MAJOR IN MUSIC (B.M.), PERFORMANCE CONCENTRATION, VOICE OPTION

Please refer to the main Major in Music (B.M.), Music Performance Concentration (http://catalog.colostate.edu/general-catalog/colleges/ liberal-arts/music-theatre-dance/music-bm-performance-concentration/) page for the performance concentration overview and learning objectives.

Voice Option

The Bachelor of Music, Performance Concentration, Voice Option is a professional degree program that provides students with excellent opportunities for vocal, artistic and personal growth. Each member of the voice faculty provides a nurturing, yet challenging studio environment. The emphasis of process over product allows students to develop a solid platform of vocal technique for realizing their personal artistry.

All voice students study with a highly qualified and experienced faculty of professors of voice. In addition to a seminar for freshman voice majors that supports their transition to collegiate study, voice majors spend the fall semester of their first year by participating in individual lesson rotations with each of the voice faculty. In their second semester of study, voice majors are placed with a single teacher for the rest of their degree program to promote personalized and engaged care for the student throughout their study at CSU.

Voice students have the opportunity to perform in a variety of styles and formats, as soloists and ensemble members of choirs, opera and musical theater productions, and chamber music collaborations. Voice students perform a jury each semester and sing on voice area and departmental recitals throughout the year.

Music Auditions

Prospective CSU Students: In addition to applying to CSU through the Office of Admissions, a successful audition with CSU Music faculty is required for entrance into the B.M. concentrations. Please visit the music website for Music Audition Information (https://music.colostate.edu/admissions/undergrad-apply/).

Current CSU Students: To change your major to music, you may call the School of Music, Theatre, and Dance at (970) 491-5891 or email smtd@colostate.edu (cla_advising@colostate.edu). Current CSU students need to complete the audition process and be accepted to the School of Music, Theatre, and Dance before contacting the College of Liberal Arts Academic Advising Center. Please visit the music website for Music Audition Information (https://music.colostate.edu/admissions/ undergrad-apply/).

Join an Ensemble: Bands, Orchestras, and Choirs are open to all CSU students. Ensemble audition excerpts and instructions are available at Ensemble Audition Information (https://music.colostate.edu/ auditions/) (some ensembles do not require an audition).

Music Program Fee

A music program fee is assessed with Undergraduate and graduate music and musical theatre majors and music minors, per semester.

Does not apply to the following students: online degree students and summers-only master's degree students. <u>Please visit the</u> (https:// provost.colostate.edu/students/)<u>Office of the Provost and Executive Vice</u> <u>President for special course fees.</u>