



Graduate Studies in Music

The Dear School of Creative and Performing Arts

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GRADUATE ASSISTANTSHIPS

Music Education • Wind Instruments • Percussion • Conducting
String Instruments • Piano • Accompanying • Voice

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The **Master of Music** degree offers two concentrations to further prepare students for careers as educators and performers. Students choose an area of interest and apply for admission to be accepted into one of the concentration areas: Music Education or Performance. Graduate students work closely with the graduate faculty with expertise in their area of specialization. The excellent ensemble groups provide students with numerous performing opportunities.

Graduate Assistantships are awarded to students with regular admission status, based upon an interview/audition. Assistantships of up to \$12,000 per year are funded through a stipend, tuition waiver, and/or additional scholarships. All graduate assistantships are based on a workload of 20 hours per week.

The **Music Department** is within the School of Creative and Performing Arts or CAPA (designated by the Louisiana Board of Regents as a “Center of Excellence”) at Northwestern State University of Louisiana. In addition to the Master of Music degrees, the department of music offers the Bachelor of Music Education in Vocal and Instrumental Music and the Bachelor of Music with concentrations in Performance, Sacred Music, and Music Business. Twenty-eight full-time [faculty members](#) who are committed to excellence in teaching and performance serve more than 250 music students in graduate and undergraduate degree programs. Northwestern State University’s Music program is fully accredited by the National Association of Schools of Music.

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Northwestern State University is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges to award associate, baccalaureate, masters, specialists, and doctorate degrees. Contact the Commission on Colleges at 1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia 30033-4097 or call 404-679-4500 for questions about the accreditation of Northwestern State University.



Estudios de Posgrado en Música

Dear Facultad de Artes Creativas y Escénicas

Información

Graduate Assistantships /Asistencia Económica de Posgrado por colaboración

Educación Musical • Instrumentos de Viento • Percusión
Dirección Orquestal/Banda de Vientos/Ensamblés
Instrumentos de cuerda • Piano • Piano acompañante • Canto

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La Maestría en Música ofrece dos concentraciones para preparar a los estudiantes en su desarrollo profesional como educadores o intérpretes. Por medio de un proceso de admisión los aspirantes eligen la concentración de su interés: Educación Musical o Interpretación. Los estudiantes de maestría colaboran de manera estrecha con la facultad de la escuela de posgrado en su área de especialización. Los estudiantes tienen la oportunidad de desarrollar sus habilidades interpretativas dentro de excelentes ensambles y agrupaciones.

La Asistencia Económica de Posgrado por colaboración (Graduate Assistantships) se otorga por medio de una entrevista o audición de manera regular a estudiantes en proceso de admisión. Las becas de hasta 12,000 dls por año son financiadas a través de un estipendio, exención de matrícula y/o becas adicionales. Todas las becas de posgrado se basan en 20 horas de trabajo a la semana.

El departamento de Música ha sido designado como "Centro de Excelencia" por la Junta de Regentes de Louisiana, y se encuentra dentro de la Escuela de Artes Creativas y Escénicas (CAPA) en la Universidad Estatal de Northwestern en Louisiana. Adicionalmente a los títulos de Maestría, el departamento de Música ofrece las siguientes Licenciaturas: Educación Musical en música vocal o instrumental; Licenciatura en Música con concentración en Interpretación, Música Sacra y Negocios Musicales. [La facultad](#) de Música se encuentra integrada por veintiocho miembros de tiempo completo, comprometidos con la excelente enseñanza y el desarrollo de más de 250 estudiantes que integran los programas de licenciatura y posgrado. El programa de música de Northwestern State University se encuentra acreditado por la Asociación Nacional de Escuelas de Música.

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