



Choralfest 2010 Choral Conducting Masterclass



**DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS
30 April 2010**



The Conducting Masterclass is held as part of the ANCA Conference *Choralfest 2010* in Port Macquarie July 7 – 10. The Masterclass will be directed by Bruce Rogers, Director of Choral Activities Mt San Antonio College California, USA.

In order to ensure each participant has time with the guest choir the Masterclass has limited places. This not only gives you sufficient time with our choir, but gives Bruce time to speak with you through the conference on a one-to-one basis should you have any particular questions that you wish to discuss with him.

There is one session per day, and each participant has approx 15-minute per session. There is the opportunity to have each session recorded on DVD (DVDs are charged at a cost) that you can take away with you and study. Our choir consists entirely of singers from Mt San Antonio College Chamber Choir, and as such their performance is of the highest quality. Of equal importance to you the conductor, their attitude is helpful and supportive, and we are proud to have them as our Masterclass Choir.

All applicants are required to have conducting experience. We regret that applications from people without some experience cannot as a rule be accepted.



The Masterclass for 2010 takes place over three days (Thursday – Saturday). If successful you will be given four (4) titles of choral works for you to prepare a minimum of two (2) for the Masterclass. The Masterclass choir will be familiar with all four (4) works.

Successful participants are required to be a full conference delegate (discounted registration of \$495), provide their own scores and make their own travel and accommodation arrangements. As a conference delegate some meals are included.

We will endeavour to process applications within 4 weeks of the deadline and successful applicants will be notified individually by email shortly afterwards. **All applicants will be contacted by email**, so please get in touch if you haven't heard from us within 4 weeks of the deadline.

Should you be accepted into the Masterclass it is vital that you study and prepare the scheduled pieces in advance of the course; this will enable you to gain the most out of the sessions, and will also ensure that no time is wasted during the sessions.

Applications please include:

- Completed Application form
- 10 minute **DVD or Video** of you conducting a choir rehearsal, any style and own choice of piece/s,
- CV of up to 2 pages,
- Letter/s of recommendation or other material to support your application.

You may email your application form to admin@anca.org.au with a link to a website where your videos may be viewed.

Alternatively mail copy of your completed application form and DVD / Video to:

Choralfest 2010 Conducting Masterclass
PO BOX 2531
North Parramatta NSW 2151



There is no fee for participation in the **Conducting Masterclass** however each Masterclass successful applicant must be registered as a full conference delegate. Note that the application materials cannot be returned to you.

Contact us by email at admin@anca.org.au or call 1300 724 224 if you have any questions.

The details of this Masterclass are correct at time of writing. We do however reserve the right to alter any aspect of the Masterclass if it is deemed necessary.



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CONDUCTING MASTER CLASS APPLICATION FORM

NAME	
HOME ADDRESS	
POSTCODE	
BUSINESS / SCHOOL ADDRESS and POSTCODE	
MOBILE PHONE	
HOME PHONE	
EMAIL	
CURRENT CONDUCTING POSITION	
PREVIOUS CONDUCTING EXPERIENCE	
EDUCATION	University.....Degree..... University.....Degree.....
COMPETITIONS (place & date)	
WORKSHOPS ATTENDED (place & date)	