



The audio industry is one of the most exciting yet challenging sectors of the creative media business and offers a wide range of employment opportunities for talented, passionate people like you.

The right education can be a necessary step to successfully enter this demanding industry. SAE Institute's Associate of Applied Science in Audio Program is an intensive practical and theoretical course of study that provides students with a solid foundation in the key aspects of audio production and the skills necessary to become successful in today's commercial sound recording industry.

#### **ABOUT THE PROGRAM — 16 MONTH**

Students attending this program learn both the technical and creative components of audio design and the business principles of the entertainment industry. This is a hands-on, project-based program, culminating in a major capstone project that draws upon the range of knowledge and skills learned throughout the program.

Associate of Applied Science students will be required to complete General Education classes including English Composition, World History, Introduction to Mathematical Modeling, Conceptual Physics, and Speech Communications.

This degree program consists of 16 courses taken in 16 months.

#### WHAT YOU'RE TAUGHT

Students in the Associate of Applied Science in Audio Program will take a variety of courses during their time at SAE Institute. The courses are:



Principles of Sound



Studio Production

Electronic Music Production



Studio Maintenance and Audio/Visual Technology



Live Sound and Lighting



Game Audio



Intro to Entertainment Business

## WHERE DO SAE INSTITUTE GRADUATES WORK?

After completing the Associate of Applied Science in Audio Program, graduates will be able to find entry-level opportunities for careers such as:

- Dialogue Editor
- A/V Installer
- Film Sound Designer
- Acoustic Consultant

- Sound Editor
- Broadcast & Sound Engineering Technician
- ADR Recordist
- Boom Operator

Our audio alumni gain entry-level employment at a number of organizations in the audio industry. In the past several years, SAE Institute graduates have been employed by Red Bull Music Studios, NBC Universal and more.

### SUPPORT ALONG YOUR CAREER JOURNEY

The path to finding a career in creative media can be a challenging one. Our career services team is dedicated to helping you find career opportunities in the industry. We have the resources to help guide and support you on your career journey.



Starting in Australia, SAE Institute has been delivering focused, hands-on education, employing qualified instructors with real-world experience, and working closely with industry partners since 1976. Our courses emphasize practical experience and are designed to provide students with a foundation of practical theory and valuable training in their chosen areas of concentration. We operate under a strong vision, with a purpose to support our students. Not only are we committed to excellence in education, we're also passionate about helping aspiring professionals reach their potential, which is why we continue to be one of the global leaders in creative media education today.

#### **PRO-QUALITY TOOLS & RESOURCES**

Students have access to quality tools and software that are used by professionals in the industry. A Technology Package is available for purchase to students, which includes an iPad, headphones, and other materials they need to succeed in class. Because of our partnerships, we're able to offer these materials all in one place, more affordably than if students had to purchase them separately. Additionally, students have access to our recording studios.





\*Tech package is subject to change, talk to your admissions representative about the current package.

# WHY SAE INSTITUTE?



### BRIAN SNÖDDY SAE INSTITUTE NASHVILLE, 2021 AUDIO

"The education I received at SAE Institute has not only been eye opening for me, but crucial in the development of my career. There are many things I could say when it comes to my time here at SAE Institute, but if I'm being honest, it really came down to the instructors. They're real industry professionals that care, and most are doing this for the love of music, not fame or fortune.

SAE Institute gave me the tools for success and the opportunity to make my dreams a reality."



ENTRANCE EXAM

SAE Institute requires all applicants to successfully pass the Entrance Evaluation by scoring a minimum of 14 for Associate Degree Programs on the Wonderlic Scholastic Level Exam (Wonderlic SLE).

PROVIDE GOVERNMENT-ISSUED PHOTO IDENTIFICATION

PROVIDE PROOF OF GRADUATION

SAE Institute requires a standard high school diploma or GED or state equivalency exam in order to enroll in a program. Students applying to SAE Institute must provide documentation as Proof of Graduation (POG) prior to acceptance.

BE A U.S. CITIZEN OR ELIGIBLE NON-CITIZEN; OR PROVIDE PROOF OF APPROPRIATE STUDENT VISA

BE AT LEAST 17 YEARS OLD

6 DEMONSTRATE ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY

To learn more, please contact our dedicated team.

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