

LIVE MUSIC CONNECTION



The MIT Live Music Connection is a student organization that was formed in 2009 to create and sustain a place for live music at MIT.

It's a place where members of the MIT community can learn to play music, play with friends, and play for a live MIT audience. The LMC is unique in that it provides the space, resources, and organization to create a thriving live music scene on campus.



Helen McCreery '06
Photo by Kevin Rustagi



Balaji Mani '10
Photo by Kevin Rustagi

Our mission:

- Bring live music and those who enjoy it together on campus
- Provide a centralized, quality venue for MIT musicians
- Promote musicianship of all levels in the MIT community

ABOUT THE LMC

3 YEARS OF LMC GROWTH.

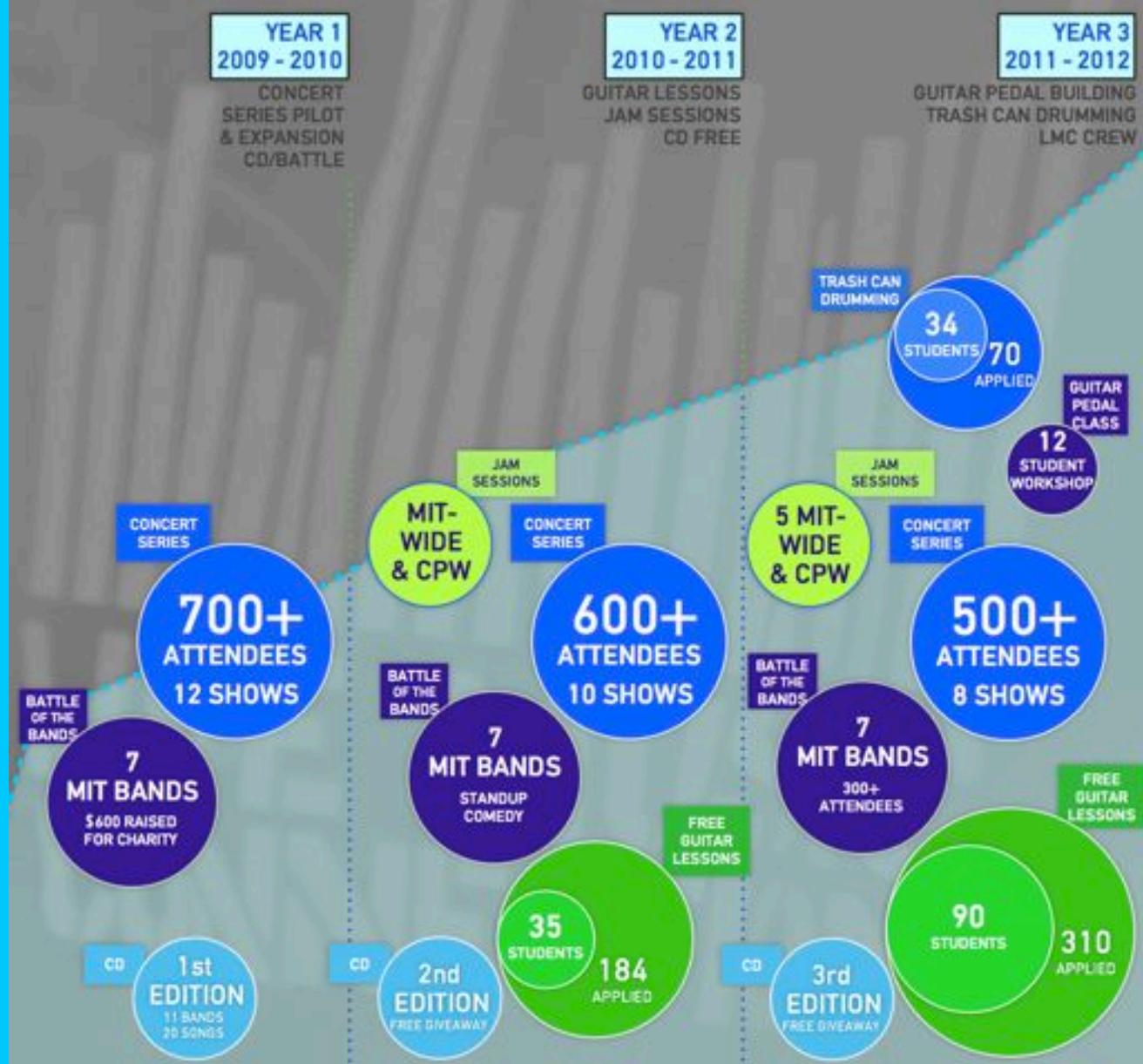


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LMC CONCERT SERIES

The concert series features MIT bands showcasing their best on the stage. LMC hosts around 10 concerts a year at a centrally located venue on campus. LMC members manage all aspects of the concerts, including booking, advertising, audio, lighting, and more.

Concerts are open to the extended MIT community, which includes faculty, staff, students, and friends. The concerts, featuring local and MIT talent at a professionally run venue, is totally free!



Photo by Dan Jang



Krista Speroni
Photo by Chris Welch

LMC Concert Series also hosts the MIT Battle of the Bands every year. One of the biggest LMC events of the year, 300 freshmen and fans come to watch MIT's best compete for the title.

LMC pulls out all the stops with elaborate lights, giveaways, and the debut of our yearly compilation album.

LMC OPEN SOURCE MUSIC

The LMC encourages musicianship on all levels, even for people who aren't in a band or aren't ready to play a full concert. We believe in sharing musical expertise with the whole community. Open Source Music provides student-taught, free classes to MIT students.

Open Source started with beginner guitar lessons, loaning the students guitars while the classes were taught by our own Open Source members. With hundreds of applications for a few spots, LMC looks to expand this program all year long with even more classes.

Open Source Has begun expanding the variety of programs it offers, recently offering a guitar pedal building class and trash can drumming. Not only that, but LMC also hosts open jam sessions for musicians to hang out, meet each other, and just play music.



Open Source Guitar Class



Trash Can Drumming Class
Photo by Kojo Acquah

EVEN MORE LMC

LMC Compilation Album:

Since its inception, LMC has made it a goal to distribute music to the community. LMC takes studio cuts and live tracks from MIT bands and distributes hasundreds of CDs in both physical and digital form.



just press infinity



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LMC Music Lounge:

LMC is actively working to create an open source studio - a place where anyone can hangout, record and produce music using high quality, professional equipment. All for free.



LMC DevDays:

LMC Developer Days - a way to join classroom knowledge with LMC. We're working to develop new and unique ways to improve the tech behind our shows to enhance the concert experience for our fans.



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Technician Training:

Our events don't sound or look good without the experts behind the scenes. LMC members are trained on how to setup and operate all equipment. Our technicians have been hired on local and international projects!

LMC SPONSORSHIP

A partnership with LMC allows us to continue providing all these great programs to the music community.

Platinum: \$5,000

- Logo prominent on all LMC apparel, including Battle of the Bands, event crew, executive board members and giveaway shirts
- Verbal promotion at LMC events
- Logo on LMC giveaway gifts

Gold Sponsor: \$2,500

- Logo Prominent at all LMC events
- Promotion on LMC banner during concerts

Silver Sponsor: \$1,000

- Logo on LMC Battle of the Bands shirts

Bronze Sponsor: \$500

- Sponsor placement on all LMC event crew shirts, and when available, giveaway shirts
- Promotion on LMC flyers poster before and during concerts

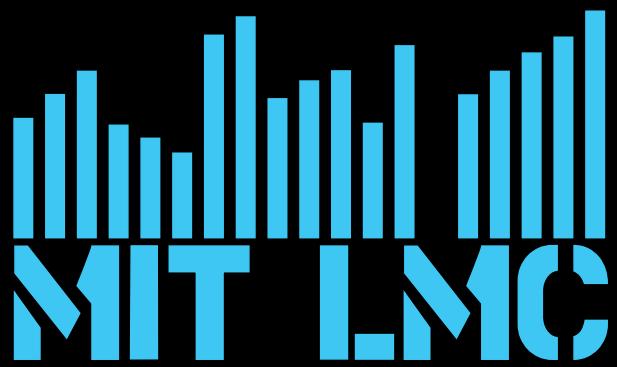
Donor: Under \$500

- Promotion on website lmc.mit.edu
- Tax recognition

Every sponsorship level listed includes the benefits of all lower levels. A sponsorship term lasts one year. All amounts include cash, in-kind donations and services.



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