CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY LONG BEACH
BOB COLE CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC
AUDITION INFORMATION
Voice Major

----------UNDERGRADUATE AUDITION INFORMATION----------

An audition is required for admittance to all degree programs in the Bob Cole Conservatory. Conservatory admission auditions take place in November and February. Please schedule your audition online at csulb.edu/music/prospective-students/undergraduate-auditions.php If there are circumstances that prevent your attendance at the Conservatory’s auditions, you may contact Dr. Jonathan Talberg at jonathan.talberg@csulb.edu to request an individual appointment. A pre-screening video is required to schedule an individual appointment. A video file should accompany your request.

*The Choral/Vocal/Opera area of the Bob Cole Conservatory does not accept video or audio auditions in lieu of a live one.

AUDITION REQUIREMENTS

Freshman and Transfer: Two accompanied selections of contrasting style should be prepared. At least one foreign language is suggested but not required. One piece may come from the American Musical theatre repertoire. An accompanist is provided; you must supply sheet music in the proper key. Lead sheets are not acceptable.

All auditioning students will be expected to read music at a level appropriate to their current level of education. Freshman applicants should be able to read diatonic music. Transfer students are expected to read at a level that would allow participation in opera, advanced choral ensembles, etc.

If you have any additional questions, please don’t hesitate to contact Dr. Jonathan Talberg, Director of Choral, Vocal and Opera studies at jonathan.talberg@csulb.edu