

# SCHOOL OF MUSIC, THEATRE, AND DANCE

## Undergraduate

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The School of Music, Theatre, and Dance at CSU provides a rigorous undergraduate educational experience.

**CSU Music** believes that music is both an artistic and intellectual pursuit. We offer intense training in specialized music disciplines combined with a balance of core music courses in music history and theory. Our renowned and versatile faculty are committed to helping students discover their own unique identities through music. We offer Bachelor of Music (B.M.) degrees in Music Therapy, Music Education, Music Composition, and Music Performance, as well as a Bachelor of Arts in Music (B.A.). Additionally, a music minor is available to undergraduates.

**CSU Theatre** offers a comprehensive undergraduate education for performers and designers, emphasizing a reciprocal relationship between practice and scholarly study. Students explore every aspect of theatre, including the theory and practice of acting, singing, theatrical design, stage management, technical theatre, dramaturgy, dramatic criticism, storytelling, and playwriting. Students pursuing a Bachelor of Arts in Theatre (B.A.) choose a concentration: Performance, Musical Theatre, Set Design, Lighting Design and Technology, Projection Design and Technology, or Sound Design and Technology. Each concentration provides fundamental skills and experiences in theatre within a liberal arts context. Our community-minded program is embedded within the larger School of Music, Theatre, and Dance, affording our students the opportunity to collaborate with their peers across the performing arts in various venues.

**CSU Dance** offers programs in classical and contemporary dance education culminating in either a Bachelor of Fine Arts in Dance (B.F.A.), a Bachelor of Fine Arts with a concentration in Dance Education (B.F.A.), or a Bachelor of Arts in Dance (B.A.). Students focus on areas such as performance, technique, and foundations; performance and repertoire; choreography and improvisation; pedagogy and teaching methodologies; history and theory; and technical production and design. Guest artists and masterclasses are a regular occurrence. Our challenging curriculum that merges career preparation with a liberal arts foundation serves as a catalyst for shaping skilled performers and well-rounded individuals. In all dance degrees, students engage in experiential coursework, work in leadership roles, and benefit from live musical accompaniment in technique classes.

## Majors

- Major in Dance (B.F.A. and B.A.) (<http://catalog.colostate.edu/general-catalog/colleges/liberal-arts/music-theatre-dance/dance/>)
  - Dance Education Concentration (B.F.A.) (<http://catalog.colostate.edu/general-catalog/colleges/liberal-arts/music-theatre-dance/dance/dance-bfa/dance-education-concentration/>)
- Major in Music (B.M.) (<http://catalog.colostate.edu/general-catalog/colleges/liberal-arts/music-theatre-dance/music-bm/>)
  - Composition Concentration (<http://catalog.colostate.edu/general-catalog/colleges/liberal-arts/music-theatre-dance/music-bm-composition-concentration/>)
  - Music Education Concentration (<http://catalog.colostate.edu/general-catalog/colleges/liberal-arts/music-theatre-dance/music-bm-education-concentration/>)
    - Choral Option (<http://catalog.colostate.edu/general-catalog/colleges/liberal-arts/music-theatre-dance/music-bm-education-concentration-choral-option/>)
    - Instrumental Option (<http://catalog.colostate.edu/general-catalog/colleges/liberal-arts/music-theatre-dance/music-bm-education-concentration-instrumental-option/>)
  - Music Therapy Concentration (<http://catalog.colostate.edu/general-catalog/colleges/liberal-arts/music-theatre-dance/music-bm-therapy-concentration/>)
  - Performance Concentration (<http://catalog.colostate.edu/general-catalog/colleges/liberal-arts/music-theatre-dance/music-bm-performance-concentration/>)
    - Jazz Studies Option (<http://catalog.colostate.edu/general-catalog/colleges/liberal-arts/music-theatre-dance/music-bm-performance-concentration-jazz-studies-option/>)
    - Orchestral Instrument Option (<http://catalog.colostate.edu/general-catalog/colleges/liberal-arts/music-theatre-dance/music-bm-performance-concentration-orchestral-instrument-option/>)
    - Organ Option (<http://catalog.colostate.edu/general-catalog/colleges/liberal-arts/music-theatre-dance/music-bm-performance-concentration-organ-option/>)
    - Piano Option (<http://catalog.colostate.edu/general-catalog/colleges/liberal-arts/music-theatre-dance/music-bm-performance-concentration-piano-option/>)
    - Voice Option (<http://catalog.colostate.edu/general-catalog/colleges/liberal-arts/music-theatre-dance/music-bm-performance-concentration-voice-option/>)
- Major in Music (B.A.) (<http://catalog.colostate.edu/general-catalog/colleges/liberal-arts/music-theatre-dance/music-ba/>)
- Major in Theatre (B.A.) (<http://catalog.colostate.edu/general-catalog/colleges/liberal-arts/music-theatre-dance/theatre/>)
  - Costume Design and Technology Concentration (<http://catalog.colostate.edu/general-catalog/colleges/liberal-arts/music-theatre-dance/theatre-costume-design-technology-concentration/>)
  - Lighting Design and Technology Concentration (<http://catalog.colostate.edu/general-catalog/colleges/liberal-arts/music-theatre-dance/theatre-lighting-design-technology-concentration/>)
  - Musical Theatre Concentration (<http://catalog.colostate.edu/general-catalog/colleges/liberal-arts/music-theatre-dance/theatre-musical-theatre-concentration/>)
  - Performance Concentration (<http://catalog.colostate.edu/general-catalog/colleges/liberal-arts/music-theatre-dance/theatre-performance-concentration/>)
  - Projection Design and Technology Concentration (<http://catalog.colostate.edu/general-catalog/colleges/liberal-arts/music-theatre-dance/theatre-projection-design-technology-concentration/>)
  - Set Design Concentration (<http://catalog.colostate.edu/general-catalog/colleges/liberal-arts/music-theatre-dance/theatre-set-design-technology-concentration/>)

- Sound Design and Technology Concentration (<http://catalog.colostate.edu/general-catalog/colleges/liberal-arts/music-theatre-dance/theatre-sound-design-technology-concentration/>)

## Minors

- Minor in Music (<http://catalog.colostate.edu/general-catalog/colleges/liberal-arts/music-theatre-dance/music-minor/>)