



**Africa Institute of Music  
(AIM)**

**Application Forms  
for  
Bachelor of Music 2025/2026**

**Africa Institute of Music (AIM)**, established in 2002 as a learning community, is a Christian college (Licensed by the Uganda National Council for Higher Education) that is committed to develop the God-given musicality in Africa with a curriculum of synergistically integrated multicultural music.

**Vision:** AIM is to develop God-given musicality in Africa.

**MISSION:** AIM is to provide holistic and artistic education of music for musicians-to-be and already-active-musicians with their own unique musical identities so that they may realize their fullest potential as artists, scholars, leaders, and global citizens.

## **OBJECTIVES**

- AIM is to create enlightened musicians who, while informed and appreciative of other cultures, will value their own heritage and contribute to the world with its beauty.
- AIM is to raise responsible and innovative individuals by exposing them to the spirit of discipline, commitment, and creativity through training academic art music.
- AIM is to cultivate influential musicians who will take artistic leadership even in the musical culture of common people.

## **AIM Bachelor of Music**

The AIM Bachelor of Music Equiv. Program is designed for gifted undergraduate musicians who want to pursue a professional study concentrating on music performance and education.

### **A. Application, Admission and Registration Instructions for the January intakes**

1. Submit the application documents by the 30th of June 2025

- Application form (50,000 UGX)
- 'A' level certificate (music) or its equivalent(s) and its transcripts
- An essay on *The Importance of Music in My Life* (2 pages in double space)
- 2 Recommendations (teacher, pastor, employer, or community leader)

2. Take the entrance examinations on the 15th of July 2025.

(See pp.3 and 4 for the details.)

3. Admission will be confirmed with the admission letter of AIM by the 26<sup>th</sup> of July 2025.

4. Registration: 4<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> August 2025

Tuition (only): 4,000,000 UGX per year

(For the information of AIM payment policy, inquire the finance office.)

## **B. Entrance Examinations**

1. Date: 15th of July 2025
2. Exam contents:

**All majors:** English (Reading and writing), Oral Exams (General knowledge)

### **ADDITIONAL EXAMS OF SELECTED MAJORS**

#### **Major in African Music Performance**

1. Performance of three pieces in different styles with a majoring instrument
2. Demonstration of different scales
3. One western instrumental performance
4. Exams on sight singing and aural skills (AIM grade 4)
5. Exams on music theory (AIM grade 4)

#### **Major in Church Music (concentration: composition, piano, guitar, or voice)**

1. Refer to the major sections of the concentration selected.
2. Exams on the Bible

#### **Major in Composition**

1. Submission of three pieces of composition (a song with any instrumental accompaniment, an instrumental piece, and a piece own choice, all in staff notation)
2. Exams on sight singing and aural skills (AIM grade 5)
3. Exams on sight reading (AIM grade 5)
4. Performance of a piece, scales, arpeggios, and cadential chord progressions of all major and minor keys (two octaves) with piano/guitar (AIM Collection grade 4)
5. Exams on music theory (AIM grade 5)

#### **Major in Classical Instruments**

1. Performance of three classical pieces (one from Baroque, one from Classical/Romantic of AIM collection grade 5, and one own choice)
2. Performance of scales and arpeggios (and cadential chord progressions for piano major) of all major and minor keys (two octaves)
3. Exams on sight singing and aural skills (AIM grade 4)
4. Exams on sight reading (AIM grade 4)
5. Exams on music theory (AIM grade 4)

### **Major in Voice**

1. Performance of three vocal pieces (one from the Baroque era, one from the Classical of AIM collection Grade 4, and one own choice)
2. Performance of one piano piece (AIM grade 2)
3. Exams on sight singing and aural skills (AIM grade 4)
4. Exams on sight reading (AIM grade 4)
5. Exams on music theory (AIM grade 4)

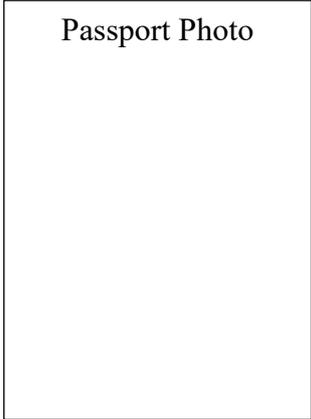
### **Major in Jazz (Concentration: Voice, Keyboard, Guitar, Bass Guitar, or Drum set)**

1. Performance of three pieces (different styles)
2. Performance of scales and arpeggios of all different jazz scales (two octaves)
3. Exams on sight singing and aural skills (AIM grade 3)
4. Exams on sight reading (AIM grade 3)
5. Exams on music theory (AIM grade 3)

### **Timetable for entrance examinations: 15<sup>th</sup> July, 2020**

9:00 - 10:20 am	English
10:30 am – 12:00 pm	Music Theory
12:00-1:00 pm	Lunch Break
1:00 – 2:30 pm	Musicianship
3:00 – 5:00 pm	Major/Concentration / Bible (Christian Music major only)

**BM Application Form 2025/2026**



**Major intended**

1<sup>st</sup> choice \_\_\_\_\_

2<sup>nd</sup> choice \_\_\_\_\_

**General Information**

Full Names \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth (date/month/year) \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Birth (country/city) \_\_\_\_\_

Gender F/M                      Marital Status Single/ Married

Nationality \_\_\_\_\_

Address 1 (P.O. Box) \_\_\_\_\_

Address 2 (physical residence) \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone/mobile number \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**People for Reference:**

Name 1. \_\_\_\_\_

Contact address/phone number \_\_\_\_\_

Name 2. \_\_\_\_\_

Contact address/phone number \_\_\_\_\_

**Academic Information**

List all the institutions you attended. Start with the most recent and include the dates of graduation and qualifications earned.

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. \_\_\_\_\_
- 5. \_\_\_\_\_

**Musical Background**

List all your activities related to music. Attach more information, if necessary.

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I certify that the information I have provided on this application is correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that all documents submitted to AIM become the property of AIM and will not be returned to me or be duplicated for my purposes. I agree that my admission will be contingent upon verification of official records from the institutions I have attended and upon satisfactory completion of all course work prior to enrolling at AIM.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_