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# Helen M. Thompson Award

Jennifer Boomgaarden

Executive Director  
South Dakota Symphony Orchestra



Presented by Jesse Rosen, President and CEO,  
League of American Orchestras

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## Gold Baton Award

**Anne-Marie Soulliere**

Retired President  
Fidelity Foundation



Presented by Mark Volpe, Managing Director,  
Boston Symphony Orchestra

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Annual Meeting

May 28, 2015

## Elections to the Board of Directors

The full Board has approved the following nominees, and proposes for election by the membership for three-year terms beginning June 2015:

Kjristine Lund, Seattle, WA

Anthony McGill, New York, NY

Alan McIntyre, New York, NY

Alan Pierson, New York, NY

David Roth, Hartford, CT

Daniel Bernard Roumain, New York, NY

Matthew Van Besien, New York, NY

Jonathan Weedman, Los Angeles, CA



## Re-Election of Members

The following people are proposed for re-election to three-year terms:

Burton Alter, Woodbridge, CT

Brent Assink, San Francisco, CA

John B. Canning, Westport, CT

Bruce E. Clinton, Coral Gables, FL

Aaron Flagg, Easton, CT

James Hasler, Oakland, CA

Robert Levine, Glendale, WI

Steven Parrish, Westport, CT

Robert Peiser, Houston, TX

Cynthia Sargent, Chicago, IL

Penny Van Horn, Chicago, IL

## Retiring Directors

The following people have retired from the League Board and we thank them for their service:

Connie Steensma, New York, NY

Tina Ward, St. Louis, MO

## Changes in Ex-officio Directors

The following people are rotating off the League Board as ex-officio members and we thank them for their service:

Paul Meecham, Baltimore Symphony Orchestra,  
Baltimore, MD, Group 1-4

Margarita Contreni, Lafayette Symphony Orchestra,  
Volunteer Council

## Changes in Ex-officio Directors

The following people have been appointed to serve on the League Board as ex-officio members for the terms concurrent with their relevant position:

Simon Woods, Seattle Symphony,  
Seattle, WA, Group 1-4

Mary Saathoff, Lubbock Symphony Orchestra,  
Lubbock, TX, Group 5-6

Wendy Young, Symphonicity,  
Virginia Beach, VA, Group 7-8

Linda Weisbruch, Charlotte Symphony Orchestra,  
Volunteer Council President-Elect

Dan Petersen, Seattle Youth Symphony Orchestra,  
Seattle, WA, Youth Orchestras Division

## Officers of the League Board

The following is the slate of officers proposed for election:

Chair: Patricia A. Richards  
Vice-Chair: Steven C. Parrish  
Treasurer: Robert Peiser  
Secretary: Barry Sanders

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