

Bachelor of Science in Music

Learn more about the Bachelor of Science in Music.

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This program is designed to prepare students for such fields as library science, the publishing industry, communications, the computer software industry, and other new and diverse areas of the music profession. Applicants must arrange to take examinations in the area of musicianship before qualifying for admission to the program. This may be done by contacting Mr. James Short (215-204-8598) at the Boyer College of Music and Dance.

Summary of Requirements

The Bachelor of Science in Music is conferred upon a student by recommendation of the faculty and upon the satisfactory completion of a minimum of 124 credits.

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 for the major are MUST 3196 and MUST 3696.

Program Requirements

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 3196	History of Pop	3
MUST 3696	Music in History	3
World Music		
MUST 4715	World Music	3
Choral Conducting		
MUSC 2323	Basic Conducting	1
MUSC 2324	Conducting Intermediate	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
Ensembles		
MUST 4700	Latin Amer Mus Ensemble	1
MUST 4710	Early Music Ensemble	1
Take any combination of the following choral ensembles for a total of 2 credits:		2
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
Internship	
MUST 4785 Music Industry Internship	3
Electives	
Take any combination of the following three subjects for a total of 12 Music Elective credits:	12
MUSC 1000-4999	
MUED 1000-4999	
MUST 1000-4999	
General Electives	22
Total Credit Hours	124

Suggested Academic Plan

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Requirements for New Students starting in the 2020-2021 Academic Year

Year 1		
Fall		Credit Hours
MUSC 1405	Secondary Piano for Music Majors	1
Select one of the following:		1
MUSC 3300	Choral Ensemble	
MUSC 4300	Concert Choir	
MUSC 4310	Graduate Conductors Choir	
MUST 1711	Theory I	4
General Elective		3
ENG 0802, 0812, or 0902	Analytical Reading and Writing [GW]	4
GenEd Breadth Course		3
	Term Credit Hours	16
Spring		
MUSC 1406	Secondary Piano for Music Majors	1
Select one of the following:		1
MUSC 3300	Choral Ensemble	
MUSC 4300	Concert Choir	
MUSC 4310	Graduate Conductors Choir	
MUST 1712	Theory II	4
MUST 4715	World Music	3
GenEd Quantitative Literacy Course [GQ]		4
GenEd Breadth Course		3
	Term Credit Hours	16
Year 2		
Fall		
MUSC 2405	Secondary Piano for Music Majors	1
MUST 2711	Theory III	4
MUST 2703	Music in History	3
MUST 4700	Latin Amer Mus Ensemble	1
IH 0851 or 0951	Intellectual Heritage I: The Good Life [GY]	3
Foreign Language I		4
	Term Credit Hours	16
Spring		
MUSC 2406	Secondary Piano for Music Majors	1
MUST 2712	Theory IV	4

MUST 2704	Music in History	3
MUST 4710	Early Music Ensemble	1
IH 0852 or 0952	Intellectual Heritage II: The Common Good [GZ]	3
Foreign Language II		4
Term Credit Hours		16
Year 3		
Fall		
MUSC 2323	Basic Conducting	1
MUST 3696	Music in History [WI]	3
Foreign Language III		3
GenEd Breadth Course		3
GenEd Breadth Course		3
General Elective		3
Term Credit Hours		16
Spring		
MUSC 2324	Conducting Intermediate	1
Foreign Language IV		3
GenEd Breadth Course		3
GenEd Breadth Course		3
General Elective		3
Music Elective (select from MUSC, MUED, and MUST 1000-4999)		3
Term Credit Hours		16
Year 4		
Fall		
MUST 3196	History of Pop [WI]	3
General Electives ¹		7
MUST 4785	Music Industry Internship	3
Music Elective (select from MUSC, MUED, and MUST 1000-4999)		3
Term Credit Hours		16
Spring		
Music Electives (select from MUSC, MUED and MUST 1000-4999)		6
General Electives		6
Term Credit Hours		12
Total Credit Hours:		124

¹ FMA 1141 Media Arts I (4 s.h.) is recommended as one of the General Electives.