



Call for Research Symposium Presentations (January 19, 2017) and Poster Session Participants (January 20, 2017)

MMEA Seventh Annual Research Symposium

11:00am – 2:00pm: Thursday, Jan. 19, 2017

Grand Rapids, MI – Amway Grand Hotel

MMEA Research Poster Session - Meet the Authors

9:30am – 10:30am: Friday, Jan. 20, 2017

Grand Rapids, MI - Amway Grand Hotel: Ambassador Foyer (2nd Floor)

The MMEA is pleased to announce research activities for the 2017 Michigan Music Conference (January 19-21) in Grand Rapids. Two research events will be held: (a) the Seventh Annual Research Symposium (Thursday, January 19) and (b) the “Meet the Authors” Research Poster Session (Friday, January 20). Submissions for the Research Symposium may include (a) completed papers or (b) round-table presentations of research in progress. Posters may include completed research, reviews of literature, or research in progress. Authors submitting papers or round-table presentations may also apply for the poster session.

FOR PAPER PRESENTATION (at Symposium, Thursday, January 19)

Submit completed research paper including references and an abstract of no more than 300 words. The research may be of any type as long as it relates to music education. Reviews of research will not be considered for paper presentation. All accepted papers are welcomed and encouraged to present at the poster session on Friday, January 20.

FOR ROUND-TABLE DISCUSSIONS (at Symposium, Thursday, January 19)

Research must be in progress. Reviews of research will be considered. Authors will briefly present their work and receive feedback from symposium attendees. Submit a description of the research not exceeding 500 words. All accepted round-table presentations are welcomed and encouraged to present at the poster session on Friday, January 20.

FOR POSTER PRESENTATION (at “Meet the Authors”, Friday, January 20)

Submit an abstract that does not exceed 300 words. All posters accepted for presentation will be displayed on tables and must be freestanding. Works in progress and reviews of literature WILL be considered for poster presentation.

Send submissions to Dr. Phillip Hash at pmh3@calvin.edu by *Friday, November 4, 2016*. Please indicate submission type(s) for which you are applying (paper, round-table, and/or poster). Authors will receive a submission confirmation by Monday, November 7, and notification of reviewers’ decision by Monday, November 28, 2016. All submissions must adhere to the NAFME Research Publication/Presentation Code of Ethics available at <http://www.nafme.org/my-classroom/journals-magazines/journal-of-research-in-music-education-code-of-ethics/>.

All presenters and attendees must be members of NAFME/State Affiliate or one of the MMC sponsoring organizations and register for the conference. Out of state submissions are welcomed! Symposium participants must register for the Pre-conference Symposium (Members: \$20.00; Students, \$5.00), which is in addition to the full conference on the registration form. Registration information is available at www.michiganmusicconference.org.