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

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<th>Television Music Director</th>
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<td>Arranger/Composer</td>
<td>Ethno-Musicologist</td>
<td>Music Historian</td>
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<td>Artistic Director</td>
<td>Event Music Consultant</td>
<td>Music Librarian</td>
<td>Researcher</td>
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<td>Arts Administrator</td>
<td>House/Stage Manager</td>
<td>Music Professor/Teacher</td>
<td>Road Manager</td>
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<td>Booking Agent</td>
<td>Instrument Maker/Repairer</td>
<td>Music Publisher</td>
<td>Studio Owner</td>
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<td>Broadcast/Theater Technical</td>
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<td>Music Therapist</td>
<td>Sound Effects Technician</td>
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<td>Staff Publicist</td>
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<td>Church Musician</td>
<td>Mastering Engineer</td>
<td>Percussionist</td>
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<td>Commercial Music Producer</td>
<td>Media Production Specialist</td>
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<td>Concert Promoter</td>
<td>Multimedia Consultant</td>
<td>Private Teacher</td>
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<td>Contractor</td>
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<td>Production Coordinator</td>
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<td>Copyright Lawyer</td>
<td>Music Critic</td>
<td>Publicity Director</td>
<td>Tour Coordinator</td>
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<td>Music Director</td>
<td>Radio/Television Manager</td>
<td>Video Director</td>
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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.

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<th>A&amp;M Records</th>
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<th>HSN - Home Shopping Network</th>
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<td>Disney Parks</td>
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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/smalscs/learningcompacts.cfm](http://www.learningforlife.fsu.edu/smalscs/learningcompacts.cfm)
- Explore the connection between occupations and skills in O*Net: [www.onetonline.org](http://www.onetonline.org)
- Use the FSU Career Portfolio to document transferable skills you develop through your major and other experiences: [www.portfolio.fsu.edu](http://www.portfolio.fsu.edu)
- Use ProfessioNole to learn more about industry demands, career expectations, and opportunities from professionals: [www.career.fsu.edu/professionole](http://www.career.fsu.edu/professionole)
Sample Career Center Library Resources

**Sample Books**
- 100 Careers in the Music Business........................IIB 27-2040 C7
- Beyond Talent: Creating a Successful Career in Music............................IIB 27-2040 B4
- Breaking Into the Music Business..................................................IIB 27-2040 S5
- Career Opportunities in the Music Industry....................................IIB 27-2040 F3
- Career Opportunities in Theater and Performing Arts..............IIB 27-2012.02 F5
- Careers for High Energy People & Other Go-Getters.........................IIA CF-H45
- Creative Careers in Music.........................................................IIB 27-2040 D4
- Great Jobs for Music Majors.....................................................IIC MU G6
- Jobs in Art & Media Management: What They Are and How to Get One...............IIA L35
- National Directory of Arts Internships......................................IVB C4
- Opportunities in Music Careers..............................................IIB 27-2040 G4
- 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:
- Choices Planner
  - www.flchoices.org
- Sigi3
  - www.career.fsu.edu/sigi
  - (Obtain a User ID from a Career Advisor)

To explore occupational outlooks and salaries:
- 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
- Musical Chairs
  - www.masterchairs.info/jobs
- Los Angeles Music Network
  - www.lamn.com
- 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
- Library Links
  - www.career.fsu.edu/library/links.cfm
- Career Guides
  - www.career.fsu.edu/advising/guides.cfm
- Steps to Career Success
  - www.career.fsu.edu/Steps-to-Career-Success/