MUSIC

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OKLAHOMA CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY

PROGRAMS

MUSIC (BA)

MUSIC EDUCATION WITH INSTRUMENTAL EMPHASIS (BME)

MUSIC EDUCATION WITH VOCAL EMPHASIS (BME)

MUSIC FOR KINGDOM IMPACT

A Music degree from Oklahoma Christian University prepares you to develop your musical talents, grow as a performer and inspire others through music. You'll strengthen your skills in performance, music theory, conducting and music education while building the creativity, discipline and confidence to succeed on stage, in the classroom and beyond. With accomplished faculty, personalized instruction and a Christian worldview, you'll graduate ready for diverse career paths.

GRADUATES OF THE MUSIC PROGRAMS

- Perform with Confidence - Develop the musicianship and performance skills to excel as a soloist and ensemble member.
- Analyze & Interpret Music - Understand music through theory, history, culture and artistic expression.
- Inspire Others - Share the joy of music through effective instruction, mentorship and performance.
- Lead with Integrity - Conduct ensembles and serve others with excellence, professionalism and a Christian worldview.



$42.45
NATIONAL MEDIAN HOURLY WAGE FOR MUSICIANS AND SINGERS.[1]

$63,670
NATIONAL MEDIAN ANNUAL SALARY FOR MUSIC DIRECTORS AND COMPOSERS.[1]

$168,964
NATIONAL AVERAGE ANNUAL SALARY FOR A MUSIC PRODUCER.[2]

$76,910
NATIONAL AVERAGE ANNUAL SALARY FOR POETS, LYRICISTS AND CREATIVE WRITERS.[2]

$78,620
NATIONAL AVERAGE ANNUAL SALARY FOR ART, DRAMA AND MUSIC TEACHERS, POSTSECONDARY.[3]

SOURCES:
[1] U.S. BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS
[2] ZIPRECRUITER
*[3] O*NET ONLINE*

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WHY OC? WHY OKC?

At OC, you'll receive personalized instruction from accomplished faculty who are invested in your growth as a musician, educator and person of faith. You'll gain hands-on experience through ensembles, performances, conducting opportunities and individualized mentorship that prepare you for the stage, the classroom and beyond. Located just 10 minutes from downtown Oklahoma City, you'll have opportunities to connect with a vibrant arts community while building the skills and confidence to pursue your calling.

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STUDENT-TO-FACULTY RATIO.

ELITE ALL-STEINWAY SCHOOL
WORLD-CLASS INSTRUMENTS AID IN EXCEPTIONAL MUSICAL TRAINING.

PERFORMANCE OPPORTUNITIES
JOIN OC'S CHAMBER ORCHESTRA, BANDS, CHOIRS OR JAZZ ENSEMBLE.

TOP 15
BEST BIG CITIES TO LIVE.*

*SOURCE: *U.S. NEWS & WORLD REPORT*

WHERE CAN THESE DEGREES TAKE YOU?

Whether you're passionate about performing, teaching, leading ensembles or sharing your love of music with others, a Music degree from Oklahoma Christian University prepares you for a variety of careers including:

PERFORMANCE
- Professional Musician
- Singer
- Session Musician
- Recording Artist
- Worship Leader

MUSIC EDUCATION
- Elementary Music Teacher
- Secondary Music Teacher
- Postsecondary Music Teacher
- Private Music Instructor
- Choir Director
- Band Director

COMPOSITION & CREATIVE ARTS
- Composer
- Music Director
- Lyricist

MUSIC INDUSTRY
- Music Producer
- Audio Engineer
- Arts Administrator
- Talent Manager
- Music Publisher

*SOME CAREERS LISTED MAY REQUIRE ADDITIONAL PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE AND/OR EDUCATION.

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WHERE SOME OF OUR ALUMNI ARE WORKING

- USAF Band of the Golden West
- Life Church Praise and Worship Leader
- Various Public and Private School Systems
- Oklahoma Music Company
- Various University Music Schools
- Oklahoma City Philharmonic
- Lyric Theatre of Oklahoma
- Music Director for Broadway & Off-Broadway Productions
- Freelance Studio Musician
- Rosenbalm Academy of Music
- University of Utah Health Wellness & Integrative Health Center (Music Therapy Professor)
- Various Opera Companies

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