



**IUCC Director Opening: First Voices
2017-2018**

Indiana University Jacobs School of Music

The Indiana University Children's Choir is looking for a dynamic choral music educator to serve as the director of First Voices for the 2017-2018 season. The Indiana University Children's Choir was founded in 1980 by Dr. Mary Goetze and Dr. Jean Sinor. Currently, the organization is composed of four different choirs. IUCC is designed to provide exceptional musical experiences for singers in pre-school through high school.

First Voices is an introductory, playful singing program for kindergarten and 1st grade students. This program includes two class sections of approximately 18 singers that meet each Thursday during the fall and spring semesters.

During the academic year, the children's choir directors will:

- *Conduct weekly rehearsals. Directors should be available from 4:00-6:30 on Thursdays.
- *Program for and participate in IUCC winter and spring concerts and other performances.
- *Participate in other IUCC events as requested, including the fall retreat.

Desired Qualifications

- * Evidence of success in teaching vocal/choral music in early childhood and/or elementary settings.
- * Availability at rehearsals, concerts, and events.
- * Good organizational skills and attention to detail.
- * Good interpersonal skills to deal with singers, parents, and other contacts.
- * The choir will give preference to applicants who have experience in experiential music learning approaches (i.e., Kodály, Orff, Dalcroze).

The approximate yearly compensation for this hourly position is \$3,800.00 for a season that runs from the last week in August to the first week in May. If you are interested in applying for this position, please email a current CV and letter of interest to:

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Consideration of applicants will begin immediately.