

# Bachelor's Programme in Music, Folk and World Music

LUND UNIVERSITY | SWEDEN

- Bachelor of Music
- 3 years, full-time, 180 ECTS credits
- Malmö Academy of Music
- Malmö campus
- Application deadline: January 2024
- Programme start: August 2024

#### **PROGRAMME OVERVIEW**

The Performance Programme, World Music, aims to train musicians that possess excellent artistic and professional qualities. The programme is offered to both instrument players and vocalists with a background in folk music or non-Western classical music. After the successful completion of the programme of study, students shall have sufficient knowledge, understanding and skills to be able to pursue a career within various professional areas.

The student must also have developed the skills necessary for continued or in-depth studies that are to a great degree autonomous. Furthermore, on completion of the programme, the student must have acquired basic entrepreneurial skills that increase his/her professional versatility in an ever-changing cultural life.

The academic year is divided into weeks of scheduled classes, project weeks and weeks for independent studies as well as examination and assignment weeks.

Once the programme is successfully completed, students are awarded a degree of Bachelor in Music.

Students are also given the opportunity to partake in ensemble classes together with those studying folk music enrolled on the Music Teacher's programmes.

A number of well-known musicians have visited the Academy as guest lecturers. They have come from both Scandinavian countries and countries beyond Scandinavia such as Cuba, Gambia, England and Chile among others. A list of guest lecturers is decided on by students and those responsible for the programme. Once a year students and staff partake in Nordtrad - a meeting of all the music academies in the Scandinavian and Baltic regions - to meet and exchange experiences with other students and teachers of music. Read more about this at nordtrad.net.

Concert performances of various forms are included and seen as an important part of the programme.

### **PROGRAMME MODULES/COURSES**

Semester 1: Instrumental studies (8 credits), Ensemble (6 credits), Project (6 credits), Music theory (4 credits), Individual course (4 credits), Music and Society (2 credits).

Semester 2: Instrumental studies (8 credits), Ensemble (6 credits), Project (6 credits), Music theory (4 credits), Individual course (4 credits), Music and Society (2 credits)

- **Semester 3:** Instrumental studies (8 credits), Ensemble (6 credits), Project (5 credits), Music theory (4 credits), Individual course (2 credits), Music and Society (2 credits), Music profession (3 credits)
- **Semester 4:** Instrumental studies (8 credits), Ensemble (6 credits), Project (5 credits), Music theory (4 credits), Individual course (2 credits), Music and Society (2 credits), Music profession (3 credits)
- Semester 5: Instrumental studies (7,5 credits), Examination – Exam concert (5,5 credits), Thesis (2 credits), Ensemble (6 credits), Project (2 credits), Music theory (2 credits), Individual course (2 credits), Music profession (3 credits)
- Semester 6: Instrumental studies (7,5 credits), Examination – Exam concert (5,5 credits), Thesis (2 credits), Ensemble (6 credits), Project (2 credits), Music theory (2 credits), Individual course (2 credits), Music profession (3 credits)

# ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND HOW TO APPLY

#### **Entry requirements**

General requirements for university studies in Sweden as well as successful entrance tests to the Bachelor's Programme in Music. English level 6.

## How to apply

The applications to Malmö Academy of Music programmes takes place in two steps:

- 1. Apply online and submit you supporting documents to University Admissions in Sweden:
- Apply online: Go to <u>www.universityadmissions.se</u> and find your programme, the Swedish national application website. Click on "Apply" and rank the chosen programmes in order of preference.
- Submit your supporting documents: Check what documents you need to submit (i.e. official transcripts, degree diploma/proof of expected graduation, translations, proof of English, passport) and how you need to submit them at www.universityadmissions.se.
- Pay the application fee (when applicable).
- 2. Send work samples to Malmö Academy of Music: Entrance examinations usually take place in March each year. Find further information about the application process as well as deadlines and audition instructions for your specialisation on www.mhm.lu.se/en/folk-and-world-music.

# Selection criteria/additional info

The selection of students is based on auditions.

## **Tuition fees**

Tuition fee SEK 190 000 per year for non-EU/EEA citizens. No fee for EU/EEA citizens See <u>www.lunduniversity.lu.se</u> for details on tuition fees.



# ABOUT MALMÖ ACADEMY OF MUSIC

Malmö Academy of Music has an international profile thanks to established collaborations with reputable universities and music academies around the world, especially in the Nordic countries and Europe. We also have exchange programme for both exchange students and guest lecturers.

## **ABOUT LUND UNIVERSITY**

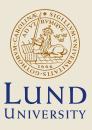
Lund University was founded in 1666 and is repeatedly ranked among the world's top universities. The University has around 45 000 students and more than 8 000 staff based in Lund, Helsingborg and Malmö. We are united in our efforts to understand, explain and improve our world and the human condition. Lund is considered one of the most popular study locations in Sweden. The University offers one of the broadest ranges of programmes and courses in Scandinavia, based on cross-disciplinary and cutting-edge research. The unique disciplinary range encourages boundary-crossing collaborations both within academia and with wider society, creating great conditions for scientific breakthroughs and innovations. The University has a distinct international profile, with partner universities in approximately 75 countries.

Lund University has an annual turnover of EUR 892 million, of which two-thirds go to research in our nine faculties, enabling us to offer one of the strongest and broadest ranges of research in Scandinavia.

#### CONTACT

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