

**APPLICATION DEADLINE**

(ONLINE- registration at <https://online.kug.ac.at>)

**01 February 2024**

Preparatory Course , Bachelor's Programme & IGP, Master's Programme, Postgraduate University Course Advanced Studies

**Applicants for Master's Degree Programmes:** Please contact the professor of the main artistic subject prior to your application (<https://jazz.kug.ac.at/en/about-the-institute/staff/>).

**VIDEO**

**Stage 1: Submission of a video recording by 01 February 2024**

**For all jazz study programs except MA Jazz Composition and Arrangement:**

- The video should be 10-15 minutes in duration. It should contain at least 3 tunes of the jazz repertoire and an additional solo piece (classic or transcription) The tunes can be performed with live band or with playback.
- The video should also contain a short personal video statement on: "Why study Jazz?" and "Why study Jazz in Graz?"
- Curriculum vitae
- For BA Jazz Composition and Arrangement: additionally upload scores (PDF) of 3 own compositions/arrangements

**Technical requirements:**

- Acceptable video data format: **mp4, mov**
- Resolution: **HD** (1280x720), **FHD** (1920x1080)
- Maximum file size: **3,5 GB**
- Maximum length: **20 min**
- Acceptable text format: **pdf**
- FILENAME (**very IMPORTANT for the correct classification of the recording**):  
SURNAME\_FIRSTNAME\_INSTRUMENT.mp4  
(Examples: MUELLER\_MARIA\_VOICE.mp4 or SMITH\_PETER\_DRUMS.pdf etc.)

**Please edit all the single clips into ONE video file.**

The video can be recorded with a smart phone, tablet or any other video device available to the applicant.

**For MA Jazz Composition and Arrangement:**

Instead of a video, please upload the following documents:

- Scores (PDF) of own compositions/arrangements
- Curriculum vitae

**Upload**

Please use the following link exclusively:

<https://sync.luckycloud.de/u/d/4d738774d81043d49509/>

After reviewing the audition videos, prospective candidates will be invited to the live audition in Graz.

**ADMISSION EXAM DATES (IN PRESENCE)**

**The invitation to the live audition and theory test will be sent out by the beginning of March 2024.**

**Stage 2: Live audition und theory test in Graz from 08-12 April 2024**

For the live audition you will be required to prepare 5 Jazz tunes (include professional lead sheets). A live rhythm section will be provided.

If you have any further questions, please contact [jazz@kug.ac.at](mailto:jazz@kug.ac.at).