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REPORT OF THE 2007 ANNUAL MEETING

The LSU School of Music hosted a very successful and enjoyable joint annual meeting of the American Musicological Society, Southern Chapter (AMS-SC), and the South Central Society for Music Theory (SCSMT) on 9-10 February 2007 on the campus of Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge. The program and abstracts of papers read at the AMS-SC sessions will soon be posted on our website.

We have new chapter officers and representatives. Those names preceded by an asterisk in the following list were elected at the 2007 business meeting:

CHAPTER OFFICERS AND REPRESENTATIVES (* represents newly elected)

Jennifer Thomas (University of Florida), President
*Linda Cummins (University of Alabama), President-Elect
*Andreas Giger (Louisiana State University), Secretary-Treasurer
*Valerie Goertzen (Loyola University), AMS Council representative
Margaret Butler (University of Florida), Abstracts editor
*Tina Huettenrauch (Louisiana State University), Student representative
Stephen Thursby (Florida State University), Student representative
Amy Dunning (Florida State University), Webmaster

Scott Warfield (chair) and Greg Harwood were appointed to the constitution committee; others interested in participating in the writing of our new constitution should contact Jennifer Thomas (thomasjs@ufl.edu).

The chapter voted to donate \$2000 to the Opus Campaign and to increase our support of student representatives by awarding each student \$200 per year toward the cost of attending the national meeting.

Congratulations to Stephen Thursby, winner of the student paper prize at the 2007 meeting!

The annual meeting in 2008 will be held at Florida State University, 29 February-01 March, and will be a joint meeting with the Southeast and Caribbean Chapter of the Society for Ethnomusicology.

Many thanks to Ronald Ross, Dean of the LSU College of Dramatic Arts, for his generous support of our meeting, and to Andreas Giger for the expense of time and energy so crucial to its success.

Dues: Please remember that our share of the national funds is based on the number of paid regional members. Your dues are welcome any time; if you are not sure of your status, email Andreas Giger at agiger1@lsu.edu. Members unlucky enough to miss the meeting should mail 2007 dues to:

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CHAPTER WEBSITE

Please note our website on the masthead and watch the AMS website <http://www.ams-net.org/chapters/chapterofficers.html> for updates on our permanent address. Thanks to FSU, to Peter J. Hoising, and to our new webmaster, Amy Dunning, for continuing this valuable service!

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