# Marcus Hughes, MM, MT-BC, LMT Music Therapist- Board Certified| Licensed Massage Therapist mhughes@shsu.edu

### **Education:**

#### Sam Houston State University

Master of Music in Music Therapy, (May 2017). Thesis Title: "The Use of Touch in Music Therapy with Older Adults." Huntsville, Tx.

Bachelor of Music in Music Therapy, Minor in Psychology. (December 2013). *Summa Cum Laude/ With Honors-Honors College*. Huntsville, Tx.

#### Laurel School of Massage

Massage therapy training, 500 hours (November 2014). Spring Tx.

#### **Academic Awards:**

Outstanding Music Therapy Senior, Department of Music Therapy, Sam Houston State University, May 2013.

### **Work/Clinical Experience:**

#### **Adjunct Instructor, Music Therapy**

Sam Houston State University, Music Therapy Department. August 2017- Present Lone Star Therapies

Owner, Clinician | February 2014- Present

Populations Served: Geriatric Groups and Individuals; In-home therapy for Individuals with Developmental Delays, Neurologic Disorders, Special Needs, Physical Disabilities and other related diagnoses; Private massage therapy clients

## **Graduate Teaching Assistant**

Sam Houston State University, Music Therapy Department. August 2015- May 2017

## Heart and Harmony Music Therapy

Intern| July 2013 – December 2013

A music therapy private practice serving a variety of ages and diagnoses including: geriatrics, neurologic disorders, developmental delays, and physical disabilities.

### **Huntsville Health Care Center**

Assistant Activities Director| December 2011- May 2013

### **SHSU Music Therapy Program**

Student Music Therapist| September 2011- May 2013

Practica: Preschool Group, Individual with a cochlear implant Hospice, Adult Special Needs Group

## **Organizational Involvement:**

American Music Therapy Association- Professional Member	
Positions held:	Student Affairs Advisory Board Representative,
	Southwestern Region
	Master's Level Entry Subcommittee Member
	Student Affairs Advisory Board Member
	Assembly of Delegate Alternate
Association of Bodywork & Massage Professionals- Professional Member	

# **Credentials/Advanced Training:**

 Music Therapist- Board Certified: January 2014 The Certification Board for Music Therapists| Certification #: 11121
Licensed Massage Therapist: November 2014 Texas Department of State Health Services| LMT #: 121267
Neurologic Music Therapy Advanced Training: February 2015 The Robert F. Unkefer Academy of Neurologic Music Therapy

# **Presentations:**

- Wylie, M.E., Borling, J., Cynthia Briggs, C., Creagan, J., Furman, A., Hughes, M. J., Hunter, B., Kaplan, R., Neugebauer, C., & Snell, A. (2013, November). Voices of the MLE A 2013 Review. Concurrent session presented at the annual conference of American Music Therapy Association. Jacksonville, Fl.
- Wylie, M.E., Borczon, R., Borling, J., Cynthia Briggs, C., Creagan, J., Furman, A., Hairston, M., Hughes, M. J., Hunter, B., Kahler, E., Kaplan, R., Montague, E., Neugebauer, C., & Snell, A. (2014, November). Master's Level Entry Subcommittee Update for Educators and Clinical Training Directors. Concurrent session presented at the annual conference of American Music Therapy Association. Louisville, Ky.
- Wylie, M.E., Borczon, R., Borling, J., Cynthia Briggs, C., Creagan, J., Furman, A., Hairston, M., Hughes, M. J., Hunter, B., Kahler, E., Kaplan, R., Montague, E., Neugebauer, C., & Snell, A. (2014, November). Master's Level Entry Subcommittee Presents a Progress Report. Concurrent session presented at the annual conference of American Music Therapy Association. Louisville, Ky.
- Fleming, K., Fitch, K., Hughes, M. J., Enser, K., Goldschmidt, D., Craven, E., & Neugebauer, C. (2014, November). The INTERNal Struggle: A Panel Discussion of Common Challenges Faced by Interns and Tips for Coping. Concurrent session presented at the annual conference of American Music Therapy Association. Louisville, Ky.
- Neugebauer, C. & Hughes, M. J. (2015, March). Spring 2015 Report from the Master's Level Entry (MLE) Subcommittee MLE National conference. Concurrent session presented at the annual conference of the Southwestern American Music Therapy Association. Oklahoma City, Ok.

- Wylie, M.E., Borczon, R., Borling, J., Cynthia Briggs, C., Creagan, J., Furman, A., Hairston, M., Hughes, M. J., Hunter, B., Kahler, E., Kaplan, R., Montague, E., Neugebauer, C., Snell, A. (2015, November). 2015 Master's Level Entry Subcommittee Update. Concurrent session presented at the annual conference of American Music Therapy Association. Kansas City, Missori.
- Neugebauer, C., Hughes, M. J., Kahler, E. (2016, March). Master's Level Entry 2016 Survey: A Preliminary Report. Concurrent session presented at the annual conference of the Southwestern American Music Therapy Association. Austin, Tx.
- Dachinger, C. D., Miller, K. E., Hughes, M.J., & Way, M. A Music Therapist's Guide to a Master's Degree. Concurrent session presented at the annual conference of the Southwestern American Music Therapy Association. Austin, Tx.
- Wylie, M.E., Borczon, R., Borling, J., Cynthia Briggs, C., Creagan, J., Furman, A., Hairston, M., Hughes, M. J., Hunter, B., Kahler, E., Kaplan, R., Montague, E., Neugebauer, C., Snell, A. (2016, November). 2016 Master's Level Entry Subcommittee Presentation. Concurrent session presented at the annual conference of American Music Therapy Association. Sandusky, Oh.
- Hughes, M.J. (2017, March). The Use of Touch in Music Therapy Sessions with Older Adults: a Thesis Presentation. Concurrent session presented at the annual conference of the Southwestern American Music Therapy Association. Fort Worth, Tx.
- Kahler, E., Hughes, M. J, & Neugebauer C. (2017, March). Sharing What We Have Learned: Report of the MLE Subcommittee. Concurrent session presented at the annual conference of the Southwestern American Music Therapy Association. Fort Worth, Tx.