Online Application

☐ **Online application**
Submit your completed [online master's application](http://valencia.berklee.edu/admissions-valencia) and supporting materials accompanied with a $150 non-refundable application fee. If you want to be considered for a scholarship, complete the **Master's Scholarship Application** from within the online application portal and submit before the deadline.

☐ **Application fee of $150 (non-refundable)**
After you submit the application, you will find the “Pay” button in the “Master’s Application” section in the online portal (you can only pay by credit or debit card). If you are Berklee alumni do not pay the application fee. This will be waived for you.

**Required Supporting Materials**
Please consolidate all supporting materials in one email (in PDF format when possible), with the subject line “**Last Name, First Name: Supporting Materials**” and send to: admissionsvalencia@berklee.edu.

☐ **Statement of purpose**
This is your chance to tell us all about you, your musical journey, and why you would like to pursue a master’s degree program at Berklee College of Music (must be in English between 400-500 words).

☐ **Résumé/curriculum vitae**
Include your personal details, educational, and work experience in English. For tips on how to write your résumé, click [here](http://valencia.berklee.edu/admissions-valencia).

☐ **One letter of recommendation**
Recommendation should come from someone you have worked or collaborated with who can convey your musical strengths and skills. Letter must be written in or translated to English.

☐ **Transcripts**
Only submit your transcripts from your bachelor’s degree. Please do not submit transcripts for additional degrees or high school.

If you are in the final year of your bachelor’s degree you may send us unofficial transcripts. Applicants need to successfully complete their degree in order to start the master’s program and will be asked to submit a copy of their bachelor’s diploma before the start of the program.

**Transcripts for applicants who attended university in the U.S. or Canada:**
Please submit a copy of your official undergraduate transcripts and a scanned copy of your corresponding bachelor’s diploma via email at admissionsvalencia@berklee.edu.

If email is not possible, you may mail them to the following address:
Berklee College of Music, Valencia Campus
Office of Graduate Admissions
Palau de les Arts Reina Sofia - Anexo Sur
Avenida Profesor Lopez Piñero,1
46013 Valencia, Spain

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Transcripts for applicants who attended university outside the U.S. or Canada:
Transcripts from institutions outside the U.S. or Canada must be evaluated by an approved third-party credential evaluation service, such as the Education Evaluators International or Education Credential Evaluators. Please ask for a course-by-course evaluation and ask to send grades to the postal address above.

Send a scanned copy of your undergraduate diploma via email.

☐ English exam
Applicants for whom English is a second language must submit the results of one of the following standardized tests. If you completed your undergraduate studies at an English-speaking university this requirement may be waived. Click to see PDF on specific English requirements.

- TOEFL: iBT (internet-based): 100; computer-based: 250; paper-based: 600
- IELTS: 7.5
- Cambridge English Language Exams: Certificate in Advanced English (CAE) or Business English Certificate (BEC) or higher
- Pearson Test of English Academic: 73

Program Specific Supporting Materials
Scoring for Film, Television, and Video Games
Please submit three audio and/or video files (MP3 or Quick Time) of original compositions and corresponding scores (cues) that you have written expressly for picture or created with a visual idea in mind. The average length should not exceed one and a half to two minutes. If you have not had the opportunity to score a film or video project, the following option is acceptable:

Extract clips from existing film and television projects via a number of available applications and import them to your music sequencing program for the purpose of your application portfolio only. Please remember copyright-protected works may not be publicly exhibited, but for the purpose of evaluating your application it is acceptable.

Contemporary Performance
Please submit a link to a website where we can see the breadth and depth of your performance/ensemble skills. Examples may include youtube, myspace, or personal website portfolio, etc.

Global Entertainment and Music Business
The GRE or GMAT exams are not required for admission but are highly recommended. If you choose to submit official GRE or GMAT exam results, please do so prior to the published application deadline. PDF copies are accepted as part of the application process, although official copies will be required prior to enrollment.

Music Technology Innovation
Please submit a proposal between 500-1000 words outlining a major project that you would like to complete for your culminating experience (thesis). This could be an original piece of music incorporating innovative technology, a hyper-instrument you would like to invent, an App you would like to design, or some other project. This description should be as specific as possible, with the recognition that your project will evolve as the academic year progresses. Also describe how you think the project will foster your academic, artistic, musical, and professional growth. Additionally, a portfolio with one to three recorded examples of recent work should be submitted in the highest quality audio possible, along with a detailed explanation of your specific role in the work. If written scores or other documentation are available, please submit these as well.

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