



### **Purpose of Refuge:**

- Members of Refuge will seek to use their musical abilities to lead peers in worshipping Jesus through song.
- Throughout the year, Refuge will have opportunities to lead in worship at university sponsored events such as weekly Convocation and Previews. In addition, there may be opportunities in local churches and other events held outside of the university.
- Refuge members must be committed to Kaleo Discipleship and willing to disciple others in addition to engaging in personal discipleship.

### **Expectations as a member of Refuge:**

- Attend the *Student Life Leadership and Discipleship Retreat* which will be held **August 4-6, 2024**.
- Provide availability via email and GroupMe over the summer as needed to plan for the fall semester.
- Attend weekly rehearsals as scheduled by directors of the band.
- Commit to preparation for weekly rehearsal(s) through rehearsing and improving in your instrumental and/or vocal craft.
- Attend all calendared events for Refuge and be willing to lead when asked.
- Attend Oasis weekly on Thursday evenings as scheduled.

### **Qualifications:**

- Maintain a GPA of 2.5 or above and be in good academic and disciplinary standing with the University.
- Maintain enrollment as a full-time student at HCU classified as a Sophomore, Junior or Senior.
- Commit to serving two consecutive semesters with graduation date not before May 2025.
- Exhibit a strong musical ability vocally, instrumentally or both.
- Model strong interpersonal skills and the ability to connect with a diverse group of students.
- Commitment to the purpose and mission of Houston Christian University.
- Demonstrate active Christian commitment through local church involvement and campus ministry participation.

### **Process:**

- The application process after the Leadership Common Application is submitted includes submission of the Refuge application; a recorded musical sample; and an interview with the Refuge Selection Committee. If selected, the final step will be an invitation to a live audition.
- If accepted for a position, a grant funded scholarship per semester will be applied for the 2024-2025 academic year.

*Next step . . . complete the Common Application at [www.hc.edu/leadership](http://www.hc.edu/leadership). Contact Nathan Mahand, [nmahand@hc.edu](mailto:nmahand@hc.edu)*

*with any questions about this position.*