

# Membership Form



## Personal and professional details

First name	
Surname	
Professional name	
Date of birth	
Address (including postcode)	
Telephone number	
Email	
Nationality*	
Your instrument (including voice)	

\*By ticking this box, you confirm you have a right to work in the UK and that you'll inform the MU should your right to work is withdrawn or expires. The MU reserves the right to request written proof of your right to work in the UK at any time during your membership.

## Membership category

Standard membership		Student membership*		Joint membership:	EIS		NEU	
Disabled musicians' membership - standard		Join for a pound		UCU		RCO		
Disabled musicians' membership - join for a pound				Membership number of corresponding organisation				

\*To join or transfer to the student membership category you'll need to provide proof of being a full-time student. If you're unable to study full-time because of a disability or caring responsibilities, please contact us to discuss your eligibility before applying.

## Music sections

<b>Education:</b> if you work in music education, whether that's teaching privately or in schools, or are involved in music education in any other capacity, you should join this section.		<b>Live:</b> if you're a gigging musician (excluding orchestral and theatre work), whether solo or in groups/ensembles, you should join this section.	
<b>Music Writers:</b> if you're a songwriter, composer, arranger or copyist working in any genre across the industry, you should join this section.		<b>Orchestra:</b> if you play with an orchestra as your main job or freelance across a number of orchestras you should join this section.	
<b>Recording and Broadcasting:</b> if your performance is recorded and/or broadcast, including contractors/fixers, you should join this Section.		<b>Theatre:</b> if you're working, or have worked, under the T&Cs of the MU/UK Theatre Agreement (excluding West End) on a regional static show or commercial tour in the last two years you should join this section.	

## About you

What's your gender?	Female		Male		Non-binary		Prefer to self-describe	
What's your ethnicity?	Arab		Asian / Asian British - Bangladeshi		Asian / Asian British - Chinese		Asian / Asian British - Indian	
Asian / Asian British - Other Asian background	Asian / Asian British - Pakistani		Black - Any other African / Caribbean background		Black - British		Black / African - African	
Black / Caribbean - Caribbean	Jewish		Mixed / Dual heritage - Black African & White		Mixed / Dual heritage - Black Caribbean & White		Mixed / Dual heritage - Any other Mixed / Dual heritage background	
Mixed / Dual heritage - Asian & White	Mixed / Dual heritage Native American & White		Native American		White - Any other White background		White - British, English, Northern Irish, Scottish, Welsh	
White - European	White - Gypsy, Roma or Irish Traveller		White - Irish		Prefer to self-identify		Prefer not to say	
Do you identify as a D/deaf person or disabled person?			Yes		No		Prefer not to say	
Do you identify as trans/transgender?			Yes		No		Prefer not to say	
Which of the following describes your sexuality?		Asexual		Bisexual		Gay man		Gay woman / Lesbian
Heterosexual / Straight		Queer		Prefer to self-identify		Prefer not to say		
What's your religion or belief?		None		Buddhist		Christian		Hindu
Jewish		Muslim		Sikh		Prefer to self-identify		Prefer not to say

## Caring Responsibilities

Do you have any caring responsibilities?	None	Primary carer of a child or children (under 18 years)	Primary carer or assistant for a disabled adult
	Primary carer or assistant for an older person or people	Secondary carer (another person carries out main caring role)	Prefer not to say

## Preferences

We contact our members to keep them informed of events, industry news, and local/national events. You can opt in or out of these at any time.					
National and regional news	Career development advice and events	Features and longer reads	Network for members who experience racism	Disabled members network	
LGBT+ members network	Women members network	Young members network			
How did you hear about the MU?		Event	Former member	MU event / online event	
MU publication	MU social media / website	Publication	Recommendation	School / college / university	

## Payment information

Please note, Joint and Student membership subscriptions can only be paid for by card. Those joining the Join for a pound rate should provide both card and Direct Debit information.

### Political Fund

Our members need a political voice because politicians make decisions that affect their lives, and we need to be able to influence those decisions. This is why we have a Political Fund. By opting into paying the political levy you're agreeing to support the MU's Political Fund with an additional 2% on your membership subscription fee.

I want to pay into the political fund



### Direct Debit

You can pay your membership subscriptions monthly  quarterly  annually

It can take about three weeks to process and activate your membership if you're paying by Direct Debit. You'll be able access benefits and services after the first payment has successfully been debited. Your membership is annual and will automatically renew unless you notify us before your renewal date. All payments over the twelve-month period must be paid in accordance with the terms and conditions of being an MU member.

### Instruction to you bank or building society to pay by Direct Debit

Bank / building society name and address (including postcode)			
Building society reference number			
Name(s) of account holder(s)			
Sort code		Account number	
Signature		Date	
Our reference / membership number (office use only)			

Banks / building societies may not accept Direct Debit instructions for some accounts.

Originator's Identification Number <b>974030</b>	Reference (Office Use Only)	
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### Instruction to your bank or building society

Please pay Musicians' Union Direct Debits from the account detailed in this Instruction subject to the safeguards assured by the Direct Debit Guarantee. I understand that this Instruction may remain with Musicians' Union and, if so, details will be passed electronically to my Bank / Building Society.

### The Direct Debit Guarantee

- This Guarantee is offered by all banks and building societies that accept instructions to pay Direct Debits
- If there are any changes to the amount, date or frequency of your Direct Debit the Musicians' Union will notify you 10 working days in advance of your account being debited or as otherwise agreed. If you request the Musicians' Union to collect a payment, confirmation of the amount and date will be given to you at the time of the request

- If an error is made in the payment of your Direct Debit by the Musicians' Union or your bank or building society, you are entitled to a full and immediate refund of the amount paid from your bank or building society. If you receive a refund, you are not entitled to, you must pay it back when the Musicians' Union asks you to
- You can cancel a Direct Debit at any time by simply contacting your bank or building society. Written confirmation may be required. Please also notify us.

### Card

Please note we don't accept American Express or Diners Club cards.

Name on card			
Card number			
Expiry date		Security code (last three digits)	

## Declaration

Please confirm you agree to MU Rules, Privacy Policy, and Terms of Use, which can be found on the MU website

Signature		Date	
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Please send the completed and signed form to: Musicians' Union, 60-62 Clapham Road, London SW9 0JJ