Welcome to the Department of Performing Arts at Drexel!

Drexel University respectfully acknowledges the Lenape People, and their Elders past and present, who are the traditional caretakers of the land on which Drexel’s campuses are located in Philadelphia.
Fast Facts

The Dept of Performing Arts includes Music, Theatre, and Dance

Open to all students in the University regardless of major or college

Scholarships open to all students by audition, regardless of major

Accommodate both the curious beginner and the experienced performer

Can continue to participate on co-op
Fast Facts

1 major, 8 minors

3600 students come through the department every year

350 are on Performing Arts scholarships

Community Based Learning opportunities are available
MUSIC

Four minors:
• General Music
• Jazz and African American Music
• Theory and Composition
• Music Performance
Instrumental Music Ensembles

- Drexel University Symphony Orchestra
- Concert Band
- Jazz Orchestra
- Fusion Band
- Mediterranean Ensemble
- Rock Ensemble
- Chamber Strings
- Chamber Brass & Winds
- Percussion Ensemble
- Pep Band
Choral Ensembles

- University Chorus
- All-College Choir
- Chamber Singers
THEATRE

• Minor in Theatre
• Co-Op Theatre Co.
• New Works Festival
• Director’s Lab
• Late Night Series
Theatre Production

• Classes and scholarships available
• Stage crew opportunities
• Stage management opportunities
• Mentorship by professional designers
DANCE

• Major tracks to four career options:
  • Physical Therapy
  • Dance/Movement Therapy
  • Education
  • Custom Design Track

• Two Minors: Dance, Somatics
Dance Companies

• Dance Ensemble
  (Sophomore and above)

• FreshDance
  (First Year Students only)

• Youth Performance Exchange Touring Ensemble
Dance Ensemble
Drexel Pilates

• 450 hour instructor training program

• Fully equipped commercial studio
Community Based Learning

• Wheelchair Dance with HMS School for Children with Cerebral Palsy
• Dance at the Dornsife Center
• Youth Performance Exchange Touring Ensemble
• Youth Performance Exchange Residency Program
Our Facilities
Mandell Theater
URBN Annex Black Box Theater
Main Building
The Great Court
Main Auditorium
418 Main Dance Studio
Main Office
MacAlister Hall
Suite 2018
Questions?

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