

Impact Statement: We are Creative Forces at Work, driving the information, innovation, and creative economies of South Florida and beyond.

# Herbert and Nicole Wertheim School of Music and Performing Arts

# SPRING 2023

#### MISSION

To prepare its students for diverse careers as educators, performers, composers, and scholars in the pursuit of interdisciplinary global knowledge, the cultivation of imagination, and artistic expression.

### DEMOGRAPHICS

# Students

209 Students 156 Undergraduate 53 Graduate

4% Asian\* 8% Black or African-American\* 66% Hispanic\* 7% Nonresident Alien\* 2% Two or More Races\* 13% White\*

### Faculty

#### 70 Faculty

- 29 Full-Time
- 34 Adjunct
- 5 Administrative
- 2 Temporary
- 1% American Indian or Alaska Native\* 1% Black/African-American\*
- 36% Hispanic/Latino\* 2% Not Reported\*
- 60% White\*

\*self-reported

# DEGREE PROGRAMS

### **Undergraduate Level**

- Bachelor of Music (BM) -Instrumental Performance -Jazz Performance -Piano Performance -Organ Performance -Music Business -Music Composition -Music Education -Music Technology -Musical Theatre -Vocal Performance Minor in -Music Composition -Sacred Music
  - -Music Business
  - -Music Technology

#### Graduate Level

Master of Music (MM) in -Conducting (Choral, Orchestral, or Instrumental) -Instrumental Performance -Jazz Performance -Piano Performance -Organ Performance -Piano Accompanying -Music Composition -Music Management and Production -Music Technology -Musical Theatre -Vocal Performance Master of Science (MS) in -Music Education (with or without Certification Track)

### VISION

To emphasize comprehensive musicianship, critical thinking, entrepreneurship, and integrated technology, our distinguished artist-faculty provides an outstanding professional musical education in one of the world's most vibrant cities.

# RANKINGS

- #2 Best Value Schools. Online MS Music Education (2021)
- #4 College Factual. Music Colleges in Florida (2021)
- #13 Best Value Schools. MM Programs (2021)

**#20** Intelligent.com. Music Colleges in Florida MM in Music Ed., Certification Track (2021)

TOP10% Best Colleges + Universities. Most Popular to Study Music (2021)

### HIGHLIGHTS

Conservatory style training within a liberal arts setting

Graduate Assistantships

Numerous performing ensemble opportunities

Miami is a natural music hub for jazz, classical, opera, contemporary, and Latin music

World-class music organization affiliations (Santa Fe Opera, Universidad Da Vinci, Seraphic Fire, Florida Grand Opera)

State of the art music recording studio

## SCHOLARSHIP & CREATIVE ACTIVITY

Award-winning faculty: Grammy award-winning & Latin Grammy nominated faculty Grant research awards to date in excess collectively over \$1 M Internationally recognized performance faculty

## COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

FIU MUSIC FESTIVAL Annual music festival serving the music students and Miami community presenting national and internationally recognized quest artists.

ROYAL@FIU WORLD STAGE COLLABORATIVE

A partnership between FIU and Royal Caribbean Cruise Lines (RCCL) which provides students with internships and behind-thescenes access to Royal Caribbean's experts and facilities. The students learn from experienced professionals and benefit from hands-on masterclasses in performance and design, featuring top creative talent from RCCL.

NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL PARTNERSHIPS SANTA FE OPERA - Artists available as guest artists to perform with and rehearse with FIU music students and Arts Administration  $\vartheta$ instrumental performance internship opportunities. SERAPHIC FIRE - Arts Administration & Music Business internship opportunities, FIU Concert Choir performance opportunities. UNIVERSIDAD DA VINCI - Masterclasses and workshops and performance opportunities.