Why Students Choose AMDA



Campus Locations

Study the craft in the middle of an entertainment mecca. Our New York City campus sits in the center of Manhattan, and the Los Angeles campus is in Hollywood. *Choose one, or both locations.*



100% OF AMDA STUDENTS RECEIVE SOME FORM OF FINANCIAL AID





Alumni Accolades



AMDA alums have been nominated for or won major awards, including Tonys, Oscars, Emmys, and Grammys.

Top-Ranked!

Niche.com ranks AMDA in the Top 10 performing arts colleges in the country.

Playbill ranks AMDA as the fourth-most represented college on Broadway, with 50 graduates performing in shows during the 2024-2025 season.



Individual Attention

Classes are designed to nurture individual growth and success as an artist.



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Accomplished Faculty

Our faculty are accomplished working actors, singers, dancers, musicians, choreographers, writers, directors, producers, content creators, and scholars.

Top Companies Hiring AMDA Alumni



PERFORMANCES

Each year, AMDA mounts more than 170 productions and performances for audiences in NY & LA. Students are eligible to audition and participate from the beginning of their first semester (a rarity in the collegiate performing arts world).

International Community



AMDA College of the Performing Arts

NEW YORK CITY • LOS ANGELES

Program Options

AMDA's undergraduate degree, graduate degree, associate degree, and conservatory programs offer students numerous paths of study on both our New York City and Los Angeles campuses.

Degree and Conservatory Programs

Undergraduate Degrees

Bachelor of Fine Arts

- Acting
- Film and Television Arts
- Music Theatre
- Vocal Performance for Commercial Music
- Dance
- Performing Arts:
 Acting and Content Creation
 Music Theatre and Content Creation
 Dance Theatre and Content Creation
- Acting (Online)
- Music Theatre (Online)

Bachelor of Arts

Performance Studies

Associate of Occupational Studies

- Acting
- Acting for Camera
- Musical Theatre
- Dance

Graduate Degrees

Master of Arts

Performance Studies (3 semesters)

Master of Fine Arts

Screenwriting (6 semesters)

Conservatory Programs

4-semester programs

- Acting: Acting for Stage, Film, and Television
- Acting for Camera:
 Acting for Film and Television with Content Creation
- Musical Theatre:
 Acting, Musical Theatre and Dance
- Dance Theatre:
 Dance, Acting and Musical Theatre

6-semester program

Advanced Certificate: Performing Arts

Extension Programs

High School Programs

Summer Conservatory

- Acting for Stage & Screen
- Musical Theatre
- Dance Theatre
- Pop Star: Recording Artist
- Screenwriting
- Performing Arts & Content Creation

Gap Programs

Performing Arts

To learn more or start an application, please visit amda.edu

