

**HELEN HARTMAN DINGUS, BA, MM, FSCTM, NCTM**  
**Certification Board Chairman**  
**Florida State Music Teachers Association**  
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Chairman's action since last meeting:

- Responded to all mail and phone calls received and researched files for answers to questions from FSMTA members, officers and chairmen, submitted articles and information for our newsletters and conducted correspondence as required;
- Worked with Anne McLean and the 2011 Conference committee to provide whatever was wanted from the Certification Chairman for this Conference;
- Responded to the request for updating the Policy Handbook;
- Barring unforeseen events, I plan to bring copies of the reprinted Certification Handbook to the Conference;
- And, likewise, barring unforeseen events, I plan to bring prepared certificates of appreciation to be presented at this conference to honor the individuals who created the new FSMTA Certification Examinations - Dr. Vickie McArthur (Pedagogy), Dr. Valentin Bogdan (Theory), and Dr. Jennifer Donelson (Music History.) FSMTA expresses sincerest thanks to FSMTA President Marc Hebda for his work in overseeing the work that went into making these needed and much appreciated examinations a reality.

With gratitude for your confidence in this chairman,  
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