### ABOUT US



ACM was founded in 2019 with a mission to provide an exceptional online graduate education that is affordable and strives for the advancement of knowledge, musicianship, and inquiry, which encourages diversity in creative and critical thought. The College offers student-centered instruction that is empirical and hands-on. ACM's graduates are ready to live, adapt, and lead in an ever-changing, interconnected world.



# Teaching and Learning



"... learning is ultimately a fundamentally human endeavor best accomplished by humans actually interacting with other humans."\*

Teaching and Learning in the online environment are different from traditional face-to-face classrooms. That's why the ACM Online curriculum has been developed from the ground up with the E-Learner in mind. The online student wants flexibility and diversity in instruction with more interaction and collaboration than boring lectures. They want access to their professors to ask questions and share ideas with prompt feedback. Most of all, E-Learners wish to be in a setting where they can express their creative ideas to solve pedagogical issues leading to successful teaching outcomes.

\*Pearlman, S. J. (2020). America's Critical Thinking Crisis. The Critical Thinking Initiative., p. 68

# Affordable Tuition Graduate Debt-Free



Many colleges and universities claim that their tuition rates are affordable. ACM Online offers affordable tuition rates without going into debt with excessive high-interest student loans. A Masters in Music Education degree from ACM Online can increase a working educator's salary by an average of \$12,000.\* After graduating from our 14-month, Online program, the Return on Investment (ROI) can be as much as 17% in the first year alone. Learn More about how you can get a substantial raise without going into debt by going to https://acmonline.us/finance-options/

\*US Department of Labor 2017 inflation (https://www.bls.gov/opub/ted/2018/a-look-at-teacher-pay-across-the-united-states-in-2017.htm)





## Authorization

American College of Music is a private institution approved to operate by the California Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education (BPPE). Approval to operate means compliance with state standards as set forth in the California Educational Code (CEC §94909(a)(2)) and 5, CCR



# Non-Discrimination Policy

The American College of Music admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school. It does not discriminate based on race, color, national and ethnic origin in the administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, scholarship and loan programs, and athletic and other school-administered programs.

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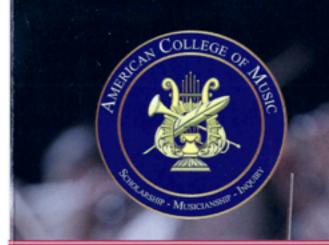


## Core Classes

Course Number	Course Name
601	History and Philosophy of Music Ed
501	Analytical Techniques
510	Research in Music Ed
607	Curriculum in Music Ed I
608	Curriculum in Music Ed II
699	MME Project Presentation/ Lecture (Capstone)

# Electives (incomplete list)

Course Number	Course Name
512	Technology in Music Ed
513	Pedagogy in Music Ed
605	Critical Thinking in Music Ed
606	Musical Aesthetics
525	Jazz Ensemble Pedagogy
502	Intro to Musical Notation
515	Orchestration
520	Jazz History
609	Wind/Band Literature
615	Advanced Choral Techniques
617	Elementary Music Techniques
625	Advanced Research Methods



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