

2018 NYSBDA Summer Conference Schedule
Hilton Albany, The Hudson Ballroom

Sunday, August 12

- 9:00am-12:00pm **NYSBDA Executive Board Meeting**
- 1:00-2:15pm **Reading Band**
Band Reading Session: *New to the NYSSMA Manual* – Michael Struzik, conductor
- 2:30-3:45pm **Clinic: A Multi-faceted Approach to Score Study for Bands of All Levels** – Mark W. Brenner, clinician
- 4:00-5:15pm **Clinic: Commissioning 2.0** - Sean Smith and Michael Markowski, clinicians
- 7:00-9:30pm **Director’s Band Rehearsal.** – Gary W. Hill, conductor

Monday, August 13

- 9:00-10:15am **Reading Band**
Quality Repertoire for Small Bands Andy Pease, Conductor
- 10:30-11:45am **Clinic: No Rules, No Fear Jazz** – Tom Kamp, Clinician
- 1:00pm **Summer Conference Keynote Speaker** – Paul Hogle, Cleveland Institute of Music
- 2:30-3:45pm **Clinic: Losing Control, Gaining Engagement: Tips and Techniques Inspired by Science for Improving Motivation and Performance in Large Ensembles** – Gary W. Hill, clinician
- 4:00-6:00pm **Directors Band Rehearsal** – Gary W. Hill, conductor
- 6:15-6:45pm **Directors Band Dress Rehearsal** – Gary W. Hill, conductor
- 8:00pm **Directors Ensemble** – Gary W. Hill, conductor

Tuesday, August 14

- 9:00-10:15am **Clinic: Letting Go: Giving Your Ensemble More Freedom to Learn** – Mark A. Stickney, clinician
- 10:30-11:45am **Clinic: Podcast Pedagogy: Wisdom from 70 Composers, Conductors, and Performers** – Mark J. Connor, clinician

Please bring your primary and/or secondary instruments to all reading sessions.