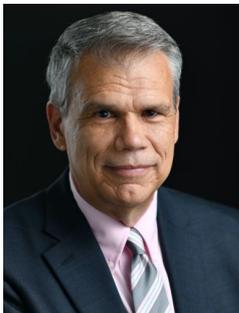


CME Choral Conducting Course UK 2023

The CME Institute Certified Course is a professional development opportunity for choir conductors, music teachers, singing leaders and those aspiring to develop their leadership in this field. It offers a highly differentiated experience, *emphasising* the quality of joyful, socially engaged practice for the 21st Century. This year our residential intensive weekend will be 17th – 19th February 2023 in **East London**. We are delighted to be learning with Prof. David Brunner from the USA, Mandy Miller, our UK Director and Aga Serugo Lugo, our guest artist in creative, musical collaboration.

Prof. David L. Brunner USA



Mandy Miller UK



Aga Serugo Lugo UK



Course Includes

- Comprehensive Music and Study pack
- Conducting and Vocal Technique Classes
- Score Marking and Analysis
- Reflective Rehearsal Pedagogy
- Demonstration Choir
- Conducting Master Class option with Choir
- CME Certification at levels 1, 2, and 3 with pathways to Artist Teacher Certification
- Light refreshments and Saturday night supper
- Saturday eve special workshop in creative collaboration with Aga (optional, but irresistible!)

Course Dates 2023

Fri 17th Feb 3.00 – 7.30pm, registration and course introduction

Sat 18th Feb 10.00am – 9.00pm (inc. supper)

Sun 19th Feb 10.00am - 5.00pm

*Artist Teachers Only *Thurs 16th Feb 3.00pm – 9pm and Fri 23rd July 10.00am – 2.00pm*

Cost £480 Standard inclusive fee **Fri 17th – Sun 19th Feb** (Incl. Thurs for ATs)

Early bird discount £420 booking and paying by **Fri 16th December 2022**

CLOSING DATE for booking Fri 6th January 2023

CME Course Curriculum Overview

CME Institute courses are repertoire-based and link the standards of concert performance with the goals of music education. Based on the principles of diversity, inclusion, and social responsibility - values closely aligned with performance and education in a changing world, course content over the three days will focus on developing and refining musicianship, vocal expertise and conducting technique, all in a very supportive learning environment.

Course participants are encouraged to transcend technical mastery and embrace the opportunity to make music in a way that renews their personal relationship with the power of music and with ethics and excellence in the practice of choral music education, empowering the lives of the singers we teach.

Throughout the course you will be supported by the leadership team and resident Artist Teachers who have been developing their practice through CME for several years. They will be on hand for individual, paired or small group work in score study, Masterclass preparation and anything you'd like to address in your specific context. Members of our associate youth Choir will also join us for Masterclasses, adding their voices and youth experience to our CME 2023 choir!

Course Levels

Levels are indicative of the number of times participating on a CME course. Level 1 represents the first time of attending, irrespective of the delegate's professional qualification or experience. A **CME Artist-Teacher** is one who has successfully completed a minimum of **three full courses** in choral teacher education under the guidance of a certified CME Teaching Associate. It is not essential to become an Artist Teacher, but the opportunity is there for those who aspire to undertake this journey. In our 10 years of running a CME Course in London, 5 people have gone on to become Artist Teachers.

Feedback from previous courses

"Extremely well organised Course. I learned a lot to help develop my conducting and improve my choir from each session. The instructors were very approachable and offered invaluable feedback"

"I enjoyed meeting the other participants. I loved the repertoire and enjoyed being stretched!"

"I thoroughly enjoyed the course. I learned a wealth of new skills and was able to immediately apply them with excellent results"

Enquiries

Further information will be made available in due course. Please express your interest by return email or **complete the booking form** attached to secure your place. If you have any questions, feel free to email me @ Jane.wheeler@livingsong.org We look forward to singing and learning alongside you, in person!