KALX Radio Music Library Department

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Hello Prospective Library Heads!

Thank you for your consideration in volunteering at KALX! There are tons of ways that you, the dedicated KALX listener, can help keep the wheels of progress turning at the station. We are the KALX Radio Music Library, one of eleven(ish) Departments at the Station.

After the Music Department has brought all that great music into the station, our department–The Music *Library*– is responsible for the care and feeding of +200,000 physical music media library that includes 12" Vinyl LPs, 10" Vinyl LPs, 7" Vinyl, and CDs spanning all genres and styles. Want to get your hands on our stash? This is the department for you!!

So what now?

KALX holds volunteer recruitments and training at the beginning of the fall, spring and summer semesters. To find out more, visit our station site at kalx.berkeley.edu, or send us an email at **kalxlibrary@gmail.com**. If you've just missed a recruitment, we'll keep your name on file for the next one. *You must be at least 18 years old to volunteer at KALX.*

Whether you're a student or community member, the Music Library invites you to come be a part of something truly special. We claim the normies and the freaks, and everything in between. Go KALX! Go Bears!

-Anhika, Kat, and Lydia (2025-6 Library Department Heads)





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This department runs in memoriam of Mike "Burma" Rizzi,
who, without him, none of this would be possible. May he rest in peace.

Music has always been a matter of energy to me, a question of fuel. Sentimental people call it inspiration, but what they really mean is fuel. I have always needed fuel. I am a serious consumer. On some nights I still believe that a car with the gas needle on empty can run about fifty more miles if you have the right music very loud on the radio.
-- Hunter S. Thompson