

PIPE ORGAN ENCOUNTERS

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SCHOLARSHIPS

A limited number of scholarships are available through the American Guild of Organists. Please contact POEA Co-directors for more information. In addition, participants are encouraged to investigate the possibility of aid from their local AGO chapter and/or religious and civic institutions.

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The Ann Arbor Michigan Chapter
of the
American Guild of Organists

presents

Pipe Organ Encounter Advanced

**Sunday-Friday
June 28-July 3, 2020
Ann Arbor, Michigan**



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POEA 2020 Ann Arbor WELCOME and ELIGIBILITY

Welcome to POEA 2020 Ann Arbor, a six day program designed for organists, 9th - 12th grade, who have achieved a significant level of proficiency in organ study and are looking to experience great organ music and instruments, develop practice and performance skills, and grow in musical understanding and expression.

An audition recording of a work by J. S. Bach, a contrasting work by another composer, and a hymn accompaniment is required for entrance into the program. Applicants may send a CD or MP3 file recording or a link to a YouTube or Facebook recording to: James Wagner, POEA 2020 Ann Arbor, 1671 E. Forest Ave, Ypsilanti, MI 48198.

Younger participants may be admitted to the program at the discretion of the POEA organizing committee.

POEA 2020 Ann Arbor HIGHLIGHTS OF THE WEEK

- 3 one-hour lessons and a coaching session taught by national and regional artists
- workshops in score preparation, improvisation, creative hymn playing, and anthem accompaniment
- a University of Michigan carillon tour, a Metro Detroit organ crawl, WRCJ radio broadcast interviews, and a Detroit Senate Theatre organ tour and silent movie
- a chamber music recital, POEA faculty recitals, a hymn festival and evensong worship, and a participant recital
- open console time after each program event

POEA 2020 Ann Arbor ACCOMODATIONS

Chaperoned female and male dormitory housing (double occupancy) and meals in dining commons are provided for POEA participants on the campus of the University of Michigan located within walking distance of Ann Arbor venues. Insured transportation is provided for venues outside of Ann Arbor by POEA 2020.

POEA 2020 Ann Arbor FACULTY

- **University Professors:**
James Kibbie, Huw Lewis, Kola Owolabi, and Michael Burkhardt
- **Regional Artists:**
Joseph Balistreri, Deborah Friauff, Naki Kripfgans, Darlene Kuperus, Pamela Ruitter-Feenstra, Sarah Simko, Thomas Strode, and Marijim Thoene

Please note performers, faculty, instruments, and other POEA details are subject to change without notice.

POEA 2020 Ann Arbor ORGANS

ÆOLIAN-SKINNER IV/124, University of Michigan
CASAVANT III/50 and AUSTIN II/29, Cathedral of the Most Blessed Sacrament
CASAVANT/WOOD/RENAISSANCE II/36, St. Thomas the Apostle
FISK II/27, University of Michigan
KNEY III/41 Eastern Michigan University
LÉTOURNEAU III/44, St. Francis of Assisi
MÖLLER V/122, Metropolitan United Methodist
NOACK II/13, Eastern Michigan University
REUTER III/44, First United Methodist
SCHLICKER III/46 Concordia University
SKINNER IV/45, St. Matthew/St. Joseph Episcopal
SKINNER IV/68, Jefferson Ave Presbyterian
WURLITZER IV/34, Senate Theatre

POEA 2020 Ann Arbor REGISTRATION

STEP ONE

Initial registration for all POEA 2020 Ann Arbor is exclusively available online.

Please visit
<https://www.annarboragoPOEA2020.org>

STEP TWO Payment Form

Student Name: _____

Address: _____

Parent Name: _____

Email: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Registration Fee:
\$550

Early Bird Registration Fee:
\$500 by March 15, 2020

Full Payment:
due at time of registration

Final Registration Deadline:
June 1, 2020

Make check payable to:
Ann Arbor Chapter AGO POEA

Send this form and check to:
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