

Music

This sheet has sample occupations, work settings, employers, and career development activities associated with this major. Some of these options may require additional training and career planning. You are not limited to these options when choosing a possible career path.

Sample Occupations

Accompanist	Disk Jockey (DJ)	Music Engineer	Television Music Director
Arranger/Composer	Ethno-Musicologist	Music Historian	Record Producer
Artistic Director	Event Music Consultant	Music Librarian	Researcher
Arts Administrator	House/Stage Manager	Music Professor/Teacher	Road Manager
Booking Agent	Instrument Maker/Repairer	Music Publisher	Studio Owner
Broadcast/Theater Technical Director	Instrument Tuner/Technician	Music Therapist	Sound Effects Technician
Cabaret Entertainer	Instrumentalist	Musicologist	Sound Engineer
Choral Director	Interpreter/Translator	Orchestra Conductor	Staff Publicist
Church Musician	Lyricist/Poet/Creative Writer	Orchestrator	Stage Director
Commercial Music Producer	Mastering Engineer	Percussionist	Stage Technician
Concert Promoter	Media Production Specialist	Performer	Talent Agent
Contractor	Multimedia Consultant	Private Teacher	Theater Manager
Copyright Lawyer	Music Administrator	Production Coordinator	Theater Producer
	Music Critic	Publicity Director	Tour Coordinator
	Music Director	Radio/Television Manager	Video Director

Sample Work Settings

Armed Forces	Entertainment Centers	Video Game Companies	Publishers
Churches/Synagogues	Film Production Companies	Music Libraries	Recording Studios
Conservatories	Home Studios	Music Publishing Companies	Rehabilitation Centers
Colleges/Universities	Instrument Repair Shops	Newspapers/Magazines	Theatre Companies
Concert Halls	Instrument Stores	Private Parties/Events	Theme Parks
Cruise Ships	Law Practice	Public School Systems	TV Studios

Sample Employers

A sample of organizations that have hired students with a concentration in music.

A&M Records	Carnival Cruise Lines	HSN - Home Shopping Network	Florida Music Educators' Association
Alliance Entertainment	Cumulus Broadcasting	Metropolitan Opera House	
Banner Records	Disney Parks	New York Philharmonic	
Brandt Information Services	Groove Distribution		

Connecting Majors, Skills, and Occupations

- View learning outcomes associated with your major in the *FSU Undergraduate Academic Program Guide Learning Compact*: www.learningforlife.fsu.edu/smalcs/learningcompacts.cfm
- Explore the connection between occupations and skills in O*Net: www.onetonline.org
- Use the FSU Career Portfolio to document transferable skills you develop through your major and other experiences: www.portfolio.fsu.edu
- Use ProfessioNole to learn more about industry demands, career expectations, and opportunities from professionals: www.career.fsu.edu/professionole

Sample Career Center Library Resources

Sample Books

100 Careers in the Music Business.....IIB 27-2040 C7	Creative Careers in Music.....IIB 27-2040 D4
Beyond Talent: Creating a Successful Career in Music.....IIB 27-2040 B4	Great Jobs for Music Majors.....IIC MU G6
Breaking Into the Music Business.....IIB 27-2040 S5	Jobs in Art & Media Management: What They Are and How to Get One.....IIA L35
Career Opportunities in the Music Industry.....IIB 27-2040 F3	National Directory of Arts Internships.....IVB C4
Career Opportunities in Theater and Performing Arts.....IIB 27-2012.02 F5	Opportunities in Music Careers.....IIB 27-2040 G4
Careers for High Energy People & Other Go-Getters.....IIA CF-H45	Opportunities in Performing Arts Careers.....IIB 27-2000 B4
	The Music & Entertainment Industry Internship Guide.....IVB E5

Self Exploration and Career Information

To explore values, interests, and skills:

To explore occupational outlooks and salaries:

Choices Planner
www.flchoices.org

Sigi3
www.career.fsu.edu/sigi
(Obtain a User ID from a Career Advisor)

NACE Starting Salaries Survey Data
www.naceweb.org/salary-resources/starting-salaries.aspx

Occupational Outlook Handbook
www.bls.gov/ooh

Salary.com
www.salary.com

SeminoleLink Plus! Services
www.career.fsu.edu/seminolelink

See additional resources in Career Center Advising Module Sheets:
www.career.fsu.edu/advising/modules.cfm

Sample Websites

FSU College of Music
www.music.fsu.edu

Los Angeles Music Network
www.lamn.com

Musical Chairs
www.musicalchairs.info/jobs

Musical Schools
www.aboutmusicschools.com/music/careers/

Sample Professional Organizations

American Choral Director's Association - Lawton, OK
www.acda.org

American Federation of Musicians of the U.S. & Canada - New York, NY
www.afm.org

American Music Therapy Association - Silver Spring, MD
www.musictherapy.org

MENC: The National Association for Music Education - Reston, VA
www.menc.org

National Academy of Recording Arts & Sciences, Inc. - Santa Monica, CA
www.grammy.com

National Association of Teachers and Singing - Jacksonville, FL
www.nats.org

For other related professional organizations, go to FSU Libraries database at lib.fsu.edu; select Find a Database; search for Gale Databases; choose Associations Unlimited.

Additional Information

Florida State University Career Guide 2013-2014
www.career.fsu.edu/pubs/2013-14CareerGuide.pdf

Career Guides
www.career.fsu.edu/advising/guides.cfm

Library Links
www.career.fsu.edu/library/links.cfm

Steps to Career Success
www.career.fsu.edu/Steps-to-Career-Success/