

# OAcademy Music Conservatory Announces Global Auditions

OAcademy reinvents the music conservatory experience by making world-class training accessible for talented musicians globally, and relevant to the challenges and opportunities of our time.

OAcademy Music Conservatory offers global access to a versatile curriculum led by today's top artists, including immersive field opportunities to train with and perform alongside icons like Yo-Yo Ma.

OAcademy provides an innovative global platform for rising musicians - irrespective of location - to receive an Artist Diploma training with the music sector's most prominent artists, professionals, and respected music institutions. With traditional music conservatories limited to a handful of European and North American urban centers, OAcademy achieves unparalleled reach by using new technologies to build inclusive classroom environments, multi-nation mentor networks, and peer-to-peer exchange that improve learning outcomes while lowering costs. For OAcademy fellows, the learning journey combines an immersive online curriculum with curated in-person residencies that are as efficient as they are effective.

OAcademy also differs from traditional music conservatories in its relationship to impact beyond the musical craft. Securing sustainable artist jobs and using them to give back to society, means learning from those who know how. At OAcademy, a dynamic network of mentors, citizen artists, and music sector leaders guide the hands-on journey for fellows. These visionary coaches and change-makers share their wisdom with the next generation to inspire day-to-day success and long-term impact, on-stage and off.



## NOW OPEN:

### Orchestra, Conducting, Piano & Composing Fellowships

OAcademy Music Conservatory opens applications to its four Artist Diploma fellowship programs for rising orchestral musicians, concert pianists, conductors, and composers. **Starting in January 2024**, 120+ fellows across these disciplines will take part in the OAcademy experience.

#### **Orchestra Institute**

Orchestra Institute fellows train for six months with leading with iconic instrumentalists including Yo-Yo Ma, Augustin Hadelich, Evelyn Glennie, with conductors like Marin Alsop, Rafael Payare, and Simone Young, and receive coaching from principals of the world's most renowned orchestras, including the Berlin Philharmonic, Royal Concertgebouw, MET Opera Orchestra, Mahler Chamber Orchestra, and more.

#### Piano, Conducting, & Composing Fellowships

**Gabriela Ortiz**, the first Latin American composer performed by the Berlin Phil, leads OAcademy's Composing Studio, enhanced by a range of today's leading composers from Andrew Norman to Missy Mazzoli.

Latin GRAMMY winner and Chopin competition medalist **Gabriela Montero** guides rising pianists in OAcademy's Piano Lab, which pairs intensive mentorship with inperson residencies for fellows in Switzerland and the United States.

**Carlos Miguel Prieto**, one of today's most respected and admired conductors, joins top podium leaders to mentor emerging music directors in OAcademy's Conducting Fellowship.



#### Hybrid Learning Environment

Unique among music conservatories, OAcademy combines the best of distributed and in-person learning environments. Through its online global classroom, fellows train with the leading artists of today alongside colleagues from all over the world. This reach is complemented by intensive in-person residencies that gather Fellows and Faculty in various international locations. 2024 Orchestra Institute meet and perform in residencies in Mexico and the United States, while Piano Lab fellows gather in Switzerland and the United States with mentor Gabriela Montero. Gabriela Ortiz leads a residency with Composing Fellows in the United States, while Conducting Fellows travel on individual field assignments to work with global orchestras connected to their career goals. Through its combined focus on global resources and local impact, OAcademy Music Conservatory prepares fellows for real world artists leadership opportunities at home and abroad.

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