



CREATING ARTISTRY with HENRY LECK

Atlanta, GA

presented by ATLANTA YOUNG SINGERS www.aysc.org

Thurs, APR 5 – Sat, APR 7, 2018

Church at Ponce & Highland
1085 Ponce de Leon Avenue, NE
Atlanta, GA 30306

Creating Artistry with Henry Leck is a **full 3-day Conducting Intensive** where participants hone their conducting and teaching skills through Masterclasses and Interest Sessions. Conducting Fellows will conduct ATLANTA YOUNG SINGERS ensembles and high level guest youth choirs. Topics featured in Interest Sessions are Laban Technique, Dalcroze, the boy's changing voice, and Repertoire for the young voice. All Participants will have meaningful interactions with Henry Leck and with fellow conductors through a variety of activities.



PARTICIPATION LEVELS

CONDUCTING FELLOW

- Conduct in Master Classes – one-on-one instruction time with Henry Leck 2 times, 10 min each
- ALL Interest Sessions
- Lunchtime Roundtables (lunch is included in Participation fee)
- Enrollment is limited to 16 participants
- Repertoire provided
- Participation Fee: **\$430 by FEB 28**. \$475 after FEB 28

OBSERVER

- Observe Master Classes
- All interest sessions
- Repertoire provided
- Participation: **\$65/day or \$175 3-day by FEB 28** \$75/day \$200 3-day after FEB 28

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SCHEDULE

Thursday, APR 5

- Morning Interest Sessions
- Lunch Roundtable with Henry Leck and Conducting Fellows
- Afternoon Interest sessions and Master Class
- Evening Master Class with ATLANTA INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL mixed chorus

Friday, APR 6

- Morning Interest session and Master Class with ATLANTA YOUNG SINGERS
- Lunch Roundtable
- Afternoon Interest Session and Master Class with ATLANTA YOUNG SINGERS
- Evening Master Class with ATLANTA YOUNG SINGERS

Saturday, APR 7

- Morning Interest Session and Master Class with ATLANTA YOUNG SINGERS
- Lunch Roundtable
- Afternoon Interest Sessions

MASTER CLASSES

Conducting Fellows will conduct choirs from ATLANTA YOUNG SINGERS and guest youth choirs. HENRY LECK will work with each conductor 2 times for 10 minutes each over the three days. Practice time for conductors is built into the schedule.

INTEREST SESSIONS

- Introduction of repertoire and principles of conducting
- Laban session
- Vocal Warm-up
- Analysis in preparation for performance
- Dalcroze Movement
- Boy's Changing Voice
- *Creating Artistry* Reading session
- Adapting SSA repertoire for Men's Chorus

ABOUT HENRY LECK



An internationally recognized choral director, Henry Leck is a professor emeritus in choral music at Butler University, where he served on the faculty for 27 years. He is the Founder and Conductor Laureate of the Indianapolis Children's Choir, which he served as Artistic Director for 30 years. Under his leadership the organization grew to and continues to be one of the largest and most respected children's choir programs in the world. The touring choirs of the Indianapolis Children's Choir have performed regularly for national ACDA, MENC, OAKE and AOSA Conferences. Additionally, the ICC tours internationally every year and has sung throughout the world. Mr. Leck recently arranged and conducted the national anthem for Kelly Clarkson and the Indianapolis Children's Choir at the Super Bowl XLVI. This choir also sang for the beginning ceremonies of the 2016 Indianapolis 500. Mr. Leck is widely known as a specialist in choral techniques, the child's voice, Dalcroze Eurhythmics, Laban and the boy's changing voice. He has produced four teaching videos titled *Vocal Techniques for the Young Singer*, *The Boy's Expanding Voice: Take the High Road*, *Creating Artistry through Movement*, *Dalcroze Eurhythmics* and *Creating Artistry with the Male Maturing Voice*. He was a lead author for the choral textbook series published by McGraw Hill/Glencoe titled *Experiencing Choral Music* and is the lead author of a new series of textbooks entitled *Voices in Concert*. He is also the editor of two nationally known choral series published by Hal Leonard Corporation and Colla Voce, Inc. Each year he has taught an international conductor's workshop entitled *Creating Artistry* at Butler University. He has recently written a textbook titled, *Creating Artistry through Choral Excellence*.

HOTELS and DINING

Once registered, Participants will receive additional information about meal plans and local hotel accommodations.



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