Music at Truman

DISTINCT BY DESIGN

Degrees offered

Emphases in Performance or Composition



Degrees in Education, General Music, or Liberal Arts (Research)

Music Therapy



Minors offered

Music, Jazz Studies. Musicology, Musical Theatre

When you audition to join the major, you can also audition for a music scholarship!

approximate number of students pursuing one of these majors

83%

of faculty have a doctorate in their field.

Major Performing Ensembles

- · Symphony Orchestra
- · Cantoria (Truman's premiere choir)
- · Wind Symphony
- · University Chorus
- · Statesman Marching Band
- · Truman Opera Theatre
- Jazz Ensemble

More great performance opportunities

- Truman Steel Band
- · Percussion Ensemble
- · Women's Chamber Choir
- · Athletic Pep Bands
- Jazz Combos
- Drumline
- Concert Band
- · Brass Choir
- · Uncommon Practice (Modern Music Ensemble)
- · President's String Quartet
- · Clarinet Choir

Music Venues and Facilities

- · Baldwin Auditorium
- Ophelia Parrish Performance Hall
- · Electronic Music Studio
- · Music Computing Lab
- · Keyboard Skills Lab
- Instrumental and Choir Rehearsal Rooms
- · Practice rooms in Ophelia Parrish and Baldwin Hall

83%

of Music majors pursue graduate studies immediately following graduation.

Our students have been accepted to these notable graduate schools:

- · Juilliard School of Music
- · Princeton University
- Yale University
- · New York University
- · University of Chicago
- · Eastman School of Music

Faculty members teach all music majors and minors and even accomplished students in other majors.

To schedule an audition, go to www.truman.edu/auditions/



The Music Department has a 100% job placement rate in Music Education. Contact Dr. Jocelyn Prendergast for more information at jprend@truman.edu.

Want flexibility to pursue more than one passion? Pursue a double-major. Choose the Liberal Arts concentration along with a second degree program.



The Music Program has benefited me in more ways than one. Because of the amazing leadership of my music professors, I have been able to participate in many different music competitions in and out of state. I have also been able to have leadership roles within the music department that will set me up for success after college! With all of these different experiences, the Truman State Music Department is instilling in their students a drive and passion for music inside and outside of the classroom.

- ALLY HOLLOWAY, Class of 2021

Academic Interests: Music with an emphasis in Vocal Performance and Sociology/Anthropology double major, Diversity in Higher Education research with the Sociology/Anthropology Department

Student Organizations: Campus Christian Fellowship, Cardinal Key, Cantoria Choir, and Jazz Combo

Hometown: Elgin, Illinois

