

The logo for the University of Florida, consisting of the letters 'UF' in white on an orange square background.

UF

The cover features a collage of images: a man playing a cello in a concert hall, a woman in a black jacket dancing, a woman in a white dress dancing, a man and woman working on a laptop, and a group of people dancing on a stage. A large white circle with horizontal lines is centered over the text.

# COLLEGE OF THE ARTS

INFORMATIONAL CATALOG

**The University of Florida** is one of the most respected universities in the country, offering more majors on one campus than almost any other university in the nation. We are a great starting point — **one of the best** — for students who have ambitious aspirations.



Where can you go when you start at the top? Anywhere.



## Apply

Deadlines vary by program

### **First-year students**

[admissions.ufl.edu/apply/freshman](https://admissions.ufl.edu/apply/freshman)

### **Transfer students**

[admissions.ufl.edu/apply/transfer](https://admissions.ufl.edu/apply/transfer)

### **Graduate students**

[admissions.ufl.edu/apply/graduate](https://admissions.ufl.edu/apply/graduate)

## Tour

Picture yourself on our campus at

[admissions.ufl.edu/visit](https://admissions.ufl.edu/visit).

## Afford

For financial aid information,

visit [sfa.ufl.edu](https://sfa.ufl.edu).

## Live

Dedicated to students majoring  
or interested in the arts,

**Reid Hall** offers studio space,  
gallery space, and practice hours in the  
evenings, which permit  
residents to rehearse musical  
instruments in their rooms.

Learn more at [housing.ufl.edu](https://housing.ufl.edu).



**From here,  
you can see  
the future.**

## Learn

Explore your academic opportunities at:  
[admissions.ufl.edu/learn/academics](https://admissions.ufl.edu/learn/academics)

**Pathway to Campus Enrollment, or PaCE**, provides freshmen with the opportunity to start their UF degree online and then transition full-time to campus. Studio courses are offered in-person to PaCE students.

Learn more at: [admissions.ufl.edu/learn/pace](https://admissions.ufl.edu/learn/pace)

**The University of Florida Honors Program** promotes education with disciplinary depth and interdisciplinary competency by providing instruction grounded by the power of experiential practice.

Learn more at: [honors.ufl.edu](https://honors.ufl.edu)





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Steel sculpture by College of the Arts alumna, Leslie Tharp, BFA 2008.

The process of discovery is a vital aspect of developing your singular, creative voice. Nowhere is that more a part of your education than at the **University of Florida College of the Arts.**



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## Communication skills

I AM A STORYTELLER. I can engage any audience.

I AM A THEORIST. I articulate the abstract.

## Innovation

I AM A DIGITAL CREATOR. I push the boundaries of technology to create new works and solutions.





# Students bring loyers?

## Adaptability

**I AM AN ARTIST.** I welcome critique and thrive on feedback.

**I AM A PERFORMER.** I prepare for all situations and easily navigate change.

## Teamwork

**I AM A DESIGNER.** I collaborate with others to solve problems.

**I AM A DIRECTOR.** I work with my peers to bring a shared vision to life.

## **Your Creative Home**

**The College of the Arts** is home to multiple courses, clubs, and activities that are open to all students on campus regardless of your major. Music ensembles, theatre shows, digital production agencies, art clubs, and dance troupes add to the vibrance of UF's campus culture.

**Artists are multiskilled experts across numerous fields. What will you choose? And, why not both?**

Opportunities are limitless when you combine individualized arts programs and a top-tier research university. Customize your academic journey to define your own artistic voice. Majors at the College of the Arts can be combined with other programs to receive a second bachelor's, minors, certificates, or even a master's degree.

Learn more at:  
[arts.ufl.edu/why-not-both](https://arts.ufl.edu/why-not-both)



# HOME OF THE ... FLORIDA GATORS



UF is home to the **Pride of the Sunshine Fightin' Gator Marching Band**, one of the oldest and most prominent music ensembles on campus.

School  
of **ART +**  
**ART HISTORY**

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**Shape the  
world with  
your vision.**

**The School of Art + Art History** has all the advantages of a close-knit community together with the resources and opportunities of a comprehensive top-ranked research university. Our programs offer **small class sizes**, **experiential learning**, and **individualized instruction**. Students tailor their educational pathway toward their career goals and interests, combining their studio art, graphic design, art history, and art education courses with curricula in other disciplines across the university.

**Learn more at:** [arts.ufl.edu/art](https://arts.ufl.edu/art)



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*With specialized studio spaces for graphic design, video/animation/ electronics, ceramics, digital fabrication, drawing, painting, photography, printmaking, wood sculpture, and metalwork, students master materials and methods across disciplines. In our four galleries, they gain experience curating, exhibiting, critically analyzing, and writing about artwork.*



## Degrees

- **Bachelor of Arts in Art or History of Art**
- **Bachelor of Fine Arts in Art or Graphic Design**
- **Master of Arts in Art Education, Art History, or Museology** (Museum Studies)
- **Master of Fine Arts in Art or Design & Visual Communications** (Graphic Design)
- **Doctor of Philosophy in Art History**
- **Minors** in Art History or Studio Art
- **Undergraduate Certificates** in Art Education and Ceramics
- **Graduate Certificates** in Curatorial Studies and Museum Studies

## A Global Perspective

The School of Art + Art History hosts a robust program of visiting artists and scholars and delivers a global art history curriculum with opportunities for travel and study abroad to Art Basel Miami · Graphic design studios and advertising agencies in the Southeast · Museums and galleries in New York City, Philadelphia, and Washington, D.C. · France, Italy, Peru, and more.

# Collaborate and Explore

With the school's many active student organizations, students extend their skills and build networks beyond the classroom. Student organizations curate exhibitions, publish art magazines, host workshops and social events, invite guest speakers, and arrange trips.

- **Art History Association**
- **Digital Arts Media Network (DAMN)**
- **Handbuilt or Thrown Clay (HOT Clay)**
- **SA+AH Student Ambassadors**
- **VoxGraphics**

Learn more at:  
[orgs.studentinvolvement.ufl.edu](https://orgs.studentinvolvement.ufl.edu)



## Spaces for Makers & Scholars

- High-res digital photo studios, wet lab darkrooms, and lighting studios
- Printmaking studios (intaglio, lithography, relief, silkscreen, serigraphy) and letterpress
- Ceramics studios with electric, gas, and wood kilns, as well as 3D printing
- High-end digital fabrication lab
- Metal shop, foundry, and wood shop
- Dedicated computer labs for high-res video, animation, and artificial intelligence (AI)
- Specialized co-working studios for Graphic Design
- Specialized Architecture and Fine Arts Library
- Gary R. Libby University Galleries



**Live out loud,  
be heard.**

**Areas of Applied Study**

Brass

Keyboard

Percussion

Strings

Woodwinds

Voice



**The School of Music**  
is a thriving community of performers,  
composers, and scholars. From their first  
year, students majoring in music learn one-  
on-one from instrumental and voice faculty  
and perform in a broad range of premier  
ensembles, all while having the opportunity  
to explore what makes the University of  
Florida a top public university.

**Learn more at:** [arts.ufl.edu/music](https://arts.ufl.edu/music)



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All music students have 24-hour secure access to practice rooms. The School of Music is also home to the Anderson Memorial Pipe Organ in the University Auditorium, an artificial turf marching band practice field, and a cast-bell carillon in Century Tower—one of only four carillons in Florida.

## Degrees



- **Bachelor of Music in Music Specializations:** Music Composition, Music Theory, Performance (Instrumental/Vocal), or Combination with an Outside Field
- **Bachelor of Science in Music Business and Entrepreneurship**
- **Bachelor of Music in Music Education Specializations:** Choral or Instrumental
- **Bachelor of Arts in Music Specializations:** Entrepreneurship, Event Management, Music History and Literature, Music History and Literature: Ethnomusicology, or Music Theory and Composition
- **Master of Music in Music Concentrations:** Choral Conducting, Composition, Electronic Music, Ethnomusicology, Instrumental Conducting, Jazz Studies, Music History and Literature, Music Theory, Performance, or Sacred Music
- **Master of Music in Music Education Concentrations:** Choral Conducting, Composition, Electronic Music, Ethnomusicology, Instrumental Conducting, Music History and Literature, Music Theory, Performance, or Piano Pedagogy
- **Doctor of Philosophy in Music Education**
- **Doctor of Philosophy in Music Concentrations:** Composition, or Music History and Literature
- **Doctor of Musical Arts in Music Concentrations:** Choral Conducting, Composition, Instrumental Conducting, or Performance
- **Minors in Jazz Studies, Music History/ Ethnomusicology, Music Performance, or Music Theory**
- **Certificates in Music Performance or Music Education**

## An All-Steinway School

Since 2010, UF has been an “All-Steinway School” and the owner of the largest collection of Steinway & Sons pianos in Florida. Steinway products are considered the best keyboard instruments for training students and are the choice of 90% of the world’s performing concert pianists.

# An Ensemble for Everyone

At the University of Florida, we celebrate and practice musical genres from across the globe, and our ensembles travel and perform locally, nationally, and internationally. All ensembles are open to any student on campus by audition.

- African Popular Music Ensemble
- Brass Band
- Brazilian Music Institute
- Chamber Ensembles
- Chinese Ensemble
- Concert Bands
- Chorale: Tenor/Bass
- Chorale: Soprano/Alto
- Jazz Band
- Jacaré Brazil
- Mundo Flamenco Guitar Ensemble
- Opera Workshop
- Persian Ensemble
- Sunshine Steelers Steel Drum Ensemble
- Symphonic Band
- University Choir
- University Symphony Orchestra
- University of Florida Fightin' Gator Marching Band
- Wind Symphony

Learn more at:

[arts.ufl.edu/academics/music/ensembles](https://arts.ufl.edu/academics/music/ensembles)



## The Music Never Stops

Explore new musical pursuits and places over the summer or get acquainted with UF before you apply through virtual connections and (when possible) travel opportunities like study abroad in Salzburg, Austria • Brazilian Music Institute in Miami, Florida • Sacred Music Workshop at UF • International Piano Festival at UF • Gatorland Band Camps at UF

School of  
**THEATRE +  
DANCE**

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**Experience without  
hesitation, dream  
without boundaries.**

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**The School of Theatre and Dance** seeks to cultivate a welcoming space for our interdisciplinary community of creatives, practitioners, scholars, and researchers through human-centered, experiential learning. Our mission is to deliver robust curricula that elevates the critical and cultural significance of the arts. With the completion of a degree from the School of Theatre and Dance, students are positioned for multi-faceted and impactful careers in their respective and adjacent fields.



**Learn more at:**  
[arts.ufl.edu/theatreanddance](https://arts.ufl.edu/theatreanddance)

*The greatest accomplishments often come with the greatest risks. Don't just take courses. Take chances. The world is your stage.*



## Degrees

- **Bachelor of Arts in Dance**
- **Bachelor of Arts in Theatre with a specialization in General Theatre, Stage Management, or Theatre Management**
- **Bachelor of Fine Arts in Dance**
- **Bachelor of Fine Arts in Theatre Performance with a specialization in Acting or Musical Theatre**
- **Bachelor of Fine Arts in Theatre Production with a specialization in Costume, Digital Media, Lighting, Scenery, or Sound**
- **Master of Fine Arts in Theatre with focus in Acting or Design**
- **Minors in Dance, Theatre, or Theatre Production**

## Break Through the Industry

Take professional expert seminars, virtual and in-person, with leading choreographers, playwrights, actors, directors, designers, and stage managers. Listen to lectures and discussions with actors and producers from Broadway and beyond. We foster our students' readiness to thrive in and transform their artistic fields and broader communities through experiential learning.

## Expand Your Range

Our degree programs will challenge you to engage with the fields of dance and theatre in new and exciting ways, augmented by a production season that features a blend of classical and contemporary offerings, including dance concerts, musical theatre, plays, and original works. The University of Florida also has exceptional student organizations and internships offering additional opportunities:

- Dance in a Suitcase
- Florida Players
- Harn Choreographer in Residence
- Internships with the Hippodrome State Theatre
- MFA Design Internships with Asolo Repertory Theatre

Learn more at:

[orgs.studentinvolvement.ufl.edu/organizations](https://orgs.studentinvolvement.ufl.edu/organizations)



## Take the Stage

Participate in all aspects of theatre and dance productions. The School of Theatre and Dance provides opportunities to be a part of performances in multiple venues within the Nadine McGuire Theatre and Dance Pavilion, which includes:

**Constans Theatre:** Proscenium with 415 seats

**Black Box Theatre:** Flexible performance space

**G-6 Studio:** Premiere dance studio



Digital Worlds.  
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**The Digital Worlds Institute** (DW) is a recognized leader in combining digital arts and design, communication and storytelling, computer science, and emerging technologies. The interdisciplinary field of digital arts and sciences is ideal for students whose intellectual and creative pursuits are not confined to traditional academic disciplines. Through project-based learning and collaboration with diverse interdisciplinary teams, DW prepares students for 21st-century careers in the creative and technology sectors.

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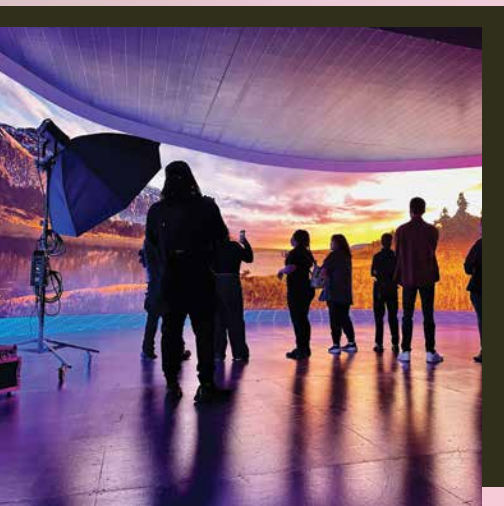


**Immerse  
yourself  
in a culture  
of innovation.**



**Learn more at:  
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*What do you want to create in the digital world? Whether your passion involves animation, video game design, experience design & production, emerging technology, or the digital arts & sciences in general, our programs fuel the pursuit of your own individual dreams.*



## Degrees

- Bachelor of Arts in Digital Arts & Sciences (BADAS) | Campus | UF Online
- Minor in Digital Arts & Sciences | Campus | UF Online
- Master of Arts in Digital Arts & Sciences (MiDAS) | Campus



**Artists are increasingly experts in multiple fields. Which will you choose? **And, why not both?****

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[arts.ufl.edu/why-not-both](https://arts.ufl.edu/why-not-both)

## **Spaces that Drive Research, Creativity, and Learning**

The Digital Worlds Institute's cutting-edge teaching and research facilities include advanced technology geared to empower creativity, collaboration, and innovation.

**The Polymodal Immersive Classroom Theater** (PICT) is a panoramic hybrid environment for teaching and learning utilizing ultra-widescreen media, interactive media and video games, as well as live networked performing arts events.

# The Gator Nation is Everywhere

And so are our graduates. Digital Worlds provides graduates with technical, creative, collaborative, and critical-thinking skills highly prized by 21st-century employers in the creative entertainment, communications, and technology sectors. Our DW alumni find careers in a variety of companies. Below is just a small sampling of some of those companies:

Bungie	Mindtree
Capital One	NBCUniversal
Disney Parks, Experiences, and Products	Oracle
Electronic Arts (EA)	PGA Tour
Epic Games	Red Storm
Grammarly	Sony Music Entertainment
Hawke Media	Sony Pictures Imageworks
Honeywell	Studio Syro
HSN	Subvrsive
ICON Creative Studio	Tripadvisor
Insomniac Games	Twitch
Jam City	Urban Outfitters
L3Harris Technologies	Warner Bros. Discovery
Lockheed Martin	
Microsoft	



**The Virtual Production Studio (VPS)** is a custom-designed workspace equipped with a large cyclorama and green screen, flexible lighting systems for photography and video production, and high-fidelity audio recording capabilities.

**The GYM** is a dynamic, fully equipped classroom and production space that allows online and campus students to gain experience and fluency in both physical and virtual studio environments. Its unique technical capabilities foster inventive time-based digital media production and interdisciplinary collaboration.

**The Reality Lab** is home to our Masters in Digital Arts & Science (MiDAS) students. The adaptive lab space is designed for multidisciplinary teaching and learning, team-based collaboration, the production of new media constructs and development of intellectual property. Graduate students have 24/7 access to powerful computer workstations capable of creating dynamic virtual, augmented, and mixed reality experiences.



## **The Center for Arts in Medicine**

is committed to advancing research, education, and practice in arts in health, locally and globally. Through ongoing interdisciplinary research and dynamic academic and training programs, the center serves as the national model for arts in health. Students in the program are at the forefront of the field, studying with leading faculty.

**Learn more at:**  
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connect.**

**Discover your  
purpose.**



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*The transformative power of the arts is undeniable.  
Join us in leveraging arts and culture to improve health.*



## Degrees

- **Master of Arts in Arts in Medicine**
- **Undergraduate Certificates** in Dance in Medicine, Music in Medicine, or Visual Arts in Medicine
- **Graduate Certificates** in Arts in Medicine or Arts in Public Health

## Why Not Both?

Use your passion for creativity to transform health. Undergraduate certificates can be combined with most bachelor's programs.

### **4+1 Bachelor + Master of Arts in Arts in Medicine Online**

Students receiving a Bachelor of Music (Music in Combination) or Bachelor of Science (Public Health, Biology, Microbiology, Chemistry, or Psychology) can start work on their master's degree in junior or senior year and finish studies with only one additional year.



## Leaders in Research

The Center for Arts in Medicine is leading and collaborating on research internationally on the role the arts can have in healthcare and public health.

**The EpiArts Lab** studies how engaging in the arts affects people's health across the US by analyzing large groups of people over time.

## Partners in Practice

Faculty and students collaborate and practice in their communities, around the nation, and across the world. Annually, the center hosts arts in health intensives in Gainesville for students and practitioners and multiple international research and outreach projects.

UF Health is one of the nation's leading healthcare systems and boasts one of the strongest and longest-standing clinical arts in health programs. Students volunteer alongside professional arts in health practitioners at the hospital facilitating visual art activities and performing at patients' bedsides and in the community leading dance classes and visual art based programs.

Learn more at:  
[artsinmedicine.ufhealth.org](https://artsinmedicine.ufhealth.org)



**The Center is leading the national social prescribing initiative**, connecting people with nonclinical activities to improve health and well-being.

**The Interdisciplinary Research Lab**, comprised of students and scholars from various disciplines, examines how arts and culture can support healthcare and public health goals.

# Center for Arts, Migration, and Entrepreneurship

## **The Center for Arts, Migration, and Entrepreneurship**

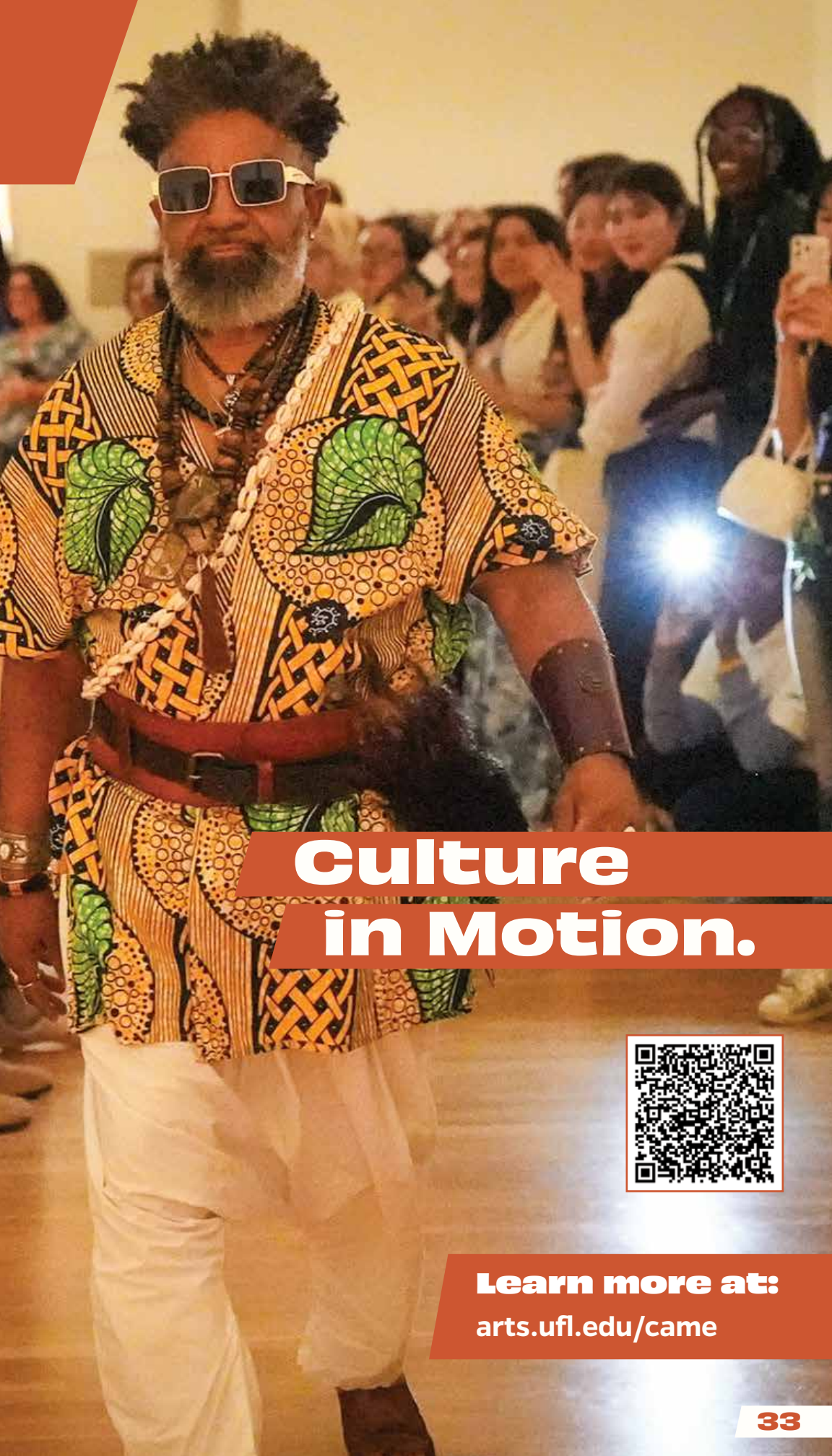
is a research and innovation hub that connects scholars, artists, creatives, and entrepreneurs to resources that foster innovation.

Through community-responsive programming, research, and creative production, we support the innovation and resilience of diasporic and migratory communities. Together, our networks help create new models to return value to cultural producers to build more just global futures.

*Students can engage with CAME at cultural events and conferences, and through faculty-led research and performance opportunities.*

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# Culture in Motion.



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