

# LONGY SCHOOL OF MUSIC COMMUNITY PROGRAMS: DALCROZE TEACHER

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The Longy School of Music seeks a Dalcroze Teacher for the Community Programs Division. The teacher will primarily teach classes for toddlers, designed for children and a parent partner. Applicants must be Dalcroze certified, enjoy working with very young children and have innovative ideas around how to engage and recruit students. Teaching hours take place on Saturdays and weekday afternoons and evenings. Saturday availability is required.

Date of appointment: Fall 2012

## QUALIFICATIONS

### Candidate would possess:

- Dalcroze Certification and a history of successful classroom teaching experience
- A commitment to Dalcroze pedagogy
- Ability and willingness to reflect and grow as a teacher
- An entrepreneurial spirit and ability to work collaboratively with Longy faculty and staff

### Candidate would demonstrate the ability to:

- Broaden students' horizons and encourage them to explore music in a variety of ways
- Practice creativity in teaching styles and approaches
- Teach a variety of ages and abilities
- Maintain a flexible and positive attitude
- Recruit students into the program
- Work in a variety of musical styles and have a willingness to explore new genres with students
- Take part in Dalcroze Department meetings and events as well as school wide events and meetings

### Candidate would possess excellent organizational and communication skills with the ability to:

- Communicate both orally and in writing with family members, teachers, and staff
- Understand and carry out oral and written instructions
- Meet schedules and deadlines
- Read, interpret, and apply School rules, regulations, and policies
- Effectively interact with children, family members, teachers, staff, and the public as a representative of the school

Candidates for the position must have a well-established record of accomplishment as a teacher and performer. Candidates should possess a strong connection to Longy's mission to prepare musicians to make a difference in the world. An advanced degree or demonstrated equivalent is required.

## TO APPLY

Interested candidates should send a cover letter, résumé, and list of references to Cristina Catt, Associate Director and Voice Faculty, Community Programs, Longy School of Music: [cristina.catt@longy.edu](mailto:cristina.catt@longy.edu)

## ABOUT LONGY

The Longy School of Music is a conservatory and community music school founded in 1915, located near Harvard Square in Cambridge, Massachusetts. The School's 150 faculty members provide instruction in two programs: Conservatory (approximately 210 students pursuing diplomas and degrees) and Community Programs (approximately 250 adult students and 700 students 12-months to 18-years old). For more information, visit Longy on the web at [www.longy.edu](http://www.longy.edu).

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