

Music Composition

Bachelor of Music

DEGREE PLAN

Common Core for Music 35 Hours

CORE CAPSTONE		0
GNED 3000	Core Capstone	0

BIBLICAL LITERACY 6

BIBL 1013	Introduction to Christian Scripture	3
BIBL 1023	Christian Theology and Ethics	3

COMPOSITION AND LITERATURE 6

ENGL 1153	English Composition: Exposition and Argument	3
ENGL 1163	English: Composition and Classical Literature	3

SCIENTIFIC LITERACY AND MATHEMATICS 7

—	Laboratory Science Course	4
MATH 1033	Contemporary Math or above	3

WELLNESS AND LIFELONG FITNESS 1

PHED 1001	The Wellness Lifestyle	1
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HISTORY AND LITERATURE 12

ENGL 2013	European Civilization: Literature	3
and HIST 2013	European Civilization: History	3

ENGL 2023	Modern West: Literature	3
and HIST 2023	Modern West: History	3

PHILOSOPHY AND FINE ARTS — SELECT ONE COURSE 3

FNAR 2063	Arts and Western Culture	3
FNAR 2163	Arts and Ideas	3
PHIL 1043	Introduction to Philosophy	3

Supportive Core 3 Hours

COMS 1093	Introduction to Speech Communication	3
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Foundation Courses 32 Hours

MUCL 1112	Aural Skills I *	2
MUCL 1122	Music Theory I	2
MUCL 1132	Aural Skills II	2
MUCL 1142	Music Theory II	2
MUCL 2021	Introduction to Music History	1
MUCL 2112	Aural Skills III	2
MUCL 2122	Music Theory III	2
MUCL 2132	Aural Skills IV	2
MUCL 2142	Music Theory IV	2
MUCL 3312	Music History I	2
MUCL 3322	Music History II	2
MUCL 3362	Conducting I	2
MUCL 3372	Conducting II	2
MUCL 3733	Piano Pedagogy I	3
MUCL 4312	Music History III	2
	Upper-level Music Theory Seminar (1 semester)	2

Music Composition Courses 43 Hours

	Principal Applied: Composition-2000 level	5
	Principal Applied: Composition-3000 level	6
	Principal Applied: Composition-4000 level	6
	Secondary Applied: Piano-1000 level	2
	Secondary Applied: Piano-2000 level	2
	Secondary Applied: Piano-3000 level	4
	Secondary Applied: Piano-4000 level	2
	Large Ensemble (6 semesters)	6
	Small Ensemble (2 semesters)	2
	Upper-level Music Theory Seminar (1 semester)	2
MUCL 1152	Musical Composition and Instrumentation	2
MUCL 4332	Music History Seminar	2
MUPR 4590	Senior Composition Recital	0

INSTRUMENTAL PEDAGOGY AND TECHNIQUES — SELECT TWO COURSES 2

MUCL 3811	Woodwind Pedagogy and Techniques	1
MUCL 3821	Brass Pedagogy and Techniques	1
MUCL 3831	Percussion Pedagogy and Techniques	1
MUCL 3841	String Pedagogy and Techniques	1
MUCL 3851	Guitar Pedagogy and Techniques	1

Cognate Track 9 Hours

CHOOSE ONE TRACK

MEDIA TRACK

JMAS 1153	Introduction to Media Technology	3
JMAS 1203	Audio Production	3

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JMAS 2733	Introduction to Digital Photography	3
JMAS 4063	Post-Production	3

CREATIVE WRITING TRACK

ENGL 2763	Introduction to Creative Writing	3
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SELECT TWO COURSES

ENGL 3613	Intermediate Poetry Workshop	3
ENGL 3623	Intermediate Fiction Workshop	3

LITERARY TRACK — CHOOSE THREE COURSES

ENGL 3113	Medieval British Literature	3
ENGL 3123	Renaissance through 18 th Century British Literature	3
ENGL 3143	The American Tradition 1	3
ENGL 4213	Shakespeare	3

Electives 3 Hours

General Music Electives	3
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Additional Requirements 0 Hours

MUCL 1000	Recital Attendance (6 semesters)	0
MUPR 1500	Composition Seminar (8 semesters)	0
	Piano Proficiency	0
	Sophomore Barrier	0

Total Hours

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Foundation Courses	32
Music Courses	43
Cognate Track	9
Electives	3
Additional Requirements	0
Total hours required for graduation	125

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