



Perform, Work & Enjoy Summer

It's a numbers game. Our quaint little town of Minocqua explodes with summer residents and tourists, and with it so too does the demand for labor in the bar and restaurant business. The Summer Music Festival is a way to provide college musicians the ability to showcase their talents on stage 10 hours a week and earn money as valuable members of our kitchen staff for 30 hours a week. We have found already in our first year that the program is a win-win.

The idea is simple. Come work for the Minocqua Brewing Company, gain valuable stage experience at one of Wisconsin's most sought-after live music destinations and stash away some money to help with tuition or the cost of attending school.

For more information, email summermusic@minocquabrewingcompany.com.

Testimonials ...

Ricardo Jiminez — *"It's an opportunity I was fortunate to have available as a student."*

Valerie Evans — *"Minocqua is one of the most amazing locations to live and work."*

Faith Hatch — *"The stage, ambience of the lounge and guests are amazing."*

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NOW ACCEPTING STUDENT APPLICATIONS

"My ability to perform in a professional setting was invaluable to my growth as both a young musician and a person ..."

- Valerie Evans, UW-Stevens Point





MBC'S SUMMER MUSIC FESTIVAL

Summer Housing

Calling the Minocqua area home during the summer months could be one of the most underrated benefits to becoming a team member at MBC. As one of the most beautiful places to live not just in Wisconsin, but the entire United States, the Lakeland area is home to the world's largest grouping of freshwater lakes, and is within minutes of both the Chequamegon National and Northern Highland American Legion State Forest. For someone who loves the outdoors, water sports, hiking, biking and much more, the opportunities are endless.

We are blessed with a number of generous individuals and families who open their homes to students looking to expand their horizons and call the area home for a few months.

Students have the opportunity to become one of the family by taking part in events at the Minocqua Brewing Company and also events in the area which make summers so magical here. Placement is based on a first-come-first-serve basis. For more information, email summermusic@minocquabrewingcompany.com.

Performance Experience

You've spent hours in the practice room working out all the technical kinks, and played recitals in concert halls to friends and colleagues who think you're great. That's wonderful but in the world of performance, you have to try and connect with every crowd by engaging them from start to finish, filling musical gaps with that special "it" after you put your instrument down. Spending the summer on the MBC stage will allow you to become a fearless performer and help you connect with your true artistic self.

A message from the owner ...

My name is Kirk Bangstad, and my wife and I own the Minocqua Brewing Company. After growing up in Stevens Point and graduating from Harvard, I went to Northwestern to pursue a graduate degree in vocal performance as a tenor. My professional career landed me in New York City and enabled me to travel around the world. Now that I own the brewery, I want to bring great music to Minocqua and hope you can help me do that on our stage in the Divano Lounge.

Summer Performance Schedule		
Sessions	Performance	Location
May 21 to July 15	2 to 3 times per week, and private gigs, church gigs, etc.	Divano Lounge, and shows in and around the Lakeland area
July 8 to Sept. 3		
May 21 to Sept. 3		

