

Sō Percussion Summer Institute (SōSI) 2022

Frequently Asked Questions

When is the Sō Percussion Summer Institute (SōSI)?

July 10-24, 2022

When are applications closed?

February 1, 2022

When will I know if I was accepted?

February 18, 2022

When will I need to make a tuition payment?

A deposit of \$250 (as part of your tuition due) will be required within 14 days with your signed acceptance letter and agreement to join the program. Remaining tuition will be due in full by June 1, 2022

Do I need to be a percussionist or composer to apply for this program?

Yes. SōSI is designed for college-aged performers and composers together on the campus of Princeton University to learn and perform in a hands-on environment with Sō Percussion and guest faculty and staff with whom they collaborate. You may apply in the percussion or composition track. If you are interested in both, you may note this in your application.

Do I need to be in college to join this program?

No. We welcome over age - 18 college students, post-college, and independent students to apply and join our program.

Are musical groups able to apply together?

Applicants must apply individually and will be selected as individuals. However, several or all members of a group are welcome to apply separately.

What will be our schedule each day?

SAMPLE WEEKDAY SCHEDULE IN EASTERN TIME (subject to change)

- 10am–12pm - Morning Rehearsal Sessions
- 12-1:30pm - Lunch / Break
- 1:30-2:30pm - Guest Artist Talk
- 2:30-5pm - Rehearsals, Individual Sessions, Masterclasses
- 5-6:30pm Dinner / Break
- 6:30-9pm Evening Concerts or Sessions

Do I need to be available and present all scheduled events?

Yes. We encourage and ask that everyone be at all events while attending the summer institute.

What will the music be that we workshop with Sō Percussion?

The music for this year's participants will be assigned once all participants have been accepted. You will also workshop music composed and created by fellow SōSI participants accepted into the Composition Track.

Can I participate in only part of the program?

No, SōSI students must commit to participating in the entire program.