



AUDIO ENGINEERING AND MUSIC PRODUCTION DIPLOMA





The audio industry is one of the most exciting yet challenging sectors of the creative media business and offers a wide range of employment opportunities for talented, passionate people like you.

The right education can be a necessary step to successfully enter this demanding industry. Our hands-on program is based on the interaction between students, instructors, and the latest industry-standard equipment, and will ensure that you will achieve the level of proficiency and confidence required to enter the world of professional recording, music production, and audiopost production.

ABOUT THE PROGRAM

Our Audio Engineering and Music Production Diploma program provides 720 hours of integrated theory and real world studio practicals that can be completed in as few as 9 months to help you get out of the door faster and launch the career of your dreams.

You will learn the key skills and fundamental components of audio engineering and music production, understand how the music industry works, and get practical, industry standard training, including Pro Tools & Ableton certification.

WHAT YOU'LL LEARN

Students in the Audio Engineering and Music Production Diploma program will take a variety of courses during their time at SAE Institute. Some of these include:



Recording Techniques



Mixing & Mastering



Music Production



Applied Music Theory



Producer Workflow



Music Business



Pro Tools 101, 110 & Game Audio



Live Sound



Ableton Live



Post Audio



Electronic Music Production



Technology In Performance

WHERE DO SAE INSTITUTE GRADUATES WORK?

After completing the Audio Engineering and Music Production Diploma Program, graduates will be able to find entry-level opportunities for careers such as:

- Recording Artist
- Music Producer
- Recording Engineer
- Studio Engineer
- Assistant Studio Engineer
- Studio Manager
- Audio Post Editor
- Mastering Engineer
- Sound Designer
- Sound Editor
- Arranger/Composer
- Live Sound Technician
- Production Manager
- Record Label

SAE Institute graduates have been employed by EA Sports, Vancouver Jazz Fest, Eco Fashion Week, Gearforce, Sound Kitchen, Pro Show A/V, Monarch Studios, and more.



LEARN FROM THE PROS

SAM RYAN **ELECTRONIC MUSIC PRODUCTION & ABLETON INSTRUCTOR** **VANCOUVER, BC**

Sam began his music career co-founding SOS Music, a Vancouver based music production company. He works with the newest technologies in digital audio, midi and sample based sequencing, combining his technical and artistic talents to fuse audio engineering with music production. He has produced and engineered alongside some of the music industry's most accomplished heavyweights including Jack Endino (Nirvana, Soundgarden).

Sam is the quintessential, perpetual student of emerging technologies and it is no surprise that once he discovered the unique music production capabilities of Ableton Live, he became one of the few Certified Ableton Trainers in Canada.

PRO-QUALITY TOOLS & RESOURCES

SAE Institute Vancouver is one of the most technically advanced audio engineering schools in Canada. It is an Avid Learning Partner and the only Ableton and Pro Tools certified audio engineering school in Canada. It is a highly specialized school that teaches within the environment of a professional quality recording studio. Every student has a fully equipped workstation at their desk at all times – consisting of an Apple M1 iMac computer loaded with the latest versions of Pro Tools, Ableton Live, and all the industry standard plugins.



WHY SAE INSTITUTE?



EMMA JAY **SAE INSTITUTE VANCOUVER, AUDIO**

“My time at SAE gave me the skills, knowledge, and most importantly, the confidence I needed to thrive in the arts, music and events industry. The instructors and staff are truly invested in your growth and success, the facilities are stunning, and I learned more in 9 months than I ever thought was possible. The skills I learned at SAE have enabled me to bring my vision, as well as the visions of the artists I collaborate with, to life.”



ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS

ALL APPLICANTS:

- Applicants must have a high school diploma, or equivalent, or be at least 19 years of age by the time studies begin.
- All applicants under the age of 19 must have completed high school and submit a transcript. In addition, on their behalf, they will require the signature of a parent or guardian on the student contract.
- Final acceptance will be based on a personal interview with the applicant, to assess their aptitude, level of interest and basic computer skills.

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS:

- With the exception of applicants from the U.S, UK and Australasia, international students are required to show proof of English proficiency with minimum scores in one of the following:
- IELTS (Academic): 5.5 Overall with no band less than 4.5
- TOEFL: 59 Overall Reading and Writing minimum of 12
- IB English: 3
- CAEL CE: 50 Overall with no band below 50
- DET (Duolingo English Test) minimum score of 85

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