



# **Mercy University (Westchester)**

## **Music Production and Recording Arts**

#### Study details

Course type: Bachelor's degree Degree: BS Music Production and Recording Arts Study mode: Full time Duration: 48 Month

#### Cost of study

Cost : 23 330 USD Reg. fee : N/A USD Scolarship : Insurance : N/A USD

#### Intake/s

Jan/May/Sep

#### Requirements

### Minimum Required Score for English

- TOEFL 71
- IELTS 6.0
- Duolingo English Test (DET) 105
- **PTE** 48
- EIKEN Pre-1

Average of 4 in at least 6 subjects

### **Documents needed for I-20 Issuance**

- Copy of Picture Page in Valid Passport (should be valid 6 months into the future)
- I-20 Eligibility Form
- Recent bank statement (no more than 3 months old) of student OR sponsor, indicating enough funding for one year of tuition plus living expenses.
- Proof of income of sponsor (either recent pay stubs, recent tax statement, or letter from employer)
- Affidavit of support, signed by the student's sponsor



Once received, your documents will be reviewed by ISS within 48 hours. If anything additional is needed, International Student Services will inform you via email. Otherwise, your Form I-20 will be issued within 1-2 business days of receiving all documents. Once the I-20 is issued, ISS will send you a confirmation email with the Form I-20 attached and all relevant information on the next steps. The Department of Homeland Security allows the issuance of electronic I-20s.

## **Obtain your F-1 Visa**

- Obtain the Form I-20: This form is issued by the educational institution. You will receive this form by email from Mercy University once you have satisfied all requirements for eligibility.
- Pay MANDATORY \$350 SEVIS fee: You must pay the SEVIS Fee prior to the visa interview at the U.S. Embassy in your country. In order to do so, you must have your I-20 Form to complete Form I-901 (online) and obtain the receipt or Form I-797. Please note that this process requires the use of a credit card.
- Complete the Online Nonimmigrant Visa Application (DS-160). This requires you to upload one (1) passport picture. Please make sure to carefully review the instructions prior starting the process.
- Prepare documents for visa interview:?You must have a valid passport, letter of admission from the school, evidence of financial ability to meet expenses (original documents, no older than 3 months), and evidence of intent to depart the United States after completion of studies. ?During your interview, you will need to speak about (1) Who you are, (2) What your intent is in the U.S.,(3) your plans to return home after completion of study, and (4) how you will cover the costs of studying and living in the U.S. You will be charged with a Machine Readable Visa fee and you will complete an ink-free finger print process during your F1 visa interview.

### Please note that the Music Production and Recording, Nursing, Pre-Occupational Therapy Assistant and Veterinary Technology programs require supplemental documents

Accommodation

### Westchester Campus

- State-of-the-art Fitness Center
- Victory Cafe open late night
- Victory Gym 5,000 square feet
- 5 outdoor tennis courts
- Soccer field
- Baseball field
- Three on-campus cafes

### Founders Hall

- Single: 11 800 USD per year
- Standard Double: 10 850 USD per year
- Deluxe Double (half bathroom in room): 11 100 USD per year
- Triple: 10 200 USD per year
- Quad: 9,800 USD per year

### Hudson Hall

All Rooms (Suite Style) 11,200 USD per year

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Speciality

Pathway International Year One is available Additional information

# **Degree Overview**

The program is is housed in a dedicated multi-studio complex on our Dobbs Ferry campus.

Students are able to specialize in topics including: music recording and production; music mixing & mastering; sound for gaming and animation; remote recording and more.

Students will learn from a faculty of industry professionals bringing "real world" experience to the classroom. Through a "hands-on" curriculum and project based learning, students develop practical skills while acquiring the critical theoretical knowledge needed to adapt to future technologies.

## **Study Reasons**

- Active, hands-on and project-based learning to prepare you to get started in the industry right away.
- Technical skills to work with current technology and adapt to new technology
- Learn how to create and present professional quality music and audio recordings.