

University of Southampton

Music at Southampton

Music at the University of Southampton is internationally recognised as a centre of research excellence. We have more than 30 full-time equivalent staff with interests ranging from medieval music through composition and performance to arts management, cultural policy and ethnomusicology.

Type of Programmes

BA (Hons) Music
BA (Hons) Music and Management Sciences
BA (Hons) English & Music
BA (Hons) French & Music
BA (Hons) German & Music
BA (Hons) Spanish & Music
BSc (Hons) Acoustics and Music
BSc (Hons) Mathematics with Music
MMus, MRes
PhD

Description of Individual Modules

Undergraduate:

Undergraduate ethnomusicology courses are optional at the University of Southampton, and may be combined with courses in performance, composition, music history, analysis, music technology, music therapy, arts administration and music business studies, focussing on classical and/or jazz and popular music.

First year courses include:

Introduction to Ethnomusicology

Second and third year option courses (around 40-50 students each) include:

Music & Ethnography

Global Hip Hop

Third year students may opt to conduct a dissertation in an ethnomusicological area and/or use fieldwork techniques.

Postgraduate:

Masters and PhD students can choose to write a thesis on an ethnomusicological topic and/or employ ethnographic methods.

Staff

Dr Hettie Malcomson specialises in Latin American music, specifically Mexican and Cuban popular music. She has also conducted some work on British new music composers. Before moving to Southampton, Hettie taught ethnomusicology, sociology and Latin American Studies at the universities of Cambridge, Manchester and Royal Holloway, University of London. Her current research interests include music, dance, and ageing; genre and transnational flows; racialization, class and gender processes; and knowledge production and expertise.

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Financial Support

The University of Southampton offers various bursaries and scholarships for undergraduate and graduate students.

Undergraduate bursaries and scholarships:

http://www.southampton.ac.uk/music/undergraduate/fees_and_funding.page?

Postgraduate scholarships:

http://www.southampton.ac.uk/humanities/postgraduate/money_matters.page#scholarships

International student scholarships:

<http://www.southampton.ac.uk/international/scholarships/>

Further Information

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