



Visual and Performing Arts

Why study visual and performing arts at Mount Union?

A diverse and innovative curriculum.
One-on-one personal attention.
Hands-on learning and research opportunities.
Venues to showcase your talents.

Because Mount Union is where *exceptional* begins.

“We got to write some pretty awesome music in my orchestration class. It was a totally new experience going into the music lab and trying out some incredible software and technology.”

Sean Eppler '14
Music education major

Proven Success

Employers of Our Visual and Performing Arts Alumni

Buffalo State College, Hamilton College, Hip to Hip Theatre Company, Madison Repertory Theatre, Ohio Light Opera, Steppenwolf Theatre, The Goodman Theatre, United Local Schools, University of Cincinnati, Walt Disney Corporation

Graduate Schools of Our Visual and Performing Arts Alumni

Cleveland Institute of Music, Eastern Michigan University, Florida State University, Indiana University, Kent State University, Longy School of Music, University of Akron, University of Arkansas, University of Wisconsin

For More Information

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Visit us online at mountunion.edu or stay connected with #MountUnion through social media.



Art

Program | major, minor

Careers | graphic design, advertising, teaching, gallery and museum exhibit design

Do you dream of making creative contributions to the world? If so, majoring in art at Mount Union is the right choice for you. In fact, many of our students have benefited by coupling an art major with another area of interest. Some of these include engineering, biology and marketing. Whether you want to create art of your own, teach art to others or delve into the history of great works of the past, our program will allow you to pursue a number of fascinating art-related careers. In and out of the classroom, you will be provided with knowledge of fine arts, theory and history, as well as countless opportunities to broaden your artistic abilities.

Visit | mountunion.edu/art

Music

Program | major, minor

Careers | arts administration and management, composition, music publishing, music librarianship

No matter what genre of music interests you, Mount Union's Bachelor of Arts with a major in music is flexible enough to tailor your education to meet your specific needs and interests and partners well with other majors. Smaller class sizes allow professors to give you the undivided attention you deserve. Whether in the classroom or on stage, Mount Union's music program will provide you with the history, theory, musicianship and practical skills necessary to achieve career success.

Visit | mountunion.edu/music

Music Education

Program | major

Careers | teaching, ethnomusicology, music technology, educational administration

With a major in Music Education, you will be prepared to teach music in the general music, instrumental and vocal or choral classrooms. You will be provided many opportunities to perfect the craft of teaching music, including on-site

practice at nearby schools. Mount Union music educators are recognized for their exceptional skills in planning effectively, creating welcoming classroom environments, and teaching with a deep passion for making music with the next generation of musicians.

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Music Performance

Program | major

Careers | opera, musical theatre, orchestra, jazz performance, conducting, higher education teaching, private studio teaching

At Mount Union, you will become a polished and engaging musician through abundant performance opportunities in a wide variety of musical organizations. Share your talents and sharpen your skills by performing on Student Showcases, in solo recitals, or with one of our many major music ensembles. The opportunities to develop your performance ability to the highest level are truly endless at Mount Union, and you will be fully prepared for professional performance and graduate study.

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Theatre

Program | major, minor

Careers | acting, directing, costume design, theatre management, scenic design, lighting design

With a diverse curriculum and well-rounded theatre production program, a major in theatre provides you with a foundation in all aspects of the field and partners well with other majors. At Mount Union, we know that you can't fully learn the art of theatre without getting involved in live shows. Active participation in a variety of theatrical productions supplements your classroom study, providing you with real hands-on experience. Acting, musical theatre performance, lighting, sound, scene and costume design, stage and box office management – these are only a few of the foundational experiences that will prepare you for career success.

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A program also exists in interactive media. Please see related fact sheet.

Non-Discrimination Statement

The University of Mount Union prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, gender, gender identity or expression, sex, sexual orientation, religion, age, color, creed, national or ethnic origin, veteran status, marital or parental status, pregnancy, disability, or genetic information in student admissions, financial aid, educational or athletic programs, or employment as now or may hereafter be required by university policy and federal or state law. Inquiries regarding compliance may be directed to Pam Newbold, director of human resources and employee development, Beeghly Hall, (330) 829-6560, newbolph@moundunion.edu.

Consumer Information Disclosures

As a prospective student, federal regulations stipulate that you have the opportunity to access various types of consumer information.

If you wish to obtain a copy of the Campus Crime Report, please contact the Office of Admission. This report is published annually and includes information about campus security policies, procedures, and practices; and statistics for the occurrence, during the prior three calendar years,

of criminal offenses that were reported to local police agencies or to a campus security authority.

If you wish to obtain a copy of the Equity in Athletics Disclosure Act Report, please contact the Office of Admission. This report, which contains athletic program participation rates and financial support data, is compiled annually and available to the public.

Higher Education Report Card

The Higher Education Report Card is a federal requirement of Title II for all colleges and universities offering teacher preparation. The University of Mount Union is proud to announce that in the 16th year of reporting, the 2014-2015 academic class of new teachers met the statewide pass rate in the summary total of Ohio Assessment for Educator tests in which the University prepares teachers. This information will continue to serve as a benchmark as the University continues to build upon its rich tradition of preparing new educators.

Accreditations and Affiliations

The University of Mount Union is accredited by the following organizations: the Higher Learning Commission (www.hlcommission.org) as a Degree-Granting Institution; Department of Education of the State of Ohio; University Senate of the United Methodist Church; Ohio Board of Nursing; National Collegiate Athletic Association; Ohio College Association; Ohio Board of Regents (Certificate of Authorization); Ohio Athletic Association; Association of Independent Colleges and Universities of Ohio; National Association of Schools of Music; Accreditation Review Commission on Education for the Physician Assistant, Inc. (ARC-PA); and National Association of Sport and Physical Education-North American Society for Sport Management (NASPE-NASSM). The athletic training program is approved by the Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education (CAATE); Mount Union's teacher education program is approved by the Ohio Department of Education and accredited by the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE); and Mount Union's Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry is approved by the American Chemical Society (ACS).