



MARIACHI WORKSHOP: A RETROSPECTIVE

Featuring special guests Mariachi Sol de México de José Hernández

JUST ANNOUNCED! West Music Mariachi is offering a total of 20 \$100 scholarships to the first 10 to register for the Intermediate Song Styles Course and the first 10 to register for the Advanced Song Styles Course! The sooner you register, the better your chances!

June 20-24, 2016

**Golden Nugget Hotel and Casino,
Las Vegas, NV**

Special workshop room rates start at \$45/night (plus 12% tax and \$5 daily resort fee) *

Graduate credit option:

3 graduate credits
\$960, due in full with registration.

Non-credit option:

\$350, due in full with registration.

A \$235 conference facilities fee (includes materials and daily lunch) is due with full tuition at the time of registration for both options. *

INSTRUCTORS: MARCIA NEEL, JOSÉ HERNÁNDEZ, JESUS "CHUY" HERNÁNDEZ, RAMIRO BENAVIDES, ROBERT LOPEZ, ERIK RAMIREZ, YVETTE SITAL and special guests MARIACHI SOL DE MÉXICO!

* Reservations must be made through www.musicedconsultants.net/2016-mariachi-workshops prior to May 27, 2016. Special workshop room rates expire May 27.

Wenger Corporation is providing scholarships in the amount of \$100 for the first 20 participants who register for *Mariachi Pedagogy: Beginning Song Styles* with VanderCook College of Music.

**REGISTRATION CLOSES JUNE 10, 2016
at 12:00 p.m. CST**

By phone: 312.788.1133

By fax: 312.225.5211

Online: www.vandercook.edu

By mail: Completed registration form to:
**VanderCook College of Music
MECA Summer Registration
3140 S. Federal Street
Chicago, IL 60616**

Students must have a degree in music or music education to earn credit. Exceptions must be approved by VanderCook's Director of Professional and Online Education.

Earn graduate credit through VanderCook College of Music by attending the 2016 Mariachi Workshop.

Each of the three mariachi courses will focus on the development of pedagogical strategies to assist educators in teaching mariachi at a variety of levels. Each course will concentrate on the development of playing skills on secondary and tertiary instruments. More specific information is below. Attendees will also be treated to a performance by a local school mariachi ensemble.

MARIACHI PEDAGOGY: BEGINNING SONG STYLES

Expand enrollment and provide additional opportunities for music-making by offering mariachi at your school. Participants will learn to play the guitarrón, vihuela and guitar in authentic style through study and playing of the ranchera valseada, ranchera lenta, bolero and polka song styles. In addition, sample materials will be provided that can be used in presentations to district administrators, principals, parents and fellow educators. Resources include curriculum documents, beginning level musical arrangements for the various mariachi song forms, recordings, historical material and information on procuring instruments, uniforms, and clinicians. Emphasis will be placed on ensemble playing and singing. Participants will acquire new skills and a full year's worth of materials so that a mariachi program can be successfully introduced into a school's comprehensive music program. Teachers will also extend their network to include professional mariachi resource consultants who will be available to assist as the subsequent school year progresses.

**MARIACHI PEDAGOGY:
INTERMEDIATE SONG STYLES**

Participants will enhance their playing skills on guitarrón, vihuela and guitar in authentic style through study of intermediate-level playing techniques and song styles including, but not limited to, bolero moruno, a variety of sones, basic joropo, jarabe and cumbia. Participants should have already completed Mariachi I or have previous experience teaching or playing mariachi. The musical and curricular material presented will be appropriate for use with students who are advancing into their second year of mariachi study. Emphasis will be placed on ensemble playing and singing with

opportunities to study each of the secondary instruments to assist with the development of individual playing and teaching skills.

MARIACHI PEDAGOGY: ADVANCED SONG STYLES

Participants will advance their playing skills on guitarrón, vihuela, and guitar in authentic style through study and playing of the more complex playing techniques and song styles including, but not limited to, advanced joropo, son jarocho and huapango. Participants will be provided with an array of musical material representative of the more advanced song styles as well as advanced curricular materials that are appropriate for students/ensembles moving into their third year of study. Emphasis will be placed on ensemble singing and playing with opportunities for attendees to study each of the secondary instruments to assist with the development of individual playing skills.

OPTIONAL MASTER CLASSES: \$50 each

A two-hour Vocal Interpretation Master Class with Maestro José Hernández, and a two-hour Guitar/Vihuela Master Class with Jesus "Chuy" Hernández will be made available. Participation is limited so sign up early!

WHAT'S INCLUDED:

- One full year of teaching materials for your Beginning, Intermediate or Advanced Mariachi Ensembles
- Hands-on instruction on all mariachi instruments
- One VIP ticket to the Mariachi Sol de México concert
- Daily plated lunch

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Scholarship Information Below

VANDERCOOK 2016 MARIACHI WORKSHOP: A RETROSPECTIVE COURSE REGISTRATION FORM

LEGAL NAME (FIRST, MIDDLE INITIAL, LAST) SOC.SEC. #
HOME ADDRESS CITY STATE ZIP
HOME PHONE WORK PHONE BIRTHDATE
SCHOOL NAME SCHOOL ADDRESS
MAJOR INSTRUMENT OR VOICE FIRST NAME AS YOU WOULD LIKE IT TO APPEAR ON YOUR NAME TAG

PREFERRED EMAIL ADDRESS (COURSE CORRESPONDENCE WILL BE SENT TO THIS ADDRESS)

Have you earned credit through VanderCook before? [] Yes [] No

If YES, are you currently enrolled in the VanderCook M.M.Ed. program? [] Yes [] No

If NO, complete the following:

Degrees earned: [] B.M.Ed. or equivalent [] M.M.Ed. or equivalent [] Doctoral degree

NAME(S) OF GRADUATING COLLEGE(S) DEGREE(S) EARNED

A degree in music or music education is required in order to earn graduate credit at VanderCook College of Music. Any exceptions must be approved by VanderCook's Director of Professional and Online Education. Please call 312.788.1133 for further information. A degree in music or music education is not required for non-credit participation.

I wish to enroll in the following course (check one):

- Beginning Mariachi [] 7156 A - graduate credit tuition: \$960 [] 7156 B - non-credit fee: \$350
Intermediate Mariachi [] 7166 A - graduate credit tuition: \$960 [] 7166 B - non-credit fee: \$350
Advanced Mariachi [] 7176 A - graduate credit tuition: \$960 [] 7176 B - non-credit fee: \$350

OPTIONAL MASTER CLASSES - LIMITED ENROLLMENT! *

I wish to register for the following master class(es):

- [] Vocal Interpretation Master Class with Maestro José Hernández
[] Guitar/Vihuela Master Class with Jesus "Chuy" Hernández

* Enrollment is \$50 for each master class, payable on site.

Mariachi Sol de Mexico Concert: One VIP ticket is included for each registered participant. Additional tickets are available. Please visit www.musicedconsultants.net/2016-mariachi-workshops for details.

For hotel reservations and additional information, please visit www.musicedconsultants.net/2016-mariachi-workshops.

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR BEGINNING MARIACHI SONG STYLES PARTICIPANTS:

Wenger Corporation is offering \$100 scholarships for the first 20 registrants.

COURSE TUITION: _____

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR INTERMEDIATE/ADVANCED MARIACHI SONG STYLES PARTICIPANTS:

West Music Mariachi is offering \$100 scholarships for the first 10 registrants in each.

CONFERENCE FACILITIES FEE (INCLUDES DAILY LUNCH) REQUIRED OF ALL ATTENDEES: \$235.00

TOTAL: _____

PAYMENT

[] Check or Money Order payable to VanderCook College of Music

CHECK # _____

PLEASE REFERENCE "MECA SUMMER MARIACHI REGISTRATION" ON YOUR CHECK

[] Visa, Discover or MasterCard (circle one) _____

CARD NUMBER

EXP. DATE

CCV

NOTE: Full course tuition and conference facilities fee will be charged at the time of registration.

PARTICIPANT SIGNATURE

DATE

CANCELLATIONS: Refunds of tuition, less a non-refundable \$75 processing fee, may be requested up to 12:00 p.m. CST on Friday, June 17. The \$235 conference facilities fee is non-refundable after 12:00 p.m. CST on Friday, June 10.

VanderCook reserves the right to cancel any course due to insufficient enrollment, in which case all deposits will be refunded.

ACCREDITATION: VanderCook College of Music is an independent, not-for-profit, degree-granting institution, fully accredited by the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools and the National Association of Schools of Music. VanderCook's teacher certification programs are approved by the Illinois State Board of Education. Graduate credit earned in the MECA program can be applied toward a master's degree at VanderCook College of Music.

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Tuition/Fee _____

Wenger Scholarship _____



Total _____