



WELCOME TO SAE INSTITUTE!

Student Guide

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MAKE YOUR PASSION YOUR PROFESSION

At SAE Institute, we are passionate about helping aspiring professionals prepare for an exciting career in the entertainment and creative media industries.

On each of our 5 campuses across the US you will find programs specifically designed to immerse you in practice-based, real-world projects from day one, and get the skills and knowledge you need to start a career doing what you love.



WHY SAE INSTITUTE?

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ACCREDITED CAMPUSES*

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HANDS-ON, STUDENT-CENTERED CURRICULUM

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FACULTY WITH INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE

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INDUSTRY-STANDARD STUDIOS AND EQUIPMENT

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DEDICATED CAREER SERVICES TEAM

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GLOBAL FOOTPRINT

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DIPLOMA, ASSOCIATE AND BACHELOR DEGREES**

*SAE Institute of Technology Nashville is accredited by the Accrediting Commission of Career Schools and Colleges (ACCSC). SAE Institute Atlanta, SAE Institute Chicago, SAE Institute of Technology Miami and SAE Institute of Technology New York are accredited by the Accrediting Commission of Career Schools and Colleges (ACCSC) and are branch campuses of SAE Institute of Technology Nashville.

**Degrees vary by program and campus. Not all of our schools offer Associate and Bachelor degrees.

OUR PROGRAMS

Entertainment industry professionals know that it takes more than passion to start your career. This is why we offer student-centered Bachelor Degrees, Associate Degrees, and Diploma programs* in key areas of Creative Media, so you can develop your talent and stand out from the crowd.



AUDIO

Get the skills and knowledge you need to get your foot in the door in today's audio industry. Our hands-on programs are led by experienced professionals using professional-quality equipment like AMS Neve, Solid State Logic, and Audient, and industry-standard software including Pro Tools, Logic Pro, and Ableton Live.



DIGITAL FILM

Our film program will equip you with the expertise you need to shape visual media design and creation. You will learn how to master skills ranging from script development to post production and mobile media, and be qualified for employment in film production, TV and Mobile Media, among others.



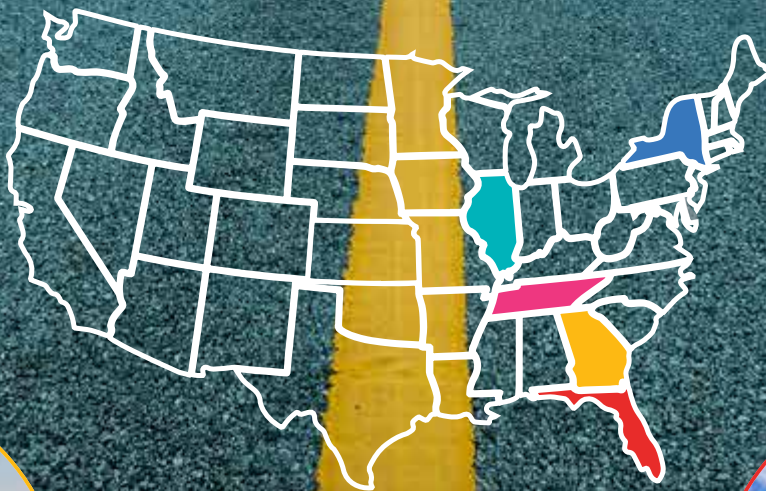
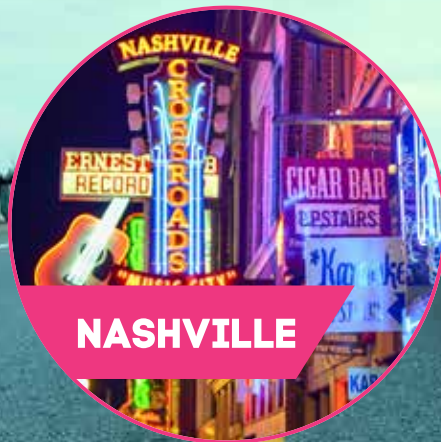
ENTERTAINMENT BUSINESS

Learn the business fundamentals you need to be on the front lines of the music, film and entertainment industries. Our programs will help you build a foundation in skills like management, marketing, entrepreneurship, distribution, and artist development, so you can successfully work in fields like artist management, e-music, event management and publishing.

*Programs offered per campus - Atlanta: Associate of Applied Science, Diploma in Audio, Associate of Applied Science in Entertainment Business, Diploma in Entertainment Business, Associate of Applied Science in Digital Film. Chicago: Associate of Applied Science in Audio, Diploma in Audio, Associate of Applied Science in Entertainment Business, Diploma in Entertainment Business. Miami: Diploma in Audio Technology. Nashville: Bachelor of Applied Science, Associate of Applied Science in Audio, Diploma in Audio, Associate of Applied Science in Entertainment Business. New York: Diploma in Audio Technology

OUR CAMPUSES

SAE Institute operates nearly 50 campuses in more than 20 countries giving you a world of choice. Our U.S. campuses are located in major destinations for creative media opportunities.



MEET OUR ALUMNI

ANTHONY BLACKMAN
SAE INSTITUTE '19
AUDIO

“My experience at SAE Institute was one of the most amazing things I’ve ever experienced. It taught me another skill set. It also introduced me to some amazing instructors, teachers, administrators, and professionals staff and students.”



JUAN PENA
SAE INSTITUTE '07
AUDIO

“SAE Institute has prepared me for my career because of the industry-experienced instructors who have taught me what I was going to experience in the field. I was properly educated, there wasn’t a single obstacle I couldn’t overcome thanks to SAE Institute.”



MEET OUR ALUMNI

NINA BEARD
SAE INSTITUTE '17
ENTERTAINMENT BUSINESS

“SAE Institute has opened so many doors for me. I’m so proud that I trusted my gut to enroll. The instructors are amazing and the campus was an inspiration in itself. I knew right away, SAE Institute was where I wanted to be.”



CALLIE PRINCE
SAE INSTITUTE '20
ENTERTAINMENT BUSINESS

“SAE Institute Nashville was one of the best experiences I have ever had. I made life-long friends and made really good connections within the music industry. The professors I had taught me so much more than I could imagine. Not only did I get helpful tips for being in the music industry, I got so many life lessons that I will take with me...I will forever be thankful for the people and opportunities that SAE brought into my life!”



WHERE SAE INSTITUTE GRADUATES WORK

People find jobs more easily when they have a network to pull from. SAE Institute's Career Service staff expand graduates' network by utilizing our relationships to help them find opportunities after graduation and into their future—support along their career journey.

Here are a few of the organizations our grads have worked for—Sony Interactive Entertainment, Google, NBC Universal, House of Blues, AVID, LucasFilm, RedBull Music Studios, Walt Disney World, and more.

After graduation, SAE Institute Alumni are also qualified for a number of entry-level jobs:

Audio and Audio Technology:

- Sound Engineer
- Live Sound Technician
- A/V Technician
- Assistant Audio Engineer
- Media Manager
- Acoustic Consultant
- Sound Technician
- Film Sound Engineer
- Producer
- Sound Cutter

Entertainment Business:

- Digital Marketing Strategist
- Music Director
- Artist Liaison
- Music Supervisor
- Assistant Studio Manager
- Booking Agent
- Production Assistant
- Promotions Manager
- Tour Manager
- Event Planner

Digital Film:

- Production Assistant
 - Assistant Director
 - Production Designer
 - Camera Operator
 - Casting Director
 - Producer
 - Script Supervisor
 - Grip
 - Location Manager
 - Videographer
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HOW TO ENROLL

Enrolling for programs at SAE Institute is a straightforward process involving only a few simple steps. An admissions representative will provide you with more information about your chosen program and campus, and guide you through the process. We have multiple start dates throughout the year to suit your schedule and get you from the classroom to a real-world job faster.

ENROLLMENT PROCESS

1 CHECK THE ADMISSIONS CRITERIA ONLINE AT USA.SAE.EDU.

2 SPEAK WITH YOUR ADMISSIONS REPRESENTATIVE TO ASK QUESTIONS ABOUT OUR PROGRAMS AND HELP YOU NAVIGATE THE ENROLLMENT PROCESS.

3 COMPLETE ALL ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS.

4 SIGN AN ENROLLMENT AGREEMENT.

Please Note: Enrollment procedures may vary.

Check the admissions criteria online at usa.sae.edu



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