

## **POSTGRADUATE ARTISTIC TRAINING IN MUSIC PRODUCTION**

During the meeting of 29<sup>th</sup> October 2008 the Council of the Department of Sound Engineering made a resolution to create Postgraduate Artistic Training in Music Production.

**Aim of Postgraduate Artistic Training:** development of artistic skills in music production (perfecting skills, deepening one's sensitivity to the value of the phonographic picture and widening one's aesthetical phonographic awareness) of makers of sound recordings and sound engineers who run professional activity in making sound recordings.

**Mode of Postgraduate Artistic Training:** extramural

**Subject range:** engineering of recordings of classical music of different epochs and genres

**Time of the training:** two semesters

**Candidate requirements and enrolment conditions:** persons who want to apply for the training must have a university degree (at least a B.A. degree), must also have a relevant practice or run activity in making sound recordings. The condition to be accepted for Postgraduate Artistic Training is passing the competitive exam in a form of an interview with a candidate, during which he or she should present at least three their own sound recordings (including at least two classical music recordings). Topic range of the interview:

- basic knowledge about making recordings
- general music knowledge about art, culture and the media
- discussion about the presented recordings

**Programme of the training:** engineering of recordings of different music forms written for various performance ensembles, made during studio sessions, as well as in a formula of documentary recordings, and elements of editing and mastering of recordings: the programme consists of 36 hours (lesson units, 45 minutes each) of individual classes carried out according to the following plan:

1. 20 hours (lesson units, which is 15 full hours) of classes in Music Production with an artistic supervisor, carried out during 5 recording sessions 4 lesson units each (3 full hours);
2. 12 hours (lesson units, i.e. 9 full) of classes in Making Documentary Recordings with a pedagogue appointed by Dean of the Department to run this subject, carried out during 2 sessions 6 lesson units each (4.5 full hours)
3. 4 hours (lesson units, i.e. 3 full hours) of classes in Music Editing with elements of mastering with a pedagogue appointed by Dean of the Department to run this subject.

According to the Rules of Postgraduate Artistic Training at the FCUM the detailed schedule of classes is set by the artistic supervisor of a trainee.

**The planned date of starting the 4<sup>th</sup> edition of the training:** February 2012

**Enrolment limit for the 4<sup>th</sup> edition:** one trainee.

**Cost of Postgraduate Artistic Training:** 4350 PLN

**Examination fee:** 250 PLN

**Please make your payment to the following bank account:**

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**With a note:** Postgraduate Artistic Training in Music Production

**Date of the entrance exam:** 15<sup>th</sup> February 2012, at 4:15 PM, Room 108 at the FCUM

**Deadline for document submission:** until 27<sup>th</sup> January 2012 at the Dean's Office of the Department of Sound Engineering at the FCUM in Warsaw

List of required documents according to the Rules of Postgraduate Studies and Postgraduate Artistic Training at the FCUM:

- a. application form for Postgraduate Artistic Training together with a commitment to incur costs of payments for Postgraduate Artistic Training (Annex 13),
- b. personal questionnaire (Annex 14),
- c. CV with special emphasis on professional activity concerning making sound recordings,
- d. 4 photographs,
- e. original of a diploma of completion of a higher education institution (matura certificate) or a certified copy of the original diploma, and in case of a diploma of completion of a higher education institution, the original diploma or its certified copy is required,
- f. proof of payment of the examination fee,
- g. address, telephone, e-mail for correspondence.

**Further information:**

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