

Bachelor of Music in Music History

Learn more about the Bachelor of Music in Music History.

Summary of Requirements

The Bachelor of Music in Music History is conferred upon a student by recommendation of the faculty and upon the satisfactory completion of a minimum of 124 credits. This major requires a concentration; the available concentrations are Instrumental (options include Bassoon, Cello, Clarinet, Classical Guitar, Double Bass, Euphonium, Flute, French Horn, Harp, Harpsichord, Oboe, Percussion, Saxophone, Trombone, Trumpet, Tuba, Viola, and Violin), Piano, and Voice.

University Requirements

- All students are required to complete the university's General Education (GenEd) curriculum.
- All students must take a minimum of two writing-intensive courses. The specific writing-intensive courses required for the major are MUST 3696 and MUST 3796.

Program Requirements (Instrumental Concentration)

Code	Title	Credit Hours
General Education courses		32
Music Theory		
MUST 1711	Theory I	4
MUST 1712	Theory II	4
MUST 2711	Theory III	4
MUST 2712	Theory IV	4
Music History		
MUST 2703	Music in History	3
MUST 2704	Music in History	3
MUST 3696	Music in History	3
MUST 3796	Music in History	3
Counterpoint		
MUST 4717	Counterpoint	3
Analysis		
MUST 4718	Analysis	3
Basic Conducting		
MUSC 2323	Basic Conducting	1
Secondary Piano		
MUSC 1405	Secondary Piano for Music Majors	1
MUSC 1406	Secondary Piano for Music Majors	1
MUSC 2405	Secondary Piano for Music Majors	1
MUSC 2406	Secondary Piano for Music Majors	1
Instrumental Concentration		
MUSC 1501	Instrumental Concentration	2
MUSC 1502	Instrumental Concentration	2
MUSC 2501	Instrumental Concentration	2
MUSC 2502	Instrumental Concentration	2
MUSC 3501	Instrumental Concentration	2
MUSC 3502	Instrumental Concentration	2
MUSC 4501	Instrumental Concentration	2
MUSC 4502	Instrumental Concentration	2
Ensembles		
Take any combination of the following eight courses for a total of 8 credits:		8
MUSC 1428	Accompanying and Piano Ensemble	

MUSC 1429	Accompanying and Piano Ensemble	
MUSC 3300	Choral Ensemble	
MUSC 4300	Concert Choir	
MUSC 4310	Graduate Conductors Choir	
MUSC 4500	Instrumental Ensemble	
MUSC 4510	Instrumental Ensemble	
MUSC 4520	Ensemble	
Foreign Language		
Foreign Language I		4
Foreign Language II		4
Foreign Language III		3
Foreign Language IV		3
Electives		
Take any combination of courses in the following subjects for a total of 4 Music Elective credits:		4
MUSC 1000-4999		
MUED 1000-4999		
MUST 1000-4999		
(MUST 3741 Keyboard Harmony and MUST 3713 Orchestration are recommended)		
Music History Elective		3
Free Electives (at least one Art History course is recommended)		8
Total Credit Hours		124

Program Requirements (Piano Concentration)

Code	Title	Credit Hours
General Education courses		32
Music Theory		
MUST 1711	Theory I	4
MUST 1712	Theory II	4
MUST 2711	Theory III	4
MUST 2712	Theory IV	4
Music History		
MUST 2703	Music in History	3
MUST 2704	Music in History	3
MUST 3696	Music in History	3
MUST 3796	Music in History	3
Counterpoint		
MUST 4717	Counterpoint	3
Analysis		
MUST 4718	Analysis	3
Basic Conducting		
MUSC 2323	Basic Conducting	1
Piano Concentration		
MUSC 1401	Piano Concentration	2
MUSC 1402	Piano Concentration	2
MUSC 2401	Piano Concentration	2
MUSC 2402	Piano Concentration	2
MUSC 3401	Piano Concentration	2
MUSC 3402	Piano Concentration	2
MUSC 4401	Piano Concentration	2
MUSC 4402	Piano Concentration	2
Ensembles		

Take any combination of the following eight courses for a total of 8 credits:	8
MUSC 1428	Accompanying and Piano Ensemble
MUSC 1429	Accompanying and Piano Ensemble
MUSC 3300	Choral Ensemble
MUSC 4300	Concert Choir
MUSC 4310	Graduate Conductors Choir
MUSC 4500	Instrumental Ensemble
MUSC 4510	Instrumental Ensemble
MUSC 4520	Ensemble
Foreign Language	
Foreign Language I	4
Foreign Language II	4
Foreign Language III	3
Foreign Language IV	3
Electives	
Take any combination of courses in the following subjects for a total of 4 Music Elective credits:	4
MUSC 1000-4999	
MUED 1000-4999	
MUST 1000-4999	
(MUST 3741 Keyboard Harmony and MUST 3713 Orchestration are recommended)	
Music History Elective	3
Free Electives (at least one Art History course is recommended)	12
Total Credit Hours	124

Program Requirements (Voice Concentration)

Code	Title	Credit Hours
General Education courses		32
Music Theory		
MUST 1711	Theory I	4
MUST 1712	Theory II	4
MUST 2711	Theory III	4
MUST 2712	Theory IV	4
Music History		
MUST 2703	Music in History	3
MUST 2704	Music in History	3
MUST 3696	Music in History	3
MUST 3796	Music in History	3
Counterpoint		
MUST 4717	Counterpoint	3
Analysis		
MUST 4718	Analysis	3
Basic Conducting		
MUSC 2323	Basic Conducting	1
Secondary Piano		
MUSC 1405	Secondary Piano for Music Majors	1
MUSC 1406	Secondary Piano for Music Majors	1
MUSC 2405	Secondary Piano for Music Majors	1
MUSC 2406	Secondary Piano for Music Majors	1
Voice Concentration		
MUSC 1201	Voice Concentration	2
MUSC 1202	Voice Concentration	2

MUSC 2201	Voice Concentration	2
MUSC 2202	Voice Concentration	2
MUSC 3201	Voice Concentration	2
MUSC 3202	Voice Concentration	2
MUSC 4201	Voice Concentration	2
MUSC 4202	Voice Concentration	2

Ensembles

Take any combination of the following three courses for a total of 8 credits:		8
MUSC 3300	Choral Ensemble	
MUSC 4300	Concert Choir	
MUSC 4310	Graduate Conductors Choir	

Foreign Language

Foreign Language I	4
Foreign Language II	4
Foreign Language III	3
Foreign Language IV	3

Electives

Take any combination of courses in the following subjects for a total of 4 Music Elective credits:		4
MUSC 1000-4999		
MUED 1000-4999		
MUST 1000-4999		
(MUST 3741 Keyboard Harmony and MUST 3713 Orchestration are recommended)		
Music History Elective		3
Free Electives (at least one Art History course is recommended)		8

Total Credit Hours**124****Suggested Academic Plan****Bachelor of Music in Music History****Requirements for New Students starting in the 2021-2022 Academic Year**

Year 1		Credit Hours
Fall		
MUSC 1405	Secondary Piano for Music Majors ¹	1
Choral/Instrumental Ensemble		1
MUST 1711	Theory I	4
ENG 0802, 0812, or 0902	Analytical Reading and Writing [GW]	4
GenEd Quantitative Literacy Course [GQ]		4
Select one of the following:		2
MUSC 1201	Voice Concentration	
MUSC 1401	Piano Concentration	
MUSC 1501	Instrumental Concentration	
Term Credit Hours		16
Spring		
MUSC 1406	Secondary Piano for Music Majors ¹	1
Choral/Instrumental Ensemble		1
MUST 1712	Theory II	4
GenEd Breadth Course		3
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GenEd Breadth Course		3
Select one of the following:		2
MUSC 1202	Voice Concentration	
MUSC 1402	Piano Concentration	

MUSC 1502	Instrumental Concentration	
Term Credit Hours		17
Year 2		
Fall		
MUSC 2405	Secondary Piano for Music Majors ¹	1
Choral/Instrumental Ensemble		1
MUST 2711	Theory III	4
MUST 2703	Music in History	3
IH 0851 or 0951	Intellectual Heritage I: The Good Life [GY]	3
GenEd Breadth Course		3
Select one of the following:		2
MUSC 2201	Voice Concentration	
MUSC 2401	Piano Concentration	
MUSC 2501	Instrumental Concentration	
Term Credit Hours		17
Spring		
MUSC 2406	Secondary Piano for Music Majors ¹	1
Choral/Instrumental Ensemble		1
MUST 2712	Theory IV	4
MUST 2704	Music in History	3
IH 0852 or 0952	Intellectual Heritage II: The Common Good [GZ]	3
GenEd Breadth Course		3
Select one of the following:		2
MUSC 2202	Voice Concentration	
MUSC 2402	Piano Concentration	
MUSC 2502	Instrumental Concentration	
Term Credit Hours		17
Year 3		
Fall		
Choral/Instrumental Ensemble		1
GenEd Breadth Course		3
MUST 4717	Counterpoint	3
MUST 3696	Music in History [WI]	3
Foreign Language I		4
Select one of the following:		2
MUSC 3201	Voice Concentration	
MUSC 3401	Piano Concentration	
MUSC 3501	Instrumental Concentration	
Term Credit Hours		16
Spring		
Choral/Instrumental Ensemble		1
MUST 3796	Music in History [WI]	3
Foreign Language II		4
Music Elective (select from MUSC, MUED and MUST 1000-4999) ²		2
Free Elective ³		3
Select one of the following:		2
MUSC 3202	Voice Concentration	
MUSC 3402	Piano Concentration	
MUSC 3502	Instrumental Concentration	
Term Credit Hours		15
Year 4		
Fall		

Choral/Instrumental Ensemble		1
Music History Elective		3
Free Elective		3
MUSC 2323	Basic Conducting	1
Foreign Language III		3
Select one of the following:		2
MUSC 4201	Voice Concentration	
MUSC 4401	Piano Concentration	
MUSC 4501	Instrumental Concentration	
Term Credit Hours		13
Spring		
Choral/Instrumental Ensemble		1
Music Elective (select from MUSC, MUED and MUST 1000-4999) ²		2
MUST 4718	Analysis	3
Free Elective		2
Foreign Language IV		3
Select one of the following:		2
MUSC 4202	Voice Concentration	
MUSC 4402	Piano Concentration	
MUSC 4502	Instrumental Concentration	
Term Credit Hours		13
Total Credit Hours:		124

¹ Piano concentration students should not take the 4 credits of Secondary Piano shown in this Academic Plan. They should instead take 4 additional credits of free electives.

² MUST 3741 Keyboard Harmony and MUST 3713 Orchestration are recommended.

³ Art History strongly recommended.