



About us – Guidelines of the library of the University of Music and Performing Arts

Who we are

The library is a central operating facility of the university and as such an academic information center to support studies, teaching, research and art. As a central place of learning, we ensure the provision of media and other materials and the procurement and communication of information.

What we offer

Our most important concern is to provide optimal access to knowledge and subject-specific information. Our services are primarily aimed at the students and teaching staff of the university as well as its other operating facilities and members. In addition, we are available to the trainee teachers of the State Seminar for Didactics and Teacher Training / Secondary School Department and, as a reference library, to external users.

When using the library and its catalogs and databases, we support information seekers with expert advice and regular on-site training.

We offer reading places and a variety of technical equipment for working with databases and media.

What is important to us

We strive to continuously improve the library's performance. This includes using the resources available to us economically and efficiently. In doing so, we focus on the needs of our customers and are committed to maintaining a comprehensive and up-to-date collection. As qualified and motivated specialist staff, we attach great importance to competence and customer friendliness in our advice and service. It is important to us to work together as a collegial team and to exchange ideas regularly.

In order to meet the ever-changing challenges of our field of work, we strive for continuous further training and participation in specialist conferences as well as professional exchange and cooperation with the music libraries in the Stuttgart region, other music university libraries in German-speaking countries, the Konstanz Library Service Center and the libraries in the network.