What Can I Do with a Major in Music?

Description

This program provides a broad foundation in music and is also appropriate for students planning on graduate study. Specializations available: Music Performance, Music Composition, Music History, Music Education, Music for Elementary Teachers, Music Technology, and Music Theory.

Sample List of Occupations

Accompanist	Arranger	Band Director	Vocalist
Choral Conductor	Composer	Copyright Specialist	Copywriter
Instrumental Musician	Music Copyist	Music Editor	Music Journalist
Music Librarian	Music Professor	Music Teacher	Music Therapist
Musician	Session Musician	Songwriter	Synthesizer Specialist
Arts Administrator/Manager	Tour Manager	Voice Teacher	Technical Writer

Skills and Abilities

* Ability to read & write music	* Perseverance
* Adaptability & flexibility	* Physical stamina
* Aptitude for music	* Self-discipline
* Communication skills	* Versatility
* Creativity	* Work independently

Explore, Experience, Enter...a world of possibilities

Let the staff of Academic and Career Advising help you think outside the box to discover all that Keene State College has to offer. Stop by our office, located on the first floor of Elliot Center, and schedule an appointment with an advisor, or call the Main Desk at 358-2500.

The Career Resource Center, located in the ACA office, offers computer terminals for online exploration as well as printed handouts and reference material on career-related topics. Check out more "major" options online at www.keene.edu/aca/careerplanning.cfm.

Career Web Resources

• American Music Therapy Association

http://www.musictherapy.org

• Careers in Music

http://berklee.edu/careers/default.html

• Mason Library eSources – Music

http://www.keene.edu/library/esources_list.cfm?Cat_id=21&Liaison_id=6&Page=Music%20eSources

• Music Careers

http://stats.bls.gov/oco/ocos095.htm

So you're thinking about a career in music?

http://www.menc.org/careers

Why Study Music?

http://www.uncw.edu/stuaff/career/Majors/music.htm