



## Graduate Assistantships in Orchestra

The University of South Carolina School of Music has an enrollment of 500 music majors, with instruction offered by more than 50 faculty. More than 100 full- and part-time graduate assistants serve in a number of capacities school-wide. The School of Music is housed in a state-of-the-art music facility adjoining the Koger Center for the Arts. The university is located in the capital city, Columbia, a culturally vibrant metropolis that boasts a professional orchestra, ballet companies, theater companies and museums.

Orchestra Graduate Assistants are assistant conductors of the USC Symphony Orchestra and also serve the orchestra in various administrative capacities including personnel management, event production, publicity, subscription sales and part preparation/distribution. Positions, open to DMA and MM students, require an average of 16 hours per week and include a stipend of up to \$8,100 and a tuition supplement of \$10,550 (which covers approximately 9 credits per semester). For those who choose to enroll in the University-sponsored plan, health insurance premiums will be subsidized. Assistantships in other areas may be available to qualified applicants.

### To Apply

Applicants must have been admitted into a degree program before full consideration of the assistantship can be given. A pre-screen audition is required by December 1. Finalists will be invited to campus for a live audition in the Spring semester.

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School of Music

### Graduate Programs

#### Master of Music

Composition  
Conducting  
Jazz Studies  
Music History  
Music Theory  
Opera Theatre  
Performance  
Piano Pedagogy  
Violin Pedagogy

#### Master of Music Education

#### Master of Arts in Teaching/Music Education

#### Doctor of Musical Arts

Conducting  
Composition  
Performance  
Piano Pedagogy

#### Doctor of Philosophy in Music Education

#### Certificate – Music Performance

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