Programme overview

The Master’s Programme in Music has specialisations in Composition, Guitar, Harpsichord, Jazz Improvisation, Music Drama – Répétiteur, Piano, Recorder, Symphony Orchestra Instrument, Vocal and Drama Studies, and Vocal Studies.

The Malmö Academy of Music offers advanced professional first and second cycle programmes for prospective singers, musicians, composers and church musicians to prepare you for work in orchestras and ensembles and for the growing freelance market.

Studies in one of the performance programmes at the Malmö Academy of Music will prepare you for future professional musicianship as a soloist and/or ensemble and orchestra musician. During the period of study, you will develop the knowledge and skills you need in order to work at a high artistic level in a changing and dynamic cultural life in all its forms. We offer education with considerable opportunities to realise your own goals and in parallel build up a strong professional identity that will endure throughout your life as a musician. All our programmes are solid, high-quality professional programmes and the teaching is conducted by a professional and committed team of tutors with in-depth knowledge of the skills and abilities required for active musicianship.

Entry requirements and how to apply

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Bachelor’s degree in music or equivalent and approved entrance examinations.

HOW TO APPLY

The applications to Malmö Academy of Music programmes take place in three steps:

1. Apply online and submit your supporting documents to University Admissions in Sweden:
   • Apply online: Go to www.universityadmissions.se, the Swedish national application website. Find your programmes of interest, click on “Apply” and follow the instructions for the online application. Rank the chosen programmes in order of preference.
   • Submit 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: You will need to send samples of work via regular post directly to Malmö Academy of Music. Deadlines and instructions for your specialisation can be found at www.khm.lu.se.

3. Participate in audition/entrance examination: After the application deadline, selected candidates will be invited to an entrance examination. These usually take place in March each year. The auditions/entrance examinations are held at the Academy located in Malmö and participation is mandatory.

“The Malmö Academy of Music has a fine tradition in bassoon education, mostly because of its prominent teachers who are great musicians – working in professional Swedish orchestras – as well as teachers and people, which makes Malmö a great environment for reaching my goals. There are lots of opportunities at the Academy of Music to participate in symphony orchestra projects as well as numerous chamber music projects.”

Montserrat Aguirre Toledo from Spain, specialisation in bassoon
Check www.khm.lu.se for further information about the application process and the notifications of results that are sent out in April.

SELECTION CRITERIA/ADDITIONAL INFO
Selection of students is based on entrance examinations. Please see www.mhm.lu.se for more information.

TUITION FEES
There are no tuition fees for EU/EEA citizens. For non-EU/EEA citizens the tuition fee for this programme is SEK 190 000 per year. See www.lunduniversity.lu.se for details on tuition fees.

About Malmö Academy of Music
The Malmö Academy of Music has developed an international study environment. Since 1990, our efforts at organised internationalisation have firmly established the Academy’s reputation with foreign contacts stretching far beyond Scandinavia and Europe. We have over 60 institutional agreements in Europe (Erasmus, Nordplus), as well as access to Lund University’s comprehensive contracts with universities that span the globe. Both students and teachers may apply to exchange programmes that will give them new experiences and broaden their educational perspective.

Every year, the Malmö Academy of Music accepts a large number of guest lecturers and exchange students and we direct several projects in an effort to spread knowledge about the music and values of foreign cultures. In practical terms, our international efforts provide the individual student and teacher with new perspectives on their daily activities. Internationalisation leads to new experiences and constitutes an ongoing evaluation as well as quality management. The Malmö Academy of Music actively works to educate the musicians and music teachers of the future in a way that reflects the needs of a multicultural society.

About Lund University
Lund University was founded in 1666 and is repeatedly ranked among the world’s top 100 universities. The University has 40 000 students and 7 600 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 the most popular study location in Sweden. Lund University offers one of the broadest ranges of programmes and courses in Scandinavia, based on cross-disciplinary and cutting-edge research. The University has a distinct international profile, with partner universities in around 70 countries.

Lund University has an annual turnover of SEK 8.5 billion, more than half of which is destined for research. Our eight faculties conduct strong research in many different areas, including over thirty research fields in which we are world-leading. Many scientific breakthroughs and pioneering innovations have originated from Lund University.

The world-leading research facilities MAX IV and ESS which are being established in Lund will be of great significance for research and industrial development within materials and life sciences. MAX IV is the world’s foremost synchrotron radiation facility and the ESS will be the most powerful neutron source in the world once it opens for research in 2023. Science Village Scandinavia is developing nearby and is destined to become a meeting place and a test environment for research, education and entrepreneurship.

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