

Now Hiring: Assistant Artistic Director Austin Gav Men's Chorus

The Austin Gay Men's Chorus (AGMC) is seeking a passionate and skilled Assistant Artistic Director (AAD) to join our artistic team. This is a part-time, paid position beginning August 1, with an annual employment agreement renewable each July. This is a W-2 part-time employee position. Any applicable payroll taxes will be withheld, and compensation will be issued through AGMC's payroll system.

If you are enthusiastic about choral music and community engagement and have a strong background in conducting and vocal performance, we encourage you to apply. AGMC is committed to building a diverse and inclusive artistic team. We welcome applicants of all backgrounds, races, genders, sexual orientations and abilities.

How to Apply

Please submit the following materials to **Thomas Rinn, Artistic Director**, at thomas.rinn@atxgmc.org:

- A letter of interest
- Your current resume
- Optional: One Performance Video

Application Deadline: July 28

Next Steps: Selected candidates will be invited to participate in **Zoom interviews**, followed by **in-person auditions**.

For questions, contact Thomas Rinn at the email above.

Position Details

Title: Assistant Artistic Director (AAD) Type: Part-Time Employee Contract Dates: August 1 – July 1 (annual review) Salary: \$1,100/month (monthly stipend)

About the Role

The AAD works under the supervision of the Artistic Director and collaborates with both the full chorus and **Take Note**, AGMC's small, auditioned ensemble. The chorus presents two mainstage concert series annually (December and May), as well as various community performances. The AAD will serve as the **primary director of Take Note**, preparing the ensemble for major concerts, a fall fundraiser, and community appearances throughout the season. The AAD also supports the Artistic Director and team with additional programming, rehearsals, and performance duties.

Key Responsibilities

- Attend and participate in **Monday night** rehearsals with the full AGMC
- Lead Tuesday night rehearsals and performances for Take Note
- Attend nightly rehearsals during production weeks (December and May) and attend and participate in season concerts (4 in December, 2 in May) to be held in person in Austin, TX
- Select repertoire for Take Note, with approval from the Artistic Director
- Rehearse and conduct assigned selections for AGMC concerts (as agreed with the AD)
- Lead sectional rehearsals as needed
- Serve as rehearsal/performance conductor in the absence of the Artistic Director
- Assist in season planning and repertoire selection as requested
- Coordinate scheduling for Take Note community performances

Qualifications

Required:

- Evening and weekend availability (up to 6 hours/week; occasional daytime commitments)
- Minimum 2 years of choral conducting experience; preferred experience with TTBB ensemble
- Bachelor's degree in Music (Master's or equivalent professional experience preferred)
- Strong background in voice and choral arts

Mission:

The Austin Gay Men's Chorus (AGMC) mission is to raise voices in song to change minds, transform lives, and build community. They strive to create a vibrant, inclusive community that uplifts, inspires, and connects through the transformative power of music. AGMC aims to amplify voices and stories often unheard, serving not only the LGBTQ+ community but also anyone who believes in the unifying power of song.