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Board meetings held during the year:

(July 2023 – June 2024)

- 30 August 2023 (remote)
- 14 February 2024 (in person)

Annual branch meetings

Annual general meeting held on April 26, 2024 in the National Library of Estonia, Tallinn attended by 11 institutional members (26 people).

Branch membership figures:

Total number of current members: 11 (previous year 12)

- Institutional members: 11 (unchanged)
- Individual members: 0 (previous year 1)

Branch activities

On September 29-30, 2023, the Music Department of the University of Tartu Library celebrated its 40th birthday with a conference held in the library of the University of Tartu. The presentations on the first day focused on the history of the Music Department and the sound recording collection, contemporary music and the Estonian youth alternative music scene. On the second day, vinyl record collectors and experts from Estonia and a guest from Finland gave presentations on the topic of sound recordings.

Branch website

<https://www.luts.ee/emky/>

Branch educational activity

On April 26, 2024, we had an excursion to the Estonian Theatre and Music Museum, which celebrates its 100th birthday this year with a new permanent exhibition „[Astounding stories about theatre and music](#)". In addition to the guided exhibition tour, we also had a closer look at the music archive.

RILM and RISM contributions

Heidi Heinmaa (National Library of Estonia) and Maarja Leemet (Estonian Academy of Music and Theatre) contribute to RILM's bibliographic database.

Fontes Artis Musicae

Ilvi Rauna (Estonian Academy of Music and Theatre) is a corresponding editor.