



Empower. Motivate. Inspire.

Fall Course Rates for 2025

\$115 - Early Registration (By 09/01)

\$140 - Registration (After 09/01)

Ask about our group rates, where you can save up to 40% off registrations covering 5 or more people.

Non-DAMTA members are welcome to register as well!

All programs are available in person at Classic Pianos of Denver and online. Replay available for all programs.

Register now to gain access to these seven great presentations!



More information at:
www.DAMTA.org

Join us for our 2025 Fall Course.

We at DAMTA aim to empower, enrich, and inspire teachers in the Denver area and beyond with our innovative programs. We hope you can join us for our fall course this year.

“Music is the great uniter.
An incredible force.
Something that people
who differ on everything
and anything else can have
in common.”

~ Sarah Dessen

DAMTA
Denver Area Music Teachers Association
www.denvermusicteacher.com

The Denver Area Music Teachers
Association Presents:

Building Connection & Community Through Music

Our 46th Annual Fall Course



09/10: DUO SEMAPHORE



Igniting Joy in Musical Partnership

Rachael Hutchings and Hukum Singh Khalsa of Duo Semaphore will present 4-hand piano music in a dynamic format: through interactive explorations, participants will investigate skills

and topics that teachers can address using piano duets. Woven throughout will be a discussion of the indirect benefits to teachers and students that arise from the study of four-hand music.

09/24: EMILY CRILE



Every Voice Matters: Fostering Inclusion & Excellence in a Large Choral Ensemble

Since 1974, the Colorado Children's Chorale has brought its artistry and charm to audiences throughout the world. The CCC

annually trains more than 400 members between the ages of 7 & 14 from all ethnicities and backgrounds, representing more than 180 schools in the Denver area and beyond. This session will explore the Chorale's pedagogy to develop brave, vibrant singers while honoring each young member's unique spirit..

10/08: DANIELA GUZMÁN-ÉGÜEZ



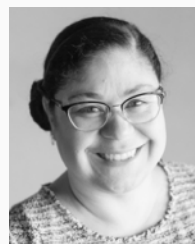
The impact of community outreach and as a platform for local artists

Outreach from arts/science organizations is essential to the expansion of their mission. We are not just here to create art experts and lovers, but to touch on the

sensibility and curiosity of those we reach. Outreach also presents a developmental opportunity for those local artists to grow their careers who have not followed standard or traditional performing arts paths.

2025 FALL COURSE PRESENTATIONS

10/22: INGRID LARRAGOITY AND JOHNNY SZUMSKI



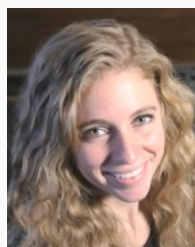
Building the Village: Cultivating and Maintaining Sustainable Community Partnerships

Community partnerships with professional ensembles are powerful tools to promote equity and excellence in your classroom or program. El Sistema Colorado's proven partnership framework will help educators and administrators enrich their programming with high-impact, sustainable artist collaborations.



11/12: AMY ERHARD

AND SUSIE FREY



Building Community and Connection in the Music Studio

In Building Community and Connection in the Music Studio, we'll share practical ways to bring people together through music. From students and families to teachers and staff, we'll discuss how shared music experiences can cultivate relationships and strengthen your studio and community. Whether you're a studio owner or a teacher, you'll



leave with ideas and inspiration to create a welcoming space and a sense of belonging for your students.

11/19: SCOTT O'NEIL



In Search of Beauty

Beauty is all around us, especially in the world of music, but it's easy to miss the deeper beauty often hidden beneath the surface, because the surface is so beautiful, that it's easy to fall into the trap of believing that that's all there is.

This session will explore musical masterpieces by going beneath the surface of their notes and back into their history, seeking to more fully appreciate their beauty.

12/10: PETER STOLTZMAN AND AARON MARFIZO



Music Atlas: Resources for Inclusive Teaching with Iconic Notation

Music Atlas is a system of modern curricular resources that are used by teachers and learners to facilitate easily accessible creativity and theory learning with color-coded

iconic notation. We will demo and explore applications of Music Atlas' new online software and the Piano Atlas, our original hard copy resource.

All presentations are held on Wednesdays from 10:30 to 11:30 am, with a Q&A until Noon. All programs are offered in-person at Classic Pianos of Denver and Online.

All in-person programs are hosted at: Classic Pianos of Denver, 1332 S. Broadway, Denver, CO 80210