



SCHOOL OF THERAPEUTIC SCIENCES

MUSIC THERAPY

MASTER OF ARTS

Why study music therapy?

Music therapy and other arts therapies are increasingly popular in healthcare, and the research base for these fields is growing. A Master of Arts in Music Therapy prepares graduates for employment as music therapists in clinics, rehabilitation centers, and psychosocial support centers. Graduates may also pursue careers in research and education.

Career perspectives

Graduates are qualified to work in the core music therapy practice areas of medicine (especially pain management and palliative care), psychiatry, psychosomatics, psychotherapy, neurology, and with children and adolescents.

Key points

- Full-time program
- Course language: 100% English
- Subject-focused 5-week courses
- Active teaching and learning methods
- Applied degree with an in-house psychophysiological laboratory and research projects
- Self-development supported by self-experience and therapy supervision

Program overview

- Core subjects: scholarly research, instrumental skills, psychology, neurology and evidence-based music therapy, arts therapies, etc.
- Clinical placement & supervised practical training

Admission requirements

- Undergraduate degree in music, psychology, medicine, special education, music therapy or related fields
- Personal and artistic eligibility (assessment)
- Documented proof of good English skills (TOEFL or similar)

Start, duration of study & credit points

- Every year on October 1
- 24 months (120 ECTS points)

Final qualification

Master of Arts in Music Therapy

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Tuition Fees

- 690 EUR per month
- one-time registration fee of 750 EUR or 1,000 EUR for applicants from countries with visa obligations. For payment regulations see more details on our website