

**64th Annual Meeting
of the
Society for Ethnomusicology
Southern California and Hawai'i Chapter
MiraCosta College
Oceanside, CA
Saturday, April 29, 2023**

Business Meeting Minutes

SEMSCHC 2023 LOCAL ARRANGEMENTS COMMITTEE

- * Bernard Ellorin, Chair
- * Gibb Schreffler

SEMSCHC 2023 PROGRAM COMMITTEE

- * Scott Spencer, Chair
- * Lucas Avidan
- * Josh Brown
- * León Felipe García Corona
- * Gibb Schreffler
- * Allan Zheng

SEMSCHC 2023 OFFICERS

Joshua Brown (Chapman University), President
Vice President - Gibb Schreffler (Pomona College), Vice President
Bernard Ellorin (MiraCosta College), Secretary-Treasurer
Nathan Huxtable (UCR), Web Editor
John (Hyun-Jun) Jang (UCLA), Student Representative

1. Call to Order (~3:30pm)

Attendance – 24 grad students and professionals

2. Acknowledgements

MiraCosta College faculty and staff: Jonathan Fohrman, Stephen Torok, Helaina Baes-Erbs (MiraCosta Facilities), Matthew Carruthers (sound technician), Eric Derr (Music events coordinator)

Bernard Ellorin was thanked for reserving the space.
Program committee, Gibb Schreffler, Scott Spencer
Everyone involved

3. Necrology

Josh Brown made a list and encouraged us to say a few words.

- Yoshitaka Terada – Deborah expressed how his death was greatly unexpected.

- Mick Malone - Adviser of Scott Spencer. Scholar, musician, and folklorist. Studied economics at Penn State University. Spent a lifetime championing other people. Received National Fellowship
- Art Laboe, California DJ at the age of 97. Started his radio career in 1943 until he passed. He's the founder of rock n roll as a DJ on the West Coast. United huge communities, create sonic space. Coined "Oldies but Goodies."

4. Approval of 2022 Minutes

Have been approved.

5. Reports

President's report:

Nathan Huxtable and John Jang were not present. John is conducting fieldwork. Nathan couldn't make it.

Josh Brown acknowledges to see each other in person.

Treasurer's report:

Pre-conference \$3,319

Post conference \$1,991.76

Expenses incurred

- Insurance
- Xerox copies
- Service fee for technicians
- Suggestion: Transfer to Wix
- Meghan might have a look at the website and what needs to be transferred over.

Vice President's report:

Ki Mantle Hood Prize winner of 2022: Cheuk Ling Cherrie Yu, "Anime Idol Rhythm Game: Managing Attention with Rhythmic Performance." Reveals the importance of attention analysis and game play. She gives agencies to the players and explains how Japanese media uses musical performance for attention economy. Japanese mobile phone winning game. Self-integrated practice.

Review committee: Charles Sharp, Allen Zheng, Scott Spencer

6. Old Business

- Migrate the website
- Needs improvement in terms of presentation.
- Listing the history and the origins of the conference

7. New Business

- student representative office needs to be filled.

- questions about how everyone is added to the email and who we contact in the region in terms of getting more people
- suggestions of more robust audience
- difficulty is the pandemic and finding coming forward next year
- Put effort into recruiting current graduate students in notifying other schools about the conference
- responsibilities for student
- lead the meeting for student concerns committee and decide what topics are pressing. All sorts of issues from housing, publishing, and jobs post-graduation.
- contact individuals and get them together at the conference.
- how appoint and maintain representatives is still an issue.
- Question: Should we maintain it?

8. Election of New Officers

- Two student representatives needed 1 year term:
 - Eloy Neira de la Cadena and Diandiang Zeng accepted confirmation
- Hood prize committee—looking for two new people. Six papers and come up with ideas and pick a winner. Meghan Hynson volunteers for committee. We will ask Cherrie Yu (as past winner).
- Secretary Treasurer—Bernard re-elected

9. 2024 Conference

- Two institutions have come forward Pomona College and the University of San Diego; Maybe Pomona this coming year 2024 Tentative March 2nd and 3rd Saturday and Sunday, and USD in 2025
- Chris Adler secured funding only asking for \$400 hood prize
- Program committee chair (nomination) Scott Spencer chair

10. Meeting adjourned: 4:25pm