## **Auburn University Job Description**

 Job Title:
 Staff Musician
 Level I
 Grade 32 \$35,000 - \$58,400

 Level II
 Grade 33 \$39,300 - \$65,500

Job Code: AA19
FLSA status: Exempt

## **Job Summary**

Provides musical direction for all Auburn University Theatre productions and musical support to faculty, staff, and students in conjunction with rehearsals, performances, and auditions.

#### **Essential Functions**

- 1. Directs all musical aspects of Auburn University Theatre productions to include (but not limited to) coaching, accompanying, rehearsing, and conducting vocalists and musicians.
- 2. Provides musical background by playing music from memory or by following scores during performances and rehearsals.
- 3. Assists faculty and staff with administrative duties relating to the artistic and programmatic areas of the department.
- 4. May assist in the recruitment of new students through participation in high school performing arts events, workshops, and camps.
- 5. Assists faculty members by accompanying, rehearsing, and conducting student musicians, vocalists, and performers.

## **Supervisory Responsibility**

May be responsible for training, assisting or assigning tasks to others. May provide input to performance reviews of other employees.

The above essential functions are representative of major duties of positions in this job classification. Specific duties and responsibilities may vary based upon departmental needs. Other duties may be assigned similar to the above consistent with the knowledge, skills and abilities required for the job. Not all of the duties may be assigned to a position.

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## Job Family Levels Level Responsibility

Level	Responsibility	Knowledge	Education and Experience*
1	Under general supervision, performs varied duties and assignments involving some judgment. Resolves routine questions or problems, referring only complex issues to higher level. Some evaluation, originality and ingenuity required.	Knows and applies fundamental concepts, practices and procedures of particular field of specialization.	Bachelor's degree in discipline appropriate to position plus 2 years experience.
II	Under minimal supervision, performs complex assignments and fulfills broad responsibilities where required outcomes are defined, but methods and procedures may vary based on professional judgment or precedent. Considerable latitude for unreviewed action. Confers with supervisor on unusual matters. Coordinates the work of others on projects and may assign work to and assist less experienced professionals or support staff. May act in an advisory capacity to managers or faculty.	Knows and applies advanced concepts, practices, and procedures of particular field of specialization, with awareness of related fields.	Bachelor's degree in discipline appropriate to position plus 4 years experience. Experience must include at least 2 years at the preceding level or equivalent.

<sup>\*</sup> See the "Minimum Required Education and Experience" section of the job description for any substitutions that may be allowed for education and experience.

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### Minimum Required Education and Experience

**Level I** Bachelor's degree in discipline appropriate to position plus 2 years experience.

**Level II** Bachelor's degree in discipline appropriate to position plus 4 years experience. Experience

must include at least 2 years at the preceding level or equivalent.

#### Focus of Education

# Degree in Instrumental Performance, Music Education, Musical Theatre, Music Theory/Composition, or related field

## **Focus of Experience**

Experience in directing and performing in music theatre productions.

#### Substitutions allowed for Education:

When a candidate has the required experience, but lacks the required education, they may normally apply additional relevant experience toward the education requirement, at a rate of two (2) years relevant experience per year of required education.

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## **Certification or Licensure Requirements:**

None Required.

## Physical Requirements/ADA

Occasional and/or light lifting required. Limited exposure to elements such as heat, cold, noise, dust, dirt, chemicals, etc., but none to the point of being disagreeable. May involve minor safety hazards where likely result would be cuts, bruises, etc.

Routine deadlines; usually sufficient lead time; variance in work volume seasonal and predictable; priorities can be anticipated; some interruptions are present; involves occasional exposure to demands and pressures from persons other than immediate supervisor.

Job frequently requires standing, sitting, talking, hearing, handling objects with hands.

Job occasionally requires walking, and lifting up to 10 pounds.

Vision requirements: Ability to see information in print and/or electronically.

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