:30-12:30 pm Morning Session (Morgan Hall)
Conducting Rounds
1230-200 pm Lunch provided
Afternoon Sessions (Scott Hall)
2:00-2:55 pm Sarah McKoin presentation
3:00-3:55 pm Flex band repertoire ensemble lab
4:00-4:55 pm Josh Byrd presentation
5:15 pm Happy Hour tba

Tuesday, June 11

Morning Session (Morgan Hall)
930-12:30 pm Conducting Rounds
12:30 pm Lunch on own
Afternoon Sessions (Scott Hall)
2:00-2:55 pm David Kehler: *Conducting Gesture and Rehearsal Strategies*
3:00-3:55 pm Julia Bullard: *Alexander Technique for Conductors*
4:00-4:55 pm Brandon Meeks: *Motivational and Organizational Skills for Building a Better Band Culture*

Wednesday, June 12 Morning Session (Morgan Hall)

9:30-12:30 pm Conducting Rounds
12:30 pm Lunch on own
Afternoon Sessions (Scott Hall)
2:00-2:55 pm Rachel Sorenson: *Music Education Presentation*
3:00-3:55 pm Flex Band Repertoire Ensemble Lab
4:00-4:55 pm David Kehler, Sarah McKoin, Josh Byrd, Daniel Lee: *Band Repertoire*
5:15 pm Happy Hour tba

Thursday, June 13 Morning Session (Morgan Hall)

9:30-12:30 Conducting Rounds
1230-200 pm Lunch provided
Afternoon Sessions (Scott Hall)
2:00-2:55 pm John Lawless: *Percussion Techniques and Drumming*
3:00-3:55 pm David Kehler, Sarah McKoin, Josh Byrd, Rachel Sorenson, Daniel Lee,
Brandon Meeks: *Symposium Discussion and Open Forum*
4:00 pm End of Symposium

Each conducting participant will receive 30 minutes (3x 10 min sessions) of conducting time with the ensemble and will receive direct feedback from David Kehler, Sarah McKoin, and Josh Byrd. In addition, all conducting sessions will be video recorded and given immediately to the participant for review.