

2026 MACCC CONFERENCE SESSION SCHEDULE

MEMBER SCHEDULE & MASTERCLASS SCHEDULE (located on p. 2)



- Faculty and Staff Sessions
- Silent auction (Shutters East 1&2) fundraising

Thursday, November 19th

4:00 PM MACCC Executive Board Meeting

7:00 PM Intercollegiate Band and Choir Rehearsals

Friday, November 20th

8:00 AM

Members' Breakfast
Great Room

Shutters West 2

Shutters West 1

8:30 AM

Welcome and Introductions
Dr. David Lopez, MACCC President
Shutter West 2

9:00 AM -
10:15 AM

Preparing Students for a World with AI
Dr. Andrew Maz | Cerritos College

Thriving Unbalanced
Dr. David Betancourt | Cerritos College

10:30 AM -
11:45 AM

CaISTRS
Retirement Session

Movement Theory for Conductors
Eleanor Nuñez | Santiago Canyon College

12:00 PM -
1:15 PM

Lunch (TBD)

Shutters West 2

Shutters West 1

1:30 PM -
2:45 PM

Deans in Jeans
Dr. Michelle Samura | Santiago Canyon College
Dr. Grant Linsell | Fullerton College

3:00 PM -
4:30 PM

OER/ZTC REMIX
Dr. Christine Gengaro | MACCC Executive Board
Curriculum Representative | LA City College
Shutters West 2

5:00 PM -
5:45 PM

Faculty Recital
Great Room

6:00 PM - 8:00 PM	Steinway & MACCC Hosted Reception Jazz Jam Shutters East
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Saturday, November 21st		
8:00 AM	Members' Breakfast Great Room	
8:30 AM - 9:45 AM	Plenary Panel: Hot Topics Dr. John Gerhold MACCC Executive Board Legislation Advocacy Representative Shutters West 2	
	Shutters West 2	Shutters East 1
10:00 AM - 11:15 AM	New in Music Industry Studies Jenny Amaya Riverside City College	Looming AI Legislation and Regulation Sarah Thompson FACCC President
11:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Faculty Luncheon & Keynote Speaker Marcia Neel, Yamaha The Deck (outdoors)	
2:00 PM - 4:00 PM	Intercollegiate Band & Choir Concert Great Room Concert Program Please consider donating to MACCC to support future conferences and performance experiences for students!	

Following the conference, please share your thoughts and feedback with us at this [Post-Conference Survey](#).

Sunday, November 22nd	
9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	MACCC Executive Board Meeting

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STUDENT MASTERCLASSES
COMPOSITION | PIANO | JAZZ IMPROVISATION

Friday, November 20th			
	Great Room 1	Shutters East 1-2	Great Room 3
9:00 AM	Composition Hesam Abedini CSU Fullerton	Piano Dr. Li-Shan Hung Biola University	Jazz Improvisation Jimmy Emerzian CSU Long Beach
10:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Composition Hesam Abedini CSU Fullerton	Piano Dr. Li-Shan Hung Biola	Jazz Improvisation Jimmy Emerzian CSU Long Beach
12:00 PM - 1:30 PM	Student Lunch (on your own)		
1:30 PM - 4:00 PM	Composition Hesam Abedini CSU Fullerton	Piano Dr. Li-Shan Hung Biola University	Jazz Improvisation Jimmy Emerzian CSU Long Beach