



Pipe Organ Encounters

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Scholarship assistance is available through the American Guild of Organists. Please contact Judy Connelly, Director of the POE, for informa-tion on initiating the online scholarship applica-tion process. In addition, students may also contact AGO chapters or religious institutions if financial aid is needed.

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Pipe Organ Encounter

July 23-28, 2017

SHENANDOAH UNIVERSITY

1460 University Dr., Winchester, VA 22601

Braddock Street United Methodist

115 Wolfe St., Winchester, VA 22601

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An Overview

POE is designed for teenagers 13-18, who have achieved an intermediate level of keyboard proficiency. Previous organ study is not required. Special consideration with regards to age and training may be allowed by the POE Committee on an individual basis.

POE Highlights

- Felix Hell and Katelyn Emerson in concert
- Trip to Taylor and Boody Organ Builders, Staunton, VA
- Luray Caverns, Carillon Performance

Featured Instruments

- Aeolian-Skinner, III manuals, 55 ranks, Trinity Episcopal Church, Upperville, VA
- Letourneau, III manuals, 40 ranks, Braddock St. United Methodist Church, Winchester, VA
- Newly renovated by Taylor and Boody, II manuals, 28 ranks, tracker, Christ Episcopal Church, Winchester, VA

Faculty Members

Jeff Alban
Bill Atwood
Judy Connelly
Steven Cooksey
Ted Dix
Julie Vidrick Evans

Katelyn Emerson
Nathaniel Gumb
Felix Hell
Marvin Mills
Tom Mitts
Donald Sutherland

Faculty will include distinguished organists from across the country. The faculty is subject to change without notice.

Accommodations/Travel

Students will be housed on the campus of Shenandoah University in double occupancy resident hall rooms. All meals will be included. The nearest airport is Dulles International Airport (IAD). A shuttle will be arranged for transportation to and from the airport.

Application Instructions

Please see the Student Registration part of this brochure. Remember, the sooner we receive your registration, the more likely we can guarantee a spot for the event. Registration will be limited.

You may email or call the Director of the POE with questions or for any needed material. We look forward to welcoming you to the lovely "Shenandoah Valley."

Student Registration

Registration for all POE events is exclusively available online.

Please visit:

<https://www.agohq.org/education/poe/>

PAYMENT FORM

Student Name

Address

City/Town

State

Zip

Parent Name

POE Registration Fee: \$520.00

Early Bird Registration Fee: \$495.00
if registered by 5/1/17.

The final registration deadline is 6/15/17.

Full payment is due at the time of registration.

Please make checks payable to: **WAGO**

Please send this form and check to:

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*Refunds will be given up to June 1.
After June 1, 50% refund till July 1.*

Quotes from previous POE attendees:

"Loved the trip to Taylor and Boody Organ Builders."

"Great to make new friends who share the same interests!"

"It was an Amazing experience and I recommend it to EVERYONE!"