DEPARTMENT OF FINE AND PERFORMING ARTS

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Overview

Saint Louis University’s Department of Fine and Performing Arts is made up of five programs: art history, dance, music, studio art and theatre. Each emphasizes a different discipline, but all encourage reflection on the world around us through art. In this way, students discover an excellent opportunity to study humanity, aesthetics and cultural practices through theory and practice.

Programs

- Art History, B.A.
- Art History, Minor
- Dance, Minor
- Music, B.A.
- Music, Minor
- Performing Arts, Minor (Madrid)
- Studio Art, B.A.
- Studio Art, Minor
- Theatre, B.A.
- Theatre, Minor
- Visual Communication, Minor

Faculty

Art History Full Time Faculty

Bradley Bailey, Ph.D.
Cathleen Fleck, Ph.D.
Olubukola Gbadegesin, Ph.D.
Cynthia Stollhans, Ph.D.

Dance Full Time Faculty

Holly Seitz-Marchant, M.F.A., Dance Coordinator

Dance Adjunct Faculty

Tracy Andreotti, M.M.
Samantha Gaitsch, M.F.A.

Music Full Time Faculty

Robert L. Hughes, Jr., Ph.D.
Aaron E. Johnson, D.M.A.
Stephanie Tennill, M.M.

Music Adjunct Faculty

Joseph Akers, M.M.E.
Christine Banda Banks, M.M.
Lori Barrett-Pagano, M.M.
Patricia Eastman, M.M.
Jon Garrett, M.M.
William Hopkins II, M.M.
Nate Jackson, D.M.A.
Julie Kelsheimer, M.M.
David Kowalczyk, M.M.
Travis Lewis, D.M.A.
Sue Martin, M.M.
James Nacy, M.M.
Jennifer Nitchman, M.M.
Patrick Rafferty, M.M.
Theodore Rubright, M.M.
Nathan Ruggles, M.M.
Kirsten Santos Rutchman, Ph.D.
Christopher Sakowski, M.A.
Wen Shen, M.M.
Mary Gay Spears, D.M.A.
Ruth Stith, M.M.
Dawn Striker-Roberts, M.M.
Sue Stubbs, M.M.
Tom Stubbs, B.S.
J. Austin Turner, Ph.D.
Eric Warren, M.M.
Crystal Weaver, CRC, MT-BC

Studio Art Full Time Faculty

Amy Bautz, M.F.A.
Ilene Berman, M.F.A.
Martin Brief, M.F.A
Jim Burwinkel, M. Arch
Deborah Douglas, M.F.A.
Nila Petty, M.F.A.

Studio Art Adjunct Faculty

Sarah Schempf Bernhardt, M.F.A.
Terri Shay, M.F.A.

Theatre Full Time Faculty

Gary W. Barker, M.F.A. (AEA, SAG-AFTRA)
Nancy Bell, M.F.A. (AEA, SAG-AFTRA)
Lou Bird, M.F.A.
Jim Burwinkel, M. Arch
Lucy Cashion, M.F.A.
David LaRose, M.F.A.
Thomas Martin, M.F.A. (AEA)

Theatre Adjunct Faculty

L. Patton Chiles, M.F.A. (AEA)

FPA Emeritus Faculty

Terrence Dempsey, S.J., Ph.D. Emeritus
Sharron Pollack, M.F.A. Emeritus
Ted Wood, M.F.A. Emeritus