

USC THORNTON SCHOOL OF MUSIC

ESTIMATED COST OF ATTENDANCE

Academic Year 2020-2021

(semesters 1 and 2 of a 3-semester program)*

Master of Science (MS)

Music Industry

Tuition:	Fall 2020 (13 units)	\$ 25,935
	Spring 2021 (13 units).....	\$ 25,935
Fees:	Orientation (one-time fee)	\$ 55
	Student Health Service	\$ TBD (see below)
	Mandatory Health Insurance	\$ TBD (see below)
	Student Programming	\$ 86
	Norman Topping Student Aid.....	\$ 16

Note: These estimated costs reflect tuition and fees for only the first two semesters of this three-semester program. In most cases, the above amounts for tuition and half of the above amounts for fees are due at the beginning of each semester (unless noted otherwise). One significant exception to this is the student health insurance fee, which is assessed at a larger amount in the spring than in the fall. Actual living and incidental expenses (such as personal expenses, books, and musical materials) vary from student to student and are not accounted for on this cost list. All amounts listed are subject to change without notice.

Student Health Service and Mandatory Health Insurance: For details, please refer to <http://engemannshc.usc.edu/insurance/>

Graduate Tuition: For all students at the graduate level, tuition is assessed at a rate of \$1,995 per unit during the 2020-2021 academic year. Students can pursue this program part-time, but students are strongly advised to pursue it on a full-time basis.

*Tuition and fees for the third and final semester of this program will be published in spring 2021. It should be assumed that both tuition and fees will be slightly higher in the third semester than in the first and second semesters.

****Financial Aid for MS Music Industry Students:**

- US citizens and permanent residents can be eligible for Federal Stafford and Graduate Plus loans (refer to USC financial aid website: <http://financialaid.usc.edu/>)
- International students are not eligible for aid in this program