

# CATALOG YEAR <u>2014-2015</u>

This is an updated form received 4/15/14. See Page 4.

COLLEGE/SCHOOL/SECTION: Arts & sciences/Fine & Performing Arts

Course:	Add:	Delete:	Change:	Χ	Degree requirements for BA with a Major in
	Music				

Request to change/update the following on the program of requirements and 4-year degree plan for the Bachelor of Arts with a Major in Music reflecting:

- 1. Changes to the 2014 CORE requirements
- 2. Changes approved Fall of 2013 to reduce the SCH of Aural Training (MUSI 1116, 1117 and 2116) and instrumental classes (MUSI 3127, 3133, 3115, 3166, 3188, 3189)
- 3. Add a lower level elective for music: Instrumentalists take MUSI 1302; Vocalists take MUSI 1161, 1162, 2161
- 4. Decrease required number of MUEN (Performance Ensemble)
- 5. Revision of the Music instrumental classes footnote.

Degree Requirements for the BA with a Major in Music

- 1. Hours Required: A minimum of 120 semester credit hours (SCH): 45 hours must be advanced, and fulfillment of degree requirements as specified in the "Requirements for Graduation" section of this catalog.
- 2. University Core Curriculum: 42 SCH as outlined in the suggested plans and as specified in the "<u>Requirements</u> for Graduation". 3 SCH of lower division MUSI courses will satisfy the Visual Performing Arts required in the Core Curriculum. Any course listed in Appendix A will satisfy the Creative Arts required in the Core Curriculum.
- 3. MATH Elective: 3 SCH selected from any math course above the level of College Algebra.
- 4. Life & Physical Science Lab: 1 SCH compatible with a Life & Physical Science course.
- 5. Major: 54 47 SCH, of MUSI. MUAP and MUEN courses as follows: 48 15 SCH of MUSI to include MUSI 1181. 1182. 2181, 1211. 1212. 2211- 1116, 2116, 3305: 3 SCH chosen from MUSI 3300 or 3301: 3 SCH chosen from MUSI 3346 or 3347: 16 SCH of MUAP at least 10 of which must be in the same principal area with 12 SCH at the 3000-4000 level and MUAP 4005; 9 SCH of MUEN Performance Musie Ensemble at least 5 of which must be at the 3000 level: 1 SCH of MUSI coursework selected from MUSI 3133, 3135, 3166, 3168, 3183, 3188, 3189 with the approval of the advisor. All Aural Training and Music Theory courses must be passed with a grade of "C" or better. When enrolled in applied music lessons, students must be concurrently enrolled in both an assigned University ensemble and MUAP 1010 / 3010.
- 6. Music Elective: 3 SCH selected from MUSI 1302 for instrumentalists, or MUSI 1161, 1162 and 2161 for vocalists.
- 7. Minor: A minimum of 18 SCH from one discipline at least twelve of which must be at the 3000-4000 level. See Appendix C. Instead of a minor, students may complete 18 SCH of electives, 12 SCH of which must be at the 3000-4000 level. from any discipline, except the major field, outside the College of Nursing and Health Sciences.
- 8. General Elective: 6 SCH at the 3000-4000 level.

**Other requirements:** Must audition with a full time faculty of the major performance area. Must complete a minimum of 6 semesters (with at least 8 SCH at the 3000-4000 level) in the same principle area.

#### 2014-15 Catalog

Bachelor of Arts in Music

## Fall

Freshman Year 3 ENGL 1301 - English Composition 1 3 HIST 1301 The U.S. to 1877 1 UNIV 1101 0 MUAP 1010 Music Convocation 2 MUAP 1213 Applied Music 1 MUEN Perf Ensemble<sup>1</sup> 1 MUSI 1181 Piano Class I 3 MUSI Creative Arts<sup>2</sup> 3 Foreign Lang /Study Abroad

## 17 SCH

#### Sophomore Year

3 Natural Science
1 Life & Physical Science Lab
3 PSCI 2305 American National Govt.
3 MATH Elective
0 MUAP 1010 Music Convocation
2 MUAP 3213 Applied Music
1 MUEN Perf Ensemble
1 MUSI 2181 Piano Class III
2 MUSI 1212 Music Theory II
1 MUSI 1117 Aural Training II
17 SCH

Junior Year 0 MUAP 3010 Music Convocation 2 MUAP 3213 Applied Music 1 MUEN Adv. Perf. Ensemble 3 Adv. General Elective 3 Minor Electives 3 Minor Electives 3 MUSI Music History Elective<sup>3</sup> 15 SCH

#### **Senior Year**

0 MUAP 3010 Music Convocation
2 MUAP 3213 Applied Music
3 MUSI Adv. Music requirement<sup>4</sup>
1 MUEN Adv. Perf. Ensemble
3 Adv. Minor Electives
3 Adv. Minor Electives

# 12 SCH

# Spring

Freshman Year
3 ENGL 1302 – English Composition II
3 HIST 1302 The U.S. Since 1877
3 MATH 1314 College Algebra
1 UNIV 1102
0 MUAP 1010 Music Convocation
2 MUAP 1213 Applied Music
1 MUEN Perf Ensemble
1 MUSI 1182 Piano Class II
2 MUSI 1211 Music Theory I
1 MUSI 1116 Aural Training I
17 SCH

## Sophomore Year

3 Natural Science
1 Life & Physical Science Lab
3 PSCI 2306 American State Govt.
3 PSYC
0 MUAP 1010 Music Convocation
2 MUAP 3213 Applied Music
1 MUEN Perf Ensemble
1 MUSI 2116 Aural Training III
2 MUSI 2211 Music Theory III

## **16 SCH**

0 MUAP 3010 Music Convocation
2 MUAP 3213 Applied Music
3 MUSI 3305 Music and Culture
3 Adv. Minor Electives
3 Adv. General Electives
3 Humanities Language / Phil / Culture

## 14 SCH

0 MUAP 3010 Music Convocation
2 MUAP 3213 Applied Music
2 Adv. MUEN Perf. Ensemble
1 Adv. MUEN Perf. Ensemble
3 MUSI Music Theory requirement<sup>5</sup>
1 MUSI Pedagogy requirement<sup>6</sup>
3 Adv. Minor Electives
0 MUAP 4005 Senior Performance
12 SCH

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See Music Ensemble Policy

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Creative Arts, 3 SCH of any course listed in Appendix A.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Instrumentalists must take MUSI 1302. Vocalists must take MUSI 1161, 1162, and 2161.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Select from Music History (MUSI 3300 or 3301)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Select from Music Theory (MUSI 3346 or 3347)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> For MUSI Pedagogy courses: Students choose from 3127, 3133, 3135, 3166, 3168, 3188, 3189 the course most closely related to their principal instrument.

Approvals:

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From: Townsend, Brendan
Sent: Tuesday, April 15, 2014 2:56 PM
To: Trevino, Mary T.
Cc: Bernat, Frances P; Leyendecker, Bede L; Gechter, Friedrich C
Subject: Cleaned up BA

Mary

With the view that three heads are better than one Bede, Fritz, and I sat down to go through your email and the degree plans. Taking your suggestions on board we went ahead and recounted everything etc and I believe that the attached is the cleaned up BA based on your recommendations.

It never ceases to amaze me how these things work / don't work!!! Thanks for your help. Bren

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From: Trevino, Mary T.
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2014 8:07 AM
To: Gechter, Friedrich C; Leyendecker, Bede L
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Subject: BA Music
Importance: High

I need fresh eyes to look at the BA Music document. Here is what I think we have:

- The POR MUAP entry has 16 SCH of MUAP at least 10 of which must be in the same principal area with 8 SCH at the 3000-4000 level and MUAP 4005. The 4-year plan has advanced MUAP in Fall & Spring Sophomore year, Fall & Spring Junior year and Fall & Spring Senior year. That would be a total of 12 SCH at the 3000-4000 level.
- 2. The Minor is 18 SCH with 12 at the 3000-4000 level. The 4-year plan has 6 hours advanced in Fall Junior year, 3 hours advanced in Spring Junior Year, 6 hours advanced in Fall senior year and 3 hours advanced in Spring senior year. This would be all 18 hours advanced. The 6 hours in the Fall Junior year should probably not be advanced.
- 3. With the adjustments I think we need, the advanced hours would be 12 MUAP
  3 MUSI 3305
  3 MUSI 3300 or 3301
  3 MUSI 3346 or 3347
  4 MUEN
  1 MUSI 3133, 3135, ...
  12 Minor
  6 Electives

TOTAL: 44

The advanced hours would be short 1. Would it be the MUEN in Fall of the Junior year for a total of 5 advanced?