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approaches, we face a time of unprecedented global change. And the business of making music is just as much in a state of evolution as everything else in our world. Our organizations and our staff are under increasing pressure to generate adequate funding, respond to musician concerns, produce concerts of beauty and artistic value, stimulate new audiences through education and outreach, identify and compete effectively in attracting new converts, and satisfy the demands of current supporters in an increasingly challenging legal and legislative environment.

For the next three days, take a deep breath, and join us as we step "outside the box" into the fresh, invigorating air of dialogue among colleagues who face the same challenges that you do. Be prepared for unexpected solutions and to find your own ideas enthusiastically embraced. And be prepared to find that the powerful creativity that is such an integral part of our work is more than adequate to meet the challenge – not only transforming how we do business but also responding to society's deep yearning for that which only great art can provide.



The Pasadena Symphony Association extends warm greetings to the delegates visiting Pasadena to attend the prestigious ACSO meetings. As purveyors of sunshine, flowers, and a dramatic mountain backdrop, we hope that you will have a little time to explore our city. The great astro-physicist, George Ellory Hale, a founder of the institution we know today as the California

Institute of Technology, envisioned Pasadena as the "Athens of the West." Besides such cultural treasures as the Pacific Asia Museum, the Norton Simon Museum, and the Huntington Library, Art Gallery and Botanical Gardens in neighboring San Marino, the Pasadena Symphony plays with artistic brilliance under the baton of Maestro Jorge Mester.

We are delighted that you are here to inspire and educate. How essential it is to maintain the strong tradition of symphonic music. We are grateful for this beautifully organized Conference.

Borbana M. Steinwedell

Barbara M. Steinwedell, President Pasadena Symphony



The Board of Directors and I welcome you to Pasadena and to the Association of California Symphony Orchestras' 29th Annual Conference. A fascinating array of presentations and programs makes up this year's "Musical Models for the Millennium." I encourage you to take advantage of all the aspects of what promises to be an exciting three days.

Thank you to our hosts, the Pasadena Symphony, and Conference co-chairs Christopher Minnes and Wayne Shilkret. As always, we could not produce this meeting without the participation of skilled and knowledgeable presenters, generous underwriters and you, our participants.

As we look toward the millennium, we must make preparations now to insure the success of live, symphonic music in California. Let's plan the future together.

Mark A. Jordan, President

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TH	URSDAY, August 7, 1997
9:00 AM	Registration and Conference Orientation
10:30	Grant Making Trends
10:30	Pressures of Playing in an Orchestra
10:30	Public Policy Decisions Affect You!
12:30 PM	Peer Forums
3:00	Opening General Session: Peter H. Pennekamp
4:30	Starport Boutique and Artists Managers
	Reception
6:00	Christopher O'Riley Piano Recital,
	Pasadena Symphony Reception
8:30	No-host Dinner at Twin Palms Restaurant

FRIDAY, August 8, 1997 8:00 AM Conference Orientation Registration

9:00	Conductor's Workshop
9:00	Volunteer's Workshop
9:00	What You Don't Know Could Get You
	Five to Life

9:00

9:00	A Day in the Life of the Executive,
	Operations and Development/Marketing
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10:30	Orchestra Case Study
10:30	Using Technology to Save Time and Money
10:30	The Media's Role in Preserving Classical Music

12:00 PM	Keynote Luncheon: Delaine Eastin
2:30	Fund Raising Events
2:30	Five Biggest Mistakes of Employers
2.20	Innovativo Concerto

2:30	Innovative Concerts
4:00	Annual Meeting and President's Reception
8:00	Tin Pan Alley, Pasadena Playhouse

SATURDAY, August 9, 1997

8:00 AM	Power Seminar: American Express Situational
	Leadership Seminar
9:00	Arts Aficionados: Music and Intelligence
9:00	The Season Ticket Campaign
10:30	New Age Marketing
10:30	Making a Recording
10:30	Youth Orchestra Cornucopia
10:30	Well-run Leagues and Guilds
12:00 PM	Keynote Luncheon: Ernest Fleischmann
2:30	Stars of the Boardroom
2:30	The Shape of Gifts to Come
2:30	New Concert Audiences
4:00	Role Playing for Fun and Profit
4:00	Models for the Millennium
4:00	Artist Manager Case Study
6:15	Dinner and Dixieland Concert

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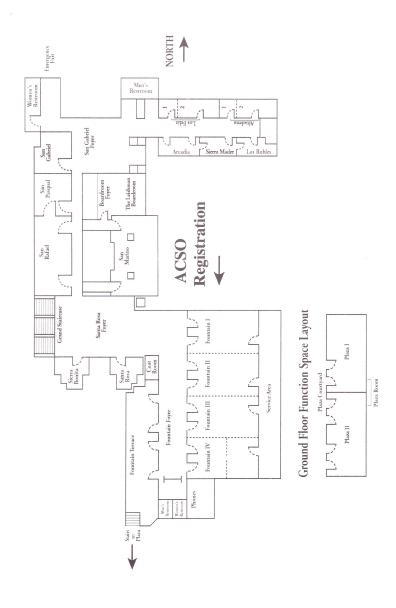
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Wednesday, August 6

12-4 PM San Marino **ACSO Board Meeting**

5-8 PM Fountain Registration

THURSDAY, AUGUST 7

9 AM-5 PM Fountain Registration

9-9:45 AM Fountain

Report to Mission Control, Phase I: Conference Orientation

NEW

Maximize your potential with proper preparation for your musical journey. A seasoned colleague will make you feel welcome and suggest how to get the most out of your Conference experience. New and returning delegates are invited for a brief orientation and Q & A.

Sandi Sigursdston, executive director, San Luis Obispo Symphony

10:30-11:45 AM **San Marino**

1. Fundraising in the Year 2525: Grantmaking Trends



Will your funding strategies of the 1990s be relevant in 2001... and beyond? Dynamic representatives share insights about trends and current issues in philanthropy.

Moderator: **Molly Block**, assistant director of development, Pacific Symphony Orchestra

Speakers: **Linda Kendrix Burroughs**, community relations specialist, Mervyn's

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San Rafael

2. Pre-flight Check-up: What You Don't Know Can Hurt You



This session explores the physical and psychological pressures of playing in an orchestra. Discuss how the staff and musicians can work together to create a healthier workplace that will bring vitality to performance and enhance ensemble cohesiveness and esprit.

Moderator: James T. Medvitz, director of operations, Pacific Symphony Orchestra

Panelist: **Phil Luna**, violinist, Pacific Symphony Orchestra

San Gabriel

3. Intergalactic Affairs: Public Policy Decisions Affect You!



How do the hot button issues in public policy connect with the day-to-day priorities of an orchestra trustee, volunteer, musician and administrator? This session presents a serious and lively discussion of how orchestras are unique vis à vis the rest of the arts, and how important your part is.

Speaker: John Sparks, director of government affairs, American Symphony Orchestra League

12:30-2:30 PM

Planetary Partners: Peer Forums



Share secrets of the musical universe with colleagues from near and far. Informal discussion groups bring together staff and volunteers of like-sized orchestras.

For your convenience, a deli cart will be available to purchase sandwiches, fruit and drinks on the Fountain terrace.

Coordinator: Cathy Stapert, executive director, Santa Barbara Chamber Orchestra

Fountain III Peer I

Peer Forum Tables

Table 1

Managers/Orchestras with budgets up to \$250,000

Paul Guiterrez, general manager, Tulare County Symphony

Thursday, August 7

Table 2	Managers/Orchestras with budgets of \$250,000-\$500,000 Judy Patrick, executive director, The Women's Philharmonic
Table 3	Managers/Orchestras with budgets of \$500,000-\$1,000,000 Mike Royer, general manager, Modesto Symphony
Table 4	Managers/Orchestras with budgets over \$1,000,000 Shirley Lewis, president/ceo, San Jose Symphony
Table 5	Managers & Trustees of Youth Orchestras Cindy Weichel , manager, Santa Rosa Symphony Youth Orchestras
Table 6	Conductors **Raymond Harvey, music director, *Fresno Philharmonic**
Table 7	Development Directors Jim Ruggirello, development director, Long Beach Symphony
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Pasadena Symphony

Thursday, August 7

3-4:30 PM Fountain

Opening General Session

Is There a Future for Classical Music?



Guest Speaker: Peter H. Pennekamp

Peter Pennekamp, executive director of the Humboldt Foundation since 1993, is a highly respected global visionary

who will entice and provoke with his expertise on issues basic to our musical existence. He was formerly VP of Cultural Programming at National Public Radio; director, Inter-Arts Program, NEA; CenterArts director at Humboldt State University; and is currently president of Grantmakers in the Arts.

Welcome: Mark A. Jordan, ACSO president

Introduction: **John Orders**, former program officer, The James Irvine Foundation

4:30-5:30 PM **Fountain**

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Starport Boutique Now Open: Talk/Shop

All delegates meet in the Resource Room, enjoy a glass of wine and mingle with the folks who represent the artists. Shop at the ACSO Boutique and check out the New Repertoire Directory for orchestra managers.

Reception hosted by Artist Managers

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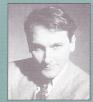
6-8 PM

Star Trekking in Pasadena Piano Recital and Reception

Enjoy the stellar artistry of pianist Christopher O'Riley as you time-travel through Old Pasadena with its stately mansions and gracious hospitality evoking the city's genteel early twentieth century origins.

This event will be held at Tournament House and the Wrigley Gardens, home of the Pasadena Tournament of Roses. Built in 1906 as the winter home of William Wrigley, Jr., Chicago chewing gum magnate, the stately Italian Renaissance-style house is the hub of Pasadena's New Year's activities.

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Christopher O'Riley,

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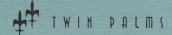


8:30 PM

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8-8:45 AM **Fountain**

Report to Mission Control, Phase II: **Conference Orientation**

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If you missed Thursday's Conference orientation, meet at the Registration area for a second brief orientation and Q & A.

Sandi Sigursdston, executive director, San Luis Obispo Symphony

9-11:45 AM Plaza I



1. Inner Balance and Expressivity: Conducting Workshop



Explore the secrets of your inner universe. Discuss and experience how proper breathing and physical balance can release a conductor's innate expressivity and facilitate the development of a communicative technique on the podium.

Speaker: **Jorge Mester**, music director, Pasadena Symphony

Intoduction: Eugene Castillo, assistant conductor, Long Beach Symphony

Plaza II

2. Cloning Success: Eleven **Characteristics of Effective Volunteers**



Who knows what the future may hold? Although human cloning remains a distant and controversial possibility, experts agree that recruiting volunteers with specific characteristics does guarantee success for a non-profit.

Speaker: John Harris, volunteer management consultant, Portland, Oregon

Host: Elaine Cook, president, The Women's Committee of the Pasadena Symphony

9-10:15 AM San Rafael





1. Danger Lurks in Uncharted Territory: What You Don't Know Could Get You Five to Life

Avoid problems with the IRS and state authorities regarding non-profit organizations. A practical session of do's and don'ts including preparing for internal and IRS audits, overtime ramifications, Unrelated Business Income Tax, and fund raising tax deductibility.

Moderator: Stephen J.M. (Mike) Morris, board member, Pasadena Symphony

Panelists: Richard Ruvulson, partner, Coopers & Lybrand Pat Whaley, partner, Musick, Peeler & Garrett

9-10:15 AM San Marino

2. A Day in the Life of the Executive, Operations, Development and Marketing Director: Do You Really Want This Job?



If you think your job description is beyond human boundaries, listen to these experts. Senior staff share the particulars of their day, how they prioritize, plan, and manage their jobs, and how marketing and development work together. This session is for individuals with small to mid-sized orchestras looking to move up, wanting to better manage their own departments, and with a curiosity about each position.

Moderator: **Louis G. Spisto**, executive director, Pacific Symphony Orchestra

Panelists: Sandra Fenton, assistant director of operations, Pacific Symphony Orchestra Susan Koza, director of marketing & development, Montery County Symphony

10:30-11:45 AM San Rafael

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1. Take Me To Your Leader

Historically, each civilization is defined by its key members. The orchestra world is no exception. President, manager, conductor, orchestra member – a case study will provide thoughtful discussion with these four key positions offering insights for today, tomorrow, and into the twenty-first century. Moderator: Diane Lent, past president, Modesto Symphony

Panelists: Jennifer Duston, executive director, Oakland-East Bay Symphony Cindy Ellis, musician, Pacific Symphony Orchestra Michael Krajewski, music director, Modesto Symphony Barbara Steinwedell, president, Pasadena Symphony

San Gabriel 2. Using Technology to Save Time and Money



Blast fax, fax-on-demand, teleconferencing, voice mail, electronic mail, electronic bulletin boards, pagers - learn what's essential in office equipment and technology for the efficient operation of today's orchestras.

Moderator: Karine Beesley, director, The Anson Ford Theatre Foundation

Panelists: Linda Chiavaroli, owner, United Arts; marketing director, Summer Nights at the Ford Robert Lippert, executive director, Fresno Philharmonic Robin Stark, president, Donor Perfect

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San Marino

3. Examining the Media's Role in **Preserving Classical Music**



Does the media have a role in the future of orchestral music? Join our media panelists for a discussion of how they view their roles and responsibilities in preserving the art of serious orchestral music.

Moderator: Karen Ames, director of public relations, San Francisco Symphony

Panelists: Susan Breneman, arts editor, Los Angeles Times Rich Capparella, morning host, KKGO Classical Scott Duncan, classical music critic, Orange County Register David Mermelstein, national freelance writer

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12-2 PM Fountain

Luncheon

Guest Speaker: Delaine Eastin, Superintendent of Public Instruction, State of California

In 1994, Ms. Eastin was elected to a four-year term

as the highest ranking official in the elementary and secondary public school system, and is the first woman to be so elected. In March, Eastin announced the formation of Arts Work, a task force on the place of the visual and performing arts in grades K through 12.

Introduction: Shirley Lewis, president/CEO, San Jose Symphony

FRIDAY, AUGUST 8

2:30-3:45 PM **Plaza II**



1. Out-of-this-World Fund Raising Events

Blast off into the realm of creativity and imagination for fund raising activities sure to raise astronomical profits.

Moderator: Elizabeth Ustach, development director, Modesto Symphony

Panelists: Audrey Baird, director of audience development, Milwaukee Symphony Juanita Collins, president, Santa Barbara Symphony League Barbara House, director of development, Pasadena Symphony

San Marino

2. The Five Biggest Mistakes of Employers



Have you ever failed to conduct an annual performance appraisal for an employee? Have you ever hired an employee without conducting a thorough check of references? Avoid serious employment mistakes by attending this session.

Speaker: Mary Lee Thomson, attorney, Littler, Mendelson, Fastiff, Tichy & Mathiason

Host: **Dean Corey**, executive director, Philharmonic Society of Orange County

San Rafael

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3. Programs for the Millennium

Supercharged programs soar with space-aged vitality. Innovative conductors and composers share concepts that might give your schedule a boost.

Moderator: **Jung-Ho Pak**, music director, USC Symphony

Panelists: George Gelles, executive director, Philharmonia Baroque Orchestra Raymond Harvey, music director, Fresno Philharmonic Frank Ticheli, composer-in-residence, Pacific Symphony Orchestra

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FRIDAY, AUGUST 8

4-6 PM Fountain

Inter-Planetary Council ACSO Annual Meeting and President's Reception





Audrey Baird, director of audience development, Milwaukee Symphony, will present ACSO's Most Valuable Player Awards.

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8 PM Star Trekking in Pasadena Pasadena Playhouse

Tin Pan Alley, a world premiere musical from Emmywinning Mark Saltzman, recalls the historic encounter between Scott Joplin, King of Ragtime, and a young, upstart song writer, Irving Berlin.

The Pasadena Playhouse was a training and showplace for a generation of theatrical luminaries. Today, it offers a theatre-going experience at once historic and timeless.

The Playhouse is a short three blocks from the hotel. Walk to 39 S. El Molino Avenue.



SATURDAY, AUGUST 9

8-11:45 AM Plaza I, II Situational Leadership: The American Express Model

Discover what generations have learned before; the power to change is within each of us. A simple solution for improving leadership at all levels of your organization, the program will focus on developing individual skills, task assessment and readiness to execute a job.

Tim Costello, principal, organizational development consultant, American Express

Jennifer L. Arndt, field public relations, American Express Financial Advisors

Introduction: **Wayne Shilkret**, theatre executive director, The Cerritos Center for the Performing Arts

The \$65 seminar fee for adminssion, materials, coffee, and croissants, is in addition to the regular Conference registration.

9-10:15 AM San Pasqual

1. Arts Aficionados: The Next Generation



Music has been found to enhance preschool children's abstract intelligence. Hear the details of this research, and learn how to take advantage of these extramusical benefits for Kindergarten children.

Dr. Frances Rauscher, assistant professor psychology/child development, University of Wisconsin Peter Perret, music director, Winston-Salem Symphony

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2. Space-age Salesmanship: Volunteers and the Season **Ticket Campaign**



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Refreshing techniques for success in an annual ticket campaign.

Audrey Baird, director of audience development, Milwaukee Symphony

10:30-11:45 AM San Rafael

1. New Age Marketing

In a galaxy of limitless potential, find out how relationship marketing can help to keep your current subscribers happy and attract new ticket buyers.

Speakers: Cindy Loeffler, director of marketing, Long Beach Symphony Rebecca Menes, director of marketing, Pacific Symphony Orchestra

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San Pasqual 2. Creating Your Time Capsule: So You Want to Make a Recording!



What will your legacy be for future generations? The market for classical CDs has fallen sharply. Is there a good reason for your orchestra to record? What will it cost? How much money will you (won't you) make? How can you pay for it? What is the AFM's role? Should you work with a recording company or self-produce? And, after is all is said and done, is it really worth it?

Moderator: Millie Mitchell, general manager, California Symphony

Panelist: Deborah R. Card, executive director, Seattle Symphony

10:30-11:45 AM San Gabriel

3. Astral Apprentices: Youth Orchestra Cornucopia



A panel of youth orchestra representatives will discuss personal approaches to fund raising and to working with high schools and parent volunteer groups.

Moderator: Asher Raboy, music director, Napa Valley Symphony

Speakers: Amy H. Woolf Crain, executive director, Youth Music Monterey Dr. Ruth DeSarno, administrator, Los Angeles Philharmonic High School Honor Orchestra Richard Kaufman, music advisory board, Young Musicians Foundation

San Marino

4. Controlling the Cosmos

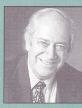


Good structure has always been the backbone of any well-run league or guild. Find out from a master how your organization can put some order on the agenda.

Speaker: Audrey Baird, director of audience development, Milwaukee Symphony

12-2 PM Fountain

Luncheon Salute to Ernest Fleischmann



ACSO honors a man whose vision and accomplishments have propelled him to the pinnacle of the music world. Join us for a tribute from Ernest's friends, colleagues and musical partners.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 9

2:30-3:45 PM **Plaza I**

1. Stars of the Boardroom

B V From the dawn of civilization it has held true that leaders don't wait for things to happen – they make them happen. An outstanding panel of board presidents share goals they set and met, and practical advice that works.

Moderator: **Joseph Truskot**, executive director, Monterey County Symphony

Speakers: Robert Attiyeh, president, Los Angeles Philharmonic Steve Blanding, president, California Symphony Walter J. McCarthy, Jr., board member, Monterey County Symphony (former chairman of the board, Detroit Symphony)

San Rafael

2. Surviving the Test of Time: The Shape Of Gifts To Come



Planned gifts are an essential part of fund raising. Speakers de-mystify the language and offer suggestions to get started or move your program into a higher gear.

Speakers: **Donna Bandelloni**, philanthropy consultant, non-profit/philanthropy services, Merrill Lynch Trust **King McGlaughlon**, manager/director, non-profit/philanthropy services,

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Introduction: Christopher Minnes, director, annual fund, Galef Institute

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3. Do We Really Want An Audience?



The basic questions of our existence are tackled by a panel of musical visionaries. Provocative and stimulating observations and practical solutions help identify new concert goers to expand your audience.

Speakers: **Hansonia Caldwell**, executive director, National Council for Black Studies, CSU Dominquez Hills **Wally Smith**, general manager, WPBX-FM, Southampton Campus, Long Island University; former general manager, KUSC

Host: **Patricia Gessner**, director of marketing, San Francisco Symphony

SATURDAY, AUGUST 9

4-5:30 PM Plaza II



1. Role Playing for Fun and Profit

Raising money won't get any easier in the next century, but role playing will make you more confident. Observe and take part with the experts in a face-to-face solicitation.

Speakers: Corty Fengler, principal, The Magellan Group (former development director, San Francisco Symphony) Stacey Street, director of develoment, Philharmonia Baroque Orchestra

San Marino

2. Models for the Millennium



A professor from UCLA's Anderson School shares his research and asks: "Is the symphony a sustainable organization form in contemporary times? Or better, what form should the symphony orchestra take in these times if it wishes to survive?"

Speaker: **Robert S. Spich, PhD.**, Anderson School of Management, UCLA

Host: Mark A. Jordan, concertmaster, Modesto Symphony

San Rafael

3. When Worlds Collide



There are two sides to every story and more than one solution to every problem. Observe the unique perspectives of the orchestra and artist manager in practice as they both tackle the same problematic case studies. Names will be changed to protect the not-so-innocent.

Moderator: **Amy Carson-Dwyer**, artist manager, Colbert Artists Management

Speakers: **Seldy Cramer**, president, Seldy Cramer Artists **Joan Squires**, executive director, Phoenix Symphony

SATURDAY, AUGUST 9

6:15 PM

Star Trekking in Pasadena Dinner and Concert

7:30 concert

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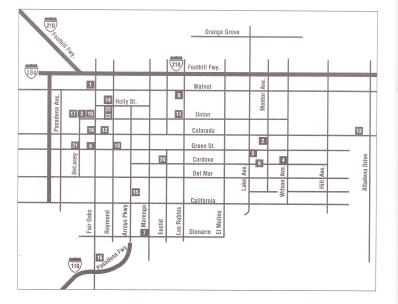
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