• MUSIC (MUS)

The music curriculum is designed for students gifted in the performance and/or composition of music. Candidates for a major in music are required to pass an entrance audition in their respective performance areas. Composition candidates are required to submit appropriate scores and/or tapes of their compositions for faculty appraisal. All students admitted to the degree program must pass a music theory diagnostic examination prior to scheduling music theory classes. Students may obtain dates and times for these examinations from the School of Music.

Academic programs offered in the Bachelor of Music degree include the areas of Performance (voice, piano, piano pedagogy, and orchestral instruments), Composition, and Jazz Studies (composition and performance).

The Music Department is developing an Honors program. Please check with an academic advisor regarding the requirements.

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

All students seeking a Bachelor of Music degree are required to (1) complete successfully the piano proficiency (jazz piano proficiency required instead for all jazz majors) and music theory-history-literature requirements; (2) present a partial recital during the junior year (except composition majors); (3) present a full recital during the senior year (except music education majors); (4) present a record of satisfactory recital attendance through registration in MUS 2010 (see the specific requirements for MUS 2010 as set by the music faculty). Students must be enrolled in applied music studio during the semester of the recital. Other procedures are mandated through the Student Handbook of the School of Music. Exceptions to all departmental procedures must be authorized through the Director of the School of Music.

Promotion to the next higher level in applied music is made only upon the recommendation of a performance jury conducted by that concentration's faculty. Where appropriate for the degree, the student is required to complete a minimum of two semesters, but no more than three semesters at the 2000 or 3000 level of applied music. Failure to complete these levels within the three semester maximum brings automatic dismissal from the program. Students may repeat the 4000 level as necessary to fulfill the total credit hour requirement (3000 level for composition or music education). Credit for only 2 semesters of applied music at the 1000, 2000, or 3000 levels will be applied toward the degree.

MINIMUM GRADE FOR MUSIC COURSES

A minimum grade of "C" is necessary in all music courses required for the student's degree. Registration in required music courses resulting in grades of "D" or "F" must be repeated. Sequel courses may not be taken until prerequisites are satisfied with appropriate grades or waivers.

The B.M. Degree (Performance, Composition and Jazz Studies)

Prerequisites (State Mandated Common Prerequisites)

The College encourages students to complete the A.A. degree at the community college. Some courses required for the major may also meet General Education Requirements thereby transferring maximum hours to the university. If a student wishes to transfer without an A.A. degree and has fewer than 60 semester hours of acceptable credit, the student must meet the university's entering freshman requirements including ACT or SAT test scores, GPA, and course requirements. Please be aware of the immunization, foreign language, and continuous enrollment policies of the university. This is a non-limited access program with the above courses recommended.

A music theory placement examination will be adminis-
tered prior to initial registration in the music theory course sequence. This examination is diagnostic and is used for advising purposes. Auditions for admission, level-ranking, and determination of USF credit hour requirements in applied study in the music performance program must be arranged through the School of Music. Secondary piano must be demonstrated by audition or the student may elect to enroll in the appropriate keyboard skills class(es). Credit hours in piano are not required. Other secondary instruments will not apply toward performance or composition programs but may be applicable toward the Music Education degree (see Music Education program).

Students should complete the following prerequisite courses listed below at the lower level prior to entering the university. If these courses are not taken at the community college, they must be completed before the degree is granted. Unless stated otherwise, a grade of "C" is the minimum acceptable grade. If students are coming to the university from a community college, the following prerequisite courses will be accepted as meeting lower level requirements.

MUT 1111 Music Theory
or MUT 1121, 1122, 2126, or 2127
MUT 1112 Music Theory
or MUT 1121, 1122, 2126, or 2127
MUT 2116 Music Theory
or MUT 1121, 1122, 2126, or 2127
MUT 2117 Music Theory
or MUT 1121, 1122, 2126, or 2127
MUT 1241 Aural Theory
or MUT 1221, 1222, 2226, 2227, 1261, 1261, 2266, 2267, 1271, 1272, 2276, or 2277
MUT 1242 Aural Theory
or MUT 1221, 1222, 2226, 2227, 1261, 1261, 2266, 2267, 1271, 1272, 2276, or 2277
MUT 2246 Advanced Aural Theory
or MUT 1221, 1222, 2226, 2227, 1261, 1261, 2266, 2267, 1271, 1272, 2276, or 2277
or MUT 1221, 1222, 2226, 2227, 1261, 1261, 2266, 2267, 1271, 1272, 2276, or 2277
or MUT 1221, 1222, 2226, 2227, 1261, 1261, 2266, 2267, 1271, 1272, 2276, or 2277
MUNXXX Chamber Music Ensemble, 4 semester hours
MVX1X1X Secondary Applied Music Courses, 2-4 semester hours
MVX2XX Secondary Applied Music Courses, 2-4 semester hours
Secondary Piano Proficiency By Examination or
MVK 1111, 1112, and 2221
or MVK 1111r, 1112r, 2121r, and 2121r
or MVK 1211 and 2221
Electives: Music credits beyond those required may be used as program electives.

CORE REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL PERFORMANCE, AND COMPOSITION CONCENTRATIONS

Music Theory (22)

MUT 1111 (3)
MUT 1112 (3)
MUT 1241 (1)
MUT 1242 (1)

Music Literature (3)

MUL 2111 (3)*

*This course also satisfies 3 hours of Historical Perspectives in the Liberal Arts Curriculum.

Music History (8)

MUH 3301 (3)* MUH 3302 (3)*
MUH 3300 (2) or MUH 4058 (3)* or MUH 4801 (3)

*This course also satisfies 3 hours of Liberal Arts Exit Requirements in Major Works/Major Issues.

Conducting (2)

MUG 3104

Senior Seminar (1)

MUS 4935 (1)

MUS 2010 Recital Attendance (0)

Ensemble
COLLEGE OF FINE ARTS

Performance Majors (8), Composition (8)
All undergraduate students enrolled in applied music for 3 or 2 credit hours are required to be enrolled in a major ensemble appropriate to their performing medium.

Music Electives (12-13 hours)
Fine Arts Requirement (6 hours)

Music majors should take one 3-hour Fine Arts course certified in Historical Perspectives and one 3-hour Fine Arts course certified in the Fine Arts Perspective of the Liberal Arts Curriculum in order to graduate within 120 semester credit hours.

CORE REQUIREMENTS FOR JAZZ STUDIES

PERFORMANCE AND JAZZ STUDIES

COMPOSITION REQUIREMENTS

Music Theory (26)
MUT 1111 (3) MUT 2116 (3) MUT 2641 (2)
MUT 1112 (3) MUT 2117 (3) MUT 2642 (2)
MUT 1241 (1) MUT 2246 (1) MUT 3353 (3)
MUT 1242 (1) MUT 2247 (1) MUT 3354 (3)

Music Literature (3)
MUL 2111 (3)
* This course also satisfies 3 hours of Historical Perspectives in the Liberal Arts Curriculum.

Music History (9)
MUH 3301 (3)* MUH 3302 (3)* MUH 4801 (3)
* This course also satisfies 3 hours of Liberal Arts Exit Requirements in Major Works/Major Issues.

Conducting (2)
MUG 3104

Senior Seminar (1)
MUS 4935 (1)

MUS 2010 Recital Attendance (0)

Elective Hours in Music (10-12)

Ensemble:
Performance (8), Composition (8)
All students enrolled in applied music for 3 or 2 hours are required to enroll in a major ensemble appropriate to their performing medium.

Additional Requirements for Specific Concentrations

PERFORMANCE CONCENTRATION
A total of 24 credit hours of applied music major is required with a minimum of 8 hours to be completed at the 4000 level and concurrent registration in MUS 2010 (Recital Attendance).

Performance majors in voice must "elect" to enroll for MUS 2201 for a total of 3 credits as a part of the Music Electives and MUS 3503 for 2 credits as a part of the Ensemble hours. Additionally, there is a program exit requirement of earned credit or the equivalent in beginning French, German, and Italian languages.

Performance majors in piano are required to "elect" to enroll in MKV 4640 for 4 credits as a part of the Music Electives. The following requirements for the piano pedagogy emphasis are to be taken as a part of the Music Electives: MKV 4640 (4) MKV 4641 (4)

Junior and senior recital requirements may be fulfilled in one of the following ways: (1) lecture/recital, (2) ensemble performance, (3) recital.

JAZZ STUDIES CONCENTRATION

PERFORMANCE EMPHASIS
The following courses are required in addition to the core requirements:
MUT 3663 (2) MUT 3664 (2)

Applied music (major) through the 3000 level (min. of 18 hours).

The first 4 semesters and a sophomore level jury are under the guidance of the traditional applied faculty for all wind students, after which they will move from that studio to a jazz studies studio for their final semesters of applied studies.

Jazz piano proficiency required.

COMPOSITION EMPHASIS
The following courses are required in addition to the core requirements:
MUC 2221 (6) MUC 4403 (3) MUC 4404 (3)

Elective Composition (6)
Applied music (principal) with a minimum of 4 hours at the 4000 level.

Jazz piano proficiency required.

COMPOSITION CONCENTRATION
All students seeking a degree in music with a composition concentration are required to fulfill the senior composition requirements (with the approval of the entire composition faculty) in one of the following ways: (a) a complete public performance of works by the student composer, (b) the public performance of several compositions in various concerts throughout the composer's senior year, (c) the formal presentation to the composition faculty of an extensive portfolio of compositions plus the public performance of at least one of these works during the senior year, or (d) in other ways designated by the composition faculty.

Applied Music (Principal) (8)

A minimum of 8 credit hours of applied music is required with a minimum of 4 credit hours at the 2000 level.

Composition Courses (24)
MUC 2301 (3) MUC 2221 (3) MUC 3231 (3.3)
MUC 3401 (3) MUC 3402 (3) MUC 4241 (3)
MUT 4311 (2) MUT 4312 (2)

For other degree requirements for all the above concentrations, see Fine Arts College requirements and the university's General Education and graduation requirements.