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WEST CHESTER UNIVERSITY

WIND BAND CONDUCTING SYMPOSIUM

July 13 - 17, 2026

Madeleine Wing Adler Theatre

Guest Clinicians



Shanti Simon
Director of Bands
Colorado University



J. Eric Wilson
Director of Bands
Baylor University

Symposium Overview

The West Chester University Summer Wind Conducting Symposium is designed to provide musicians the opportunity to sharpen conducting skills, strengthen score study techniques, broaden knowledge of wind literature and refine rehearsal strategies.

Students may participate in the symposium in one of two different levels. Conducting participants will conduct chamber ensembles during the morning sessions and a full wind ensemble in the afternoon. Participation at this level will be limited to the first sixteen applicants with paid deposits. Observers will be engaged in all of the day's activities but will not conduct the ensembles.

Registration and additional information is available at www.wcupa.edu/music/WindConducting.aspx, or email Dr. Andrew Yozviak ayozviak@wcupa.edu with questions. Registration opens at noon on Monday, January 12, 2026.

Daily Schedule

Monday, July 13, 2026

8:00 AM Registration

Monday - Friday, July 13-17, 2026

9:00 AM Morning Seminar
10:00 Morning Chamber Conducting
12:00 noon Lunch
1:30 Afternoon Seminar
2:30 Full Wind Band Conducting

Friday, July 17, 2026

6:00 PM Symposium Concludes

Repertoire

Morning Chamber Works

Consort for Ten Winds Robert Spittal
Boosey and Hawkes, Music Works

Serenade Katahji Copley
Bärenreiter Verlag

Afternoon Band Classics

Tarot, II. The King of Cups Lindsay Bronnenkant
Murphy Music Press

Lux Perpetua Frank Ticheli
Manhattan Beach Music

New England Triptych William Schuman
II. When Jesus Wept
III. Chester
Theodore Presser

Intermezzo from Jerónimo Giménez
La Boda de Luis Alonzo
Masters Music Publications

Contact and Information

Additional information can be accessed online at:
<https://www.wcupa.edu/music/WindConducting.aspx>

Contact Dr. Andrew Yozviak at ayozviak@wcupa.edu with questions.

Fees*

Conducting Participant	\$500
Observer	\$300
Act 48 Credit Registrant	\$150 (includes Act 48 fees)

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*University credit is available at an additional fee. Contact Dr. Yozviak for additional information.

*Students taking the course for university credit must enroll as a conducting participant

Housing

There are several hotels in close proximity to West Chester University. Those noted below represent a partial listing. More comprehensive housing information can be found at <https://www.wcupa.edu/music/wsmi.aspx> including links to budget-friendly on-campus housing options.

Quality Inn & Suites Conference Center (.6 mi)
943 South High Street
West Chester, PA 19382
610-692-1900

Microtel Inn and Suites by Wyndam West Chester (.8 mi)
500 Willowbrook Lane
West Chester, PA 19382
610-674-1224

Hotel Warner (1.0 mi)
120 N High St
West Chester, PA 19380
(610) 692-6920

Holiday Inn Express and Suites West Chester (3.4 mi)
1310 Wilmington Pike
West Chester, PA 19382
610-399-4600

Sheraton Great Valley Hotel (9.5 mi)
707 East Lancaster Avenue
Frazer, PA 19355
610-524-5500