



College of: Arts & Sciences

Degree/Major: BM/Music Education-Instrumental

Academic Year: 2014-15

Proposed Four-Year Degree Plan

The following is an example 8-semester plan. This is used to illustrate the course sequencing and the expectations for course loading. Students may use this as a guide as they plan their undergraduate education, but should adjust it to fit their personal goals. Students are responsible for completing requirements in the official degree sheet for each major. It is mandatory for a student to meet with an academic advisor prior to course enrollment each semester.

All music majors must successfully complete an entrance audition, upper-division theory examination, keyboard proficiency examination, and six semesters of MUSI 0500 Recital Attendance.

Assumption: Entering students have 2 years of a foreign language from high school.

Current Course Rotation: (F) = Fall only (S) = Spring only

Students must refer to the Registrar's website for the availability of course offerings as well as visit with their academic advisor to find out about any special offerings.

Year One					
Fall Semester			Spring Semester		
A&S	1111	Freshman Orientation	ENGL	1213	Freshman Composition II
ENGL	1113	Freshman Composition I	HIST	1103	Survey of American History
MATH	1483 or 1493 or 1513	Math Functions or Applications of Modern Math or College Algebra		3 hours	Analytical & Quantitative Thought
MUSI	0500	Recital Attendance	MUSI	0500	Recital Attendance
MUSI	1—2	Applied Major Music Lessons	MUSI	1021	Piano Class Lessons
MUSI	1011	Piano Class Lessons	MUSI	1541	Sight Singing/Ear Training II (S)
MUSI	1531	Sight Singing/Ear Training I (F)	MUSI	1543	Music Theory II (S)
MUSI	1533	Music Theory I (F)	MUSI	1—2	Applied Major Music Lessons
MUSI	2—1	Music Organization/Large Ensemble	MUSI	2—1	Music Organization/Large Ensemble
Total: 15 credit hours			Total: 17 credit hours		
Getting involved with student organizations to further your experiences.			Registering at Career services is free, and gives you countless opportunities.		

Year Two					
Fall Semester			Spring Semester		
POLS	1113	Intro to American Government	PSYC	1113	Introductory Psychology
MUSI	0500	Recital Attendance		4 hours	Natural Science
MUSI	2010(1)	Piano Class Lessons	MUSI	0500	Recital Attendance
MUSI	2551	Sight Singing/Ear Training III (F)	MUSI	2561	Sight Singing/Ear Training IV (S)
MUSI	2553	Music Theory III (F)	MUSI	2563	Music Theory IV (S)
MUSI	2—2	Applied Major Music Lessons	MUSI	2—2	Applied Major Music Lessons
MUSI	2—1	Music Organization/Large Ensemble	MUSI	2—1	Music Organization/Large Ensemble
MUSI	2722	Intro to Music Education	MUSI	----(2)	Instrumental Techniques Class
MUSI	3753	History of Music to 1600 (F)	MUSI	3763	History of Music 1600-1800 (S)
Total: 16 credit hours			Total: 19 credit hours		
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Year Three					
Fall Semester			Spring Semester		
	4 hours	Natural Science with Lab	SPCH	2713	Intro to Speech Communication
MUSI	0500	Recital Attendance	SPED	3202	Educating Exceptional Learners (D)
MUSI	2832	Elementary Music Methods (F)	MUSI	0500	Recital Attendance
MUSI	3—2	Upper-Division Applied Lessons	MUSI	----(2)	Instrumental Techniques Class
MUSI	3—1	Upper-Division Major Ensemble	MUSI	3722	Advanced Ensemble Conducting
MUSI	3712	Basic Conducting	MUSI	3852	Secondary Instrumental Methods (S)
MUSI	3783	Form & Analysis (F)	MUSI	3—1	Upper-Division Major Ensemble
MUSI	3842 or 4890(2)	Marching Bands Methods or Special Studies in Music Pedagogy	MUSI	4—2	Upper-Division Applied Lessons
MUSI	3873	History of Music 1800-Present (F)	MUSI	4912	Orchestration & Arranging
			MUSI	4972	Post Tonal Analysis (S)
Total: 19 credit hours			Total: 18 credit hours		
If you are interested in departmental honors, apply this semester.					

Between Years Three and Four, contact your advisor about an official graduation check.

Year Four					
Fall Semester			Spring Semester		
	3 hours	Upper-Division Humanities with International (not MUSI)	MUSI	3743	Foundations of Music Education
	3 hours	Upper-Division Social Science	MUSI	4940(6)	Student Teaching Public Schools Music
EPSY	3413	Child & Adolescent Development			
MUSI	----(2)	Instrumental Techniques Class			
MUSI	3—1	Upper-Division Major Ensemble			
MUSI	3582	Music of Non-Western Cultures (F)			
MUSI	3640(1)	Rehearsal Practicum			
MUSI	4--1	Upper-Division Applied Lessons			
MUSI	4901	Senior Recital			
Total: 17 credit hours			Total: 9 credit hours		
Apply for Spring graduation this term.			Celebrate your accomplishment at May Graduation!!		

OTHER REQUIREMENTS:

The College of Arts & Sciences requires 6 hours Upper-Division General Education outside the major department.

Total hours must include at least 40 hours in courses numbered 3000 or above.

Hours in one department in excess of 54 will be added to the minimum total of 130 required for graduation.

1. GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

a. No more than two courses (or eight hours) from the major department may be used to meet General Education and College and Departmental Requirements. The General Education Controlled Elective required English Composition, required U.S. History, required American Government, and one required MATH course do not count against the two-course maximum.

b. The Diversity, International Dimension, Scientific Investigation and Non-Western requirements may be satisfied by courses also used to satisfy any part of a student's degree program (i.e., in General Education, College Departmental Requirements, Major Requirements or Electives).

c. Courses in the major department may not be used to satisfy the College requirement for six hours upper-division General Education.

2. A&S COLLEGE/DEPARTMENTAL REQUIREMENTS

Not applicable for this degree.

3. FOREIGN LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY

b. The foreign language requirement for the B.S., B.M. and B.F.A. may be satisfied by presenting a high school transcript which demonstrates two years of study of a single foreign language (passing grades at second year level of study). It may also be satisfied by any of the options listed above for the B.A.

c. In addition to a. and b., students pursuing secondary education teacher certification must meet novice-high foreign language proficiency by presenting a high school transcript which demonstrates two years of study of a single foreign language with no grade below B. Or, students may complete 5 hours college credit in the same language with no grade below C (or pass an advanced standing examination equivalent to 5 hours of college credit).

4. EXCLUSIONS

b. Courses with ATHL or LEIS prefixes and leisure activity courses may not be used for degree credit in the College of Arts & Sciences.