

**Descriptions of the DSA-Accredited Certification Credentials
(Excerpt from the DSA T² program manual)**

Dalcroze Credentials and Dalcroze Certification Offered in the United States under the Professional Development Committee Teacher Training Program (T² Program)

DSA-Accredited Certification credentials include the new Levels 1 and 2.

The Introductory Credential in Dalcroze Education (Level 1)

- *This credential identifies that its holder has passed all of the examinations pertaining to the introductory level in Dalcroze Education.*
- *This is an acknowledgement of participation in Dalcroze Teacher Training. It is not a teaching credential, so it does not enable a person to teach Dalcroze courses at this level or advertise one's self as a Dalcroze teacher.*

The Applied Credential in Dalcroze Education (Level 2)

- *This credential identifies that its holder has reached a certain level of proficiency in Dalcroze Education and has passed all of the examinations pertaining to both the introductory and applied levels in Dalcroze Education.*
- *This credential confers the authority to make applications of Dalcroze Education to their own disciplines.*

The Dalcroze Certificate (Level 3)

- *The holder of The Certificate in Dalcroze Education has passed all of the examinations pertaining to the introductory, applied, and certificate levels in Dalcroze Education.*
- *This internationally recognized credential affirms that the holder is a Dalcroze teacher and grants the authority to offer introductory coursework in Dalcroze Education.*
 - *The Certificate in Dalcroze Education prepares a teacher to teach students of any age up to an early-intermediate level.*
 - *The Certificate in Dalcroze Education prepares the teacher to incorporate Solfège and Improvisation into a Eurhythmics class rather than offer independent Solfège and Improvisation courses in Dalcroze Education.*

Notes on the above Program

- *These levels comprise the PDC T² program. Students do not need to pass all levels at the same time, though in order to achieve a specific credential, they must pass all branches at that level. For example, a student may have passed exams in Eurhythmics Levels 1 and 2, Solfège Levels 1 and 2, but will not receive the Introductory Level in Dalcroze Education until at least the Level 1 Improvisation exam has been passed.*
- *Students must pursue Level 3 studies at a Diplômé-run training center in order to gain authorization to use the name "Dalcroze Eurhythmics" in describing their teaching or classes.*
- *Students should keep copies of their examinations and all credentials received, as most Diplômés will want to see these documents before admitting transfer students to study at Level 3.*