

Columbia, MO



# School of Music

## University of Missouri

## Graduate Teaching Assistantship in Music Theory



The MU School of Music offers graduate assistantships to qualified master of music and doctoral students. The **Music Theory** teaching assistantship is a quarter-time appointment (**10hrs per week**) with an anticipated stipend of **\$8,910**. This amount is paid to students over the nine months of the academic year.

In addition, tuition for coursework required for the degree is waived during the appointment period. This waiver covers both Missouri residents and non-residents at all levels. The latest information on tuition and fees may be found at <https://cashiers.missouri.edu>.

Quarter-time assistantships also come with a **50% allowance for health insurance**.

Applicants may qualify for assistantships in other areas as well. Please email the School of Music ([music@missouri.edu](mailto:music@missouri.edu)) for available assistantships.

### Duties may include

Assisting with first-year or second-year music theory classes.

### Eligibility

Applicants should have an interest and strong skills in tonal music theory. Applicants interested in an assistantship in music theory **must arrange for an interview**, preferably while on campus for their primary audition or interview for School of Music admission.

### Contact

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### Start Date

mid-August

### Priority application deadline

December 1

Learn about the application process at [music.missouri.edu/graduate-program](https://music.missouri.edu/graduate-program)

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