

DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC

Department Head: Dr. Renee L. Baptiste, baptiste@jsu.edu

MA Program Coordinator: Dr. Christopher Probst, cprobst@jsu.edu

The Department of Music offers courses leading to the Master of Arts (MA) degree with a major in Music and supporting courses for the Master of Arts (MA) degree with a major in Integrated Studies.

Within the Master of Arts degree with a major in Music, students may select one of two concentrations:

1. **General Music**
 - a. Instrumental
 - b. Vocal-Choral
2. **Music Education P-12** (leads to professional educator certification)
 - a. Instrumental
 - i. An Alternative Class A program is available for students who completed a non-teaching degree or for students who want to change teaching fields
 - b. Vocal-Choral
 - i. An Alternative Class A program is available for students who completed a non-teaching degree or for students who want to change teaching fields

The graduate programs in music are accredited by the National Association of Schools of Music.

- Music – General Music (Instrumental) (Master of Arts) (catalog.jsu.edu/graduate/arts-humanities/music/music-general-music-instrumental-ma/)
- Music – General Music (Vocal-Choral) (Master of Arts) (catalog.jsu.edu/graduate/arts-humanities/music/music-general-music-vocal-choral-ma/)
- Music Education P-12 (Instrumental) (Master of Arts) (catalog.jsu.edu/graduate/arts-humanities/music/music-instrumental-p-12-ma/)
- Music Education P-12 (Vocal-Choral) (Master of Arts) (catalog.jsu.edu/graduate/arts-humanities/music/music-vocal-choral-p-12-ma/)
- Music Education P-12 Alternative Class A (Instrumental) (Master of Arts) (catalog.jsu.edu/graduate/arts-humanities/music/music-instrumental-p-12-alternative-class-a-ma/)
- Music Education P-12 Alternative Class A (Vocal-Choral) (Master of Arts) (catalog.jsu.edu/graduate/arts-humanities/music/music-vocal-choral-p-12-alternative-class-a-ma/)

Professor

Baptiste, Renee L. (catalog.jsu.edu/graduate/faculty-admin/faculty/baptiste16)

Gordon, Douglas L. (catalog.jsu.edu/graduate/faculty-admin/faculty/gordon106)

Associate Professor

Benson, Jeremy L. (catalog.jsu.edu/graduate/faculty-admin/faculty/benson30)

Bodiford, Kenneth G. (catalog.jsu.edu/graduate/faculty-admin/faculty/bodiford33)

Assistant Professor

Jordan, Matthew (catalog.jsu.edu/graduate/faculty-admin/faculty/jordan146)

Park, Kye Jung Rachel (catalog.jsu.edu/graduate/faculty-admin/faculty/park228)

Thomas, Casey (catalog.jsu.edu/graduate/faculty-admin/faculty/thomas288)