

MUSIC DEPARTMENT

Faculty

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Goals

The Department of Music provides course work and private instruction, plus performance and internship experiences, in order to prepare music majors to:

- Work professionally in their chosen field
- Gain admission to related graduate programs
- Pursue appropriate professional training
- Integrate the arts with the liberal arts and with their Christian values

Additionally, the Department of Music, through its schedule of concerts and recitals, is committed to the development of a widening aesthetic appreciation in all Judson University students.

Objectives

Students majoring in music are expected to meet the following objectives:

- Basic understanding of the structure of music
- Development of skill and repertoire in at least one area of music, which may lead to a vocation
- Understanding of music as an expression of one's own personal Christian faith and the effective use of music in the church
- Knowledge of group dynamic skills learned in performance ensembles
- Knowledge of and research in the library's music resources
- Understanding of the materials of music, leading to the student's own effective individual musical expression
- Understanding music as a powerful force in the development of human personality
- Understanding of music as an expression of Western culture and how it relates to other cultures of the world
- Familiarity with American music and composers and their unique contributions to the world of music
- Church Music Certificate (<https://catalog.judsonu.edu/departments-divisions-programs/music-department/church-music-certificate/>)
- Church Music Performance Minor (<https://catalog.judsonu.edu/departments-divisions-programs/music-department/church-music-performance-minor/>)
- Community Music, Master of Arts (<https://catalog.judsonu.edu/departments-divisions-programs/music-department/mus-master/>)
- Music Business & Entrepreneurship Major (<https://catalog.judsonu.edu/departments-divisions-programs/music-department/music-business-entrepreneurship-major/>)
- Music Composition Minor (<https://catalog.judsonu.edu/departments-divisions-programs/music-department/music-composition-minor/>)

- Music Performance Certificate (<https://catalog.judsonu.edu/departments-divisions-programs/music-department/music-performance-one-year-certificate/>)
- Music Performance Instrumental Minor (<https://catalog.judsonu.edu/departments-divisions-programs/music-department/music-performance-instrumental-minor/>)
- Music Performance Major (<https://catalog.judsonu.edu/departments-divisions-programs/music-department/music-performance-major/>)
- Music Performance Piano Minor (<https://catalog.judsonu.edu/departments-divisions-programs/music-department/music-performance-piano-minor/>)
- Music Performance Voice Minor (<https://catalog.judsonu.edu/departments-divisions-programs/music-department/music-performance-voice-minor/>)
- Praise and Worship Music Minor (<https://catalog.judsonu.edu/departments-divisions-programs/music-department/praise-worship-music-minor/>)
- Studio Piano Teaching Minor (<https://catalog.judsonu.edu/departments-divisions-programs/music-department/studio-piano-teaching-minor/>)
- Studio Voice Teaching Minor (<https://catalog.judsonu.edu/departments-divisions-programs/music-department/studio-voice-teaching-minor/>)