Schedule for Annual Music, Mind, & Society Symposium
September 12th at Ingram Hall
“The Science of Song”

2:00 Welcome and Music, Mind & Society Overview: Dr. Reyna Gordon
(Otolaryngology; Associate Director, Program for Music, Mind & Society)

2:05 Opening remarks by Mayor Megan Barry

2:10 Dr. Elisabeth Dykens, (Director, Vanderbilt Kennedy Center; Psychology & Human Development), “ACM Lifting Lives Vanderbilt Kennedy Center Music Camp: Community and University Partnerships”

2:25 Keynote Lecture: Dr. Isabelle Peretz (BRAMS Laboratory and University of Montreal), “Unraveling the musical brain by the study of congenital anomalies”

3:15 Dean Mark Wallace (Dean of Graduate Studies; Hearing & Speech Sciences), “The Program for Music, Mind, & Society in Graduate Studies”

3:25 Songwriters In-the-Round co-sponsored by American Foundation for Music and Science (featuring Darden Smith, James House, & Mary Gauthier)

4:10 Break

4:20 Spotlight on Vanderbilt Research Part I: Promoting Well-being through the Science of Song

Dr. Joseph Schlesinger (Anesthesiology), “SongwritingWith:Soldiers - Improving PTSD through the Science of Song”

Dr. Gaelyn Garrett (Otolaryngology, Vanderbilt Voice Center), “The vocal instrument in health and disease”

Dr. Blythe Corbett (Vanderbilt Kennedy Center; Psychiatry), “Theatre of Mind to Impact Social and Music Perception in Autism”

Dr. Miriam Lense (Otolaryngology, Vanderbilt Kennedy Center), “Music, Rhythm, and Social Communication in Typical Development, Autism, and Williams Syndrome”

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5:05  Dr. Jay Clayton (Director, Curb Center for Arts, Enterprise, & Public Policy) “Public Scholarship and Arts Policy”

5:10  Rodney Crowell

5:30  Spotlight on Vanderbilt Research Part II: Lightning Talks (see below for complete list of presenters)

6:15  Blair Children’s Chorus

6:30  Poster Session & Refreshments

Lightning Talks:

1. Dr. René Gifford (Hearing and Speech Sciences)
2. Summer Fitts, BSN (Vanderbilt Children’s Hospital)
3. Dr. Dan Claassen (Department of Neurology)
4. Sara Beck, MS (Psychology & Human Development)
5. Dr. Reyna Gordon (Otolaryngology)
6. Emelyne Bingham (Blair School of Music)
7. Dr. Erin Picou (Department of Hearing and Speech Sciences)
8. Marianne Ploger (Blair School of Music)
9. Dr. Dan Cornfield (Sociology)
10. Iliza Butera (Neuroscience)
11. Laura Hieber Adery (Clinical Psychology)
12. Dr. Aysu Erdemir (Psychology & Human Development)