

Music

DIVISION OF
FINE ARTS



PROGRAMS OF STUDY:

B.A. in Music
B.M. in Music Theory-Composition
B.M. in Music Education, Vocal Emphasis
B.M. in Music Education, Instrumental Emphasis
B.M. in Performance, Voice
Minor in Music

GRADUATE SCHOOL PLACEMENTS

Belmont University
Duke University Divinity School
East Carolina University
East Tennessee State University
Liberty University
University of Iowa
University of Tennessee-Knoxville
Yale Institute for Sacred Music

ON CAMPUS OPPORTUNITIES

Maryville College Concert Choir
Off Kilter - A Cappella Vocal Ensemble
Lads & Lassies Men's & Women's Choirs
Maryville College Community Choir
Maryville College Symphony Orchestra
MC3Band Community Symphonic Band
Tartanband Wind Ensemble/Pep Band



The \$47-million Clayton Center for the Arts opened in 2010. In addition to serving as the home of the College's Fine Arts Division, it is a gathering place for the community and its visitors where the arts and culture of the region are celebrated.

Constructed to provide superior acoustics, the facility includes:

- ▶ the 1,200-seat Ronald and Lynda Nutt Theatre (proscenium theatre with continental seating)
- ▶ the 252-seat Harold and Jean Lambert Recital Hall
- ▶ the Harry Harter Choral Rehearsal Room
- ▶ the Massey Family Rehearsal Hall for instrumental groups
- ▶ new classrooms, including a music library and computer lab
- ▶ state-of-the-art acoustically shielded practice rooms, each equipped with a piano



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COLLEGE
IN THE GREAT SMOKY MOUNTAINS

Why study Music at Maryville College?

Because students study a curriculum that includes specific courses in the major as well as a core of liberal arts courses, our graduates enjoy a wide range of career and graduate school placements. Interested in becoming a songwriter? The surrounding area boasts a number of venues, including coffee shops and restaurants where you can hone your craft. Want to be a music teacher? Opportunities to work as a choral scholar at a local church, as well as an assistant for children's choirs, can complement your coursework. Participation in our pep/marching Tartanband will provide you with relevant experiences. Considering a music career that involves graduate school? Our students have been awarded assistantships and scholarships to continue their studies at several prestigious institutions.

MEET A CURRENT SCOT



Claire Pinkston

Hometown: Loudon, Tenn.

As a Music Education major, Claire has always enjoyed music and performing, but Maryville College has allowed her to grow both her interest and her knowledge.

"Music majors are given the opportunity to perform and learn from professors and each other every week in a program that is immersive and interactive," she said. "I am an active member of the Maryville College Concert Choir and our

small ensembles, and I'm getting lots of performative experiences and making great memories."

After graduation she hopes to teach music at the high school level, inspiring young people to find joy and beauty in it as she has.

"I enjoy learning from all of the professors, and I feel like the people I am working with really care about my success," she said.

MEET A RECENT GRAD



Brianna Bakoleadis '21

Currently: Music teacher at Sweetwater (Tenn.) Primary School

As a Music Education major with Licensure (and a focus in Voice), Brianna was as busy on the stage as she was in the classroom, taking part all four years in the Maryville College Concert Choir and the small ensembles Off Kilter and the Lassies. For two years, she was a vocalist with the MC Jazz Band, and for three she served as the MC Concert Choir Manager.

Those experiences, she said, supplemented the instruction she received and the knowledge she gained to make for an ideal music education.

"The experiences and education I received served as a catalyst for being the music educator I am and continue to grow into every day," she said. "I'm so incredibly thankful for my time at MC. The music faculty is not only extremely talented and knowledgeable, but they go above and beyond to support students both in and out of the classroom. It is truly a special place to be."

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