

# College of Arts and Sciences Foundation Profile

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## School of Music

### I. General Description

The **mission** of the School of Music at Indiana State University is to prepare students for careers and continued study in music education, music business, performance, and music as a liberal art. Recognized for its long history of training music educators and members of the music business community, the school offers a range of undergraduate and graduate degrees in a personalized environment. We provide experiential learning opportunities, develop life-long learning skills, and foster cultural engagement and international exchange. The school promotes awareness and appreciation of the musical arts through courses for all university students and serves as a cultural resource for the university, local community, and state through outreach, special events, and public performances.

### II. Points of Pride

- One of the largest majors in the College of Arts and Sciences (over 200).
- Graduates in music education and music business have a near 100% placement rate following graduation.
- Music Education Majors are placed in middle school and high school music programs throughout Indiana and the mid-west.
- Performance and Composition majors are readily accepted into well-known graduate programs.

### III. Vision

To provide an environment for learning that allows students to reach their highest potential in musicianship, performance, teaching, composing and connection with the music business world.

### IV. Opportunities for Philanthropic Support

- Opportunity for the Naming of spaces: (School of Music, recital hall, atrium, classrooms, performance studios, office suites (\$2,000,000 – \$25,000))
- Endowed (named) scholarships (minimum \$20,000)
- Named pianos (ranging from \$100,00 [9' Steinway grand for recital hall] to \$6,000 [upright for performance studio or rehearsal room])
- Endowment for visiting artists
- Funding for student travel/experiential learning