TAMS Round Table Discussion Topics- January 2024 Two-Year Schools

1. Dual Credit and issues surrounding music and music majors:

a. Advising/plans at the ISD/HS level?

2. Theory/Aural Skills and incoming music majors

- a. Helping students best succeed and graduate on time.
- b. Music Fundamentals- Not in degree plan/not covered by FA-What is everyone doing?

3. Advising/Mis-Advising. How is your school handling this?

- a. Embedded advising?
- b. Music Department advising?

4. New State Funding Model: How might this impact our programs?

- a. Does your school have metrics/goals in place?
- b. Will this be a good or bad thing for your school/program and why?

5. Field of Study. Update from Co-Board on this?

a. Some regions believe the FOS is continuing.

6. How are schools integrating AI into the Music Curriculum?

a. Net positive or negative? Why?

7. Statistics-Labor Market/Demand:

- Acquisition of labor market demand statistics
- Acquisition of labor market outcomes measurements
 - Our institution is using median wage 1 to 5 years after graduation and "top 5 industry sectors" based on Texas workforce wage records
- AAS degrees and certificates
 - Are they widely offered?
 - Trends in enrollment v transfer degree(s)
- Advising for students interested in musical theatre degrees
- Prep music programs associated with music academic units
- 8. Other?