

Central Hudson Valley Chapter American Guild of Organists

Official Ballot 2007-2008

This ballot represents the slate of officers for 2007-2008.
A brief biography of each candidate is included on the reverse of this sheet.

Please check (or leave unchecked) the box next to each name.
Note that all candidates are unopposed.

Yes	Position	Name
<input type="checkbox"/>	Dean	Greg Citarella
<input type="checkbox"/>	Sub-Dean	Beverly Simmons
<input type="checkbox"/>	Secretary	Nancy DeMilio-Scott
<input type="checkbox"/>	Treasurer	Eric Hepp
<input type="checkbox"/>	Board Member	Charles Faverio
<input type="checkbox"/>	Board Member	Nancy Harle
<input type="checkbox"/>	Board Member	Maris Kristapsons
<input type="checkbox"/>	Board Member	Craig Williams
<input type="checkbox"/>	Board Member	Robert D. Brown

Write-In:

Please mail your ballot to:

Nancy DeMilio-Scott
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Middletown, NY 10940

Ballots must be received by 6/1/2007

The officers for 2007-2008 will be presented at the Members' Recital on 6/17/2007.

Candidates (in alphabetical order)

Robert D. Brown – Rob is Professor of Classics at Vassar College. He plays the organ for his own enjoyment and is frequently working behind the scenes at concerts in Vassar college venues. He has been a member of our chapter for the past several years and served on the Grants committee for the 2005 Convention.

Greg Citarella – Greg is presently Director of Music/Organist at St. Nicholas on the Hudson in New Hamburg. He has held positions at Holy Cross Episcopal Church in Kingston from 1980 to 1994 and then St. James Episcopal from 1995- 2000. Gregory is also a member of the Association of Anglican Musicians. During the week he works in procurement at IBM.

Nancy Demilio-Scott – Nancy is an organist and vocalist. Currently she serves as Organist at the Beacon Reformed Church. She and her husband Kevin live in Middletown.

Charles Faverio, MD – Charles has a long association with AGO chapters in the Central Hudson Valley, New York City, and Monmouth, NJ, where he was Sub-Dean and chapter historian. He has sung in church choirs and is Associate Director of Monmouth Musica, an organization dedicated to early American Music. He is currently employed by St. Francis Hospital in Poughkeepsie as an Occupational Health Physician with board certification in Internal Medicine and Occupational (Preventative) Medicine.

Nancy Harle – Nancy holds a Master of Arts in Teaching from Manhattanville College in New York and a Bachelor of Arts in Teaching from Auburn University in Alabama. She has studied and performed extensively as a pianist, organist, and singer. For 25 years she has taught music and directed choruses in public and parochial schools, as well as in her private studio. She is currently Organist/Cantor at both Laydentown United Methodist Church and Viola United Methodist Church.

Eric Hepp - Eric is an alumnus of Michigan Tech with master's degrees in geophysics and computer science. During the week he works for IBM in Poughkeepsie. He currently serves as Organist at First Evangelical Lutheran Church in Poughkeepsie. He has been an active member of our chapter, arriving in Poughkeepsie in time to serve on the Logistics Committee for the 2005 Convention.

Maris Kristapsons – Maris is currently Organist at St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Poughkeepsie. In addition, for 23 years, he has been the organist for the Poughkeepsie Latvian Lutheran Church, which hold worship services once a month. A graduate of Hartwick College, he is a composer and choral conductor, He works during the week as a librarian at IBM and lives in Pleasant Valley with his wife and two very musical daughters.

Beverly Simmons - Beverly is a graduate of the University of Oregon in Music Education and also holds a Master of Sacred Music degree from Union Seminary in New York City. She has been active in church music as both a choral director and organist for over 35 years. During that time she has also been active in the American Guild of Organists, having held the positions of Dean, Sub-dean and secretary of the Suffolk chapter on Long Island. She currently serves as Minister of Music at Trinity Episcopal Church in Fishkill and organist for the Putnam Valley Reformed Temple.

Craig S. Williams - Craig is the United States Military Academy Organist, and Director of Music at the West Point Cadet Chapel. He serves on the faculties of Nyack College and the conservatory division of Westminster Choir College. His degrees include Westminster Choir College, the Juilliard School and the University of Southern California. He lives in Slate Hill with his wife and two children.