

34th ROPA Conference
University Place Hotel & Conference Center
Portland, Oregon
July 31 – August 2, 2018

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE (subject to change)

Saturday, July 28

4PM – Executive Board Meeting

Sunday, July 29

9:30am -5pm – Executive Board Meeting

Monday, July 30

10am – 5pm – Negotiating Orchestras Workshop

1pm-5pm – Legislative Committee Meeting

TBD – Meet & Greet

Tuesday, July 31

8:30am-9:45am – New Delegate Breakfast

General Session Begins:

10am – 11am – Welcome and Introduction of ROPA Executive Board

Roll Call of Orchestras

Welcoming Remarks –

Bruce Fife, President, Local 99; International Vice President, AFM

Tom Chamberlin, President, Oregon AFL-CIO

Casey Bosell, Host, Portland Opera Orchestra

11am-11:15am –Break

11:15am-12:30pm – Heather Malyuk, Soundcheck Audiology

12:30pm-2pm Lunch Break with MAL Groups

2pm-3pm – Liza Hirsch Medina – Janus Decision and its effect on Unions

3pm-3:30pm – Lovie Smith-Wright, Alfonso Pollard

AFM Diversity Committee/ AFM Political Action

3:30pm-3:45pm –Break

3:45pm-5:45pm – SSD Presentations
Rochelle Skolnick, SSD Director and Special Counsel
Todd Jelen – AFM Negotiator, Organizer, Educator
Debbie Newmark – IMA and Orchestra Committees

5:45pm Dinner on your own

7:30pm-9:30pm– **Portland Opera: *Orfeo ed Euridice***

9:30pm – Hospitality Suite

Wednesday, August 1

9am-12pm - MAL Breakouts – Closed Sessions

12pm-1:30pm – Lunch Break

1:30pm-3pm – AFM President Ray Hair
AFM-EPF Presentation

3pm-3:15pm – Break

3:15pm-3:30pm – Rochelle Skolnick, SSD News and Notes

3:30pm-4:15pm – ICSOM/OCSM/TMA/RMA Addresses/Reports

4:15pm-4:45pm – ROPA Officer Reports/Standing Committee Reports

4:45pm-5pm – Break

5pm-6:15pm – Nominations, Audit Report, Resolutions, Bylaws
Terms Expiring: President, Treasurer, Member-at-Large (4 positions),
Vice President (1 year unexpired term)

7PM – Dinner at Portland Opera

9:30pm – Hospitality Suite

Thursday, August 2

9am-10:45am - John Beder: “Composed” film and discussion

10:45am-11am –Break

11am-11:45am – Speeches/ Elections

11:45am-1:15pm Lunch Break

1:15pm-1:30pm - Election Results/ vote for Conference Site 2019

1:30pm-2:45pm – Weston Sprott, Shea Scruggs

2:45pm-3pm – Exit Survey/ Oath of Office

3PM – Adjourn

6:30pm – ROPA Executive Board Meeting