

# MUSIC (BA) - MUSIC COMPOSITION SPECIALIZATION

## Suggested Sequence of Courses for a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Music with Specialization in Music Composition

Course	Title	Hours
<b>Freshman Year</b>		
<b>First Semester</b>		
MUSC-1010	Music Theory I	3
MUSC-1020	Aural Skills I	1
MUSC-1003	Keyboard I	1
MUSC-1005	Class Voice (or Applied Music)	2
Major Ensemble		1
MUSC-ATT1	Concert Attendance 1 (P/NP)	0
Foreign Language		4
GNST-1000	BC Experience	1
ENGL-1010	English Composition	3
EXSC-1115	Wellness for Life	1
<b>Hours</b>		<b>17</b>
<b>Second Semester</b>		
MUSC-1011	Music Theory II	3
MUSC-1021	Aural Skills II	1
MUSC-1004	Keyboard II	1
Applied Music		2
Major Ensemble		1
MUSC-ATT2	Concert Attendance 2 (P/NP)	0
Foreign Language		4
Aesthetic Experience		3
THEO-1100	Introduction to Theology	3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>18</b>
<b>Sophomore Year</b>		
<b>First Semester</b>		
MUSC-2001	Music Composition	2
MUSC-2010	Music Theory III	3
MUSC-2020	Aural Skills III	1
Applied Music		1
Major Ensemble		1
MUSC-ATT3	Concert Attendance 3 (P/NP)	0
PHIL-1750	Principles of Nature	3
PHYS-1200	Acoustics (or other Natural World)	4
Approved Fitness Activity course		1
Elective		3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>19</b>
<b>Second Semester</b>		
MUSC-2002	Music Composition	2
MUSC-2011	Music Theory IV	3
MUSC-2110	Music Technology	1

Applied Music		1
Major Ensemble		1
MUSC-ATT4	Concert Attendance 4 (P/NP)	0
Oral Communication		3
Philosophical Inquiry		3
Elective		3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>17</b>
<b>Junior Year</b>		
<b>First Semester</b>		
MUSC-3001	Music Composition	2
Select one of the following:		2
MUSC-3005	Countpoint (Even)	
MUSC-3004	Seminar in Composition (Odd)	
MUSC-4100	Music History I: Antiquity to 1750	3
Major Ensemble		1
MUSC-ATT5	Concert Attendance 5 (P/NP)	0
Faith Foundation		3
Western Perspective		3
Electives		3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>17</b>
<b>Second Semester</b>		
MUSC-3002	Music Composition	2
MUSC-3201	Introduction to Conducting	1
MUSC-4110	Music History II: 1750-1900	3
Major Ensemble		1
MUSC-ATT6	Concert Attendance 6 (P/NP)	0
MUSC-PIAPR	Piano Proficiency (P/NP)	0
Faith Foundation		3
Person & Community		3
Electives		3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>16</b>
<b>Senior Year</b>		
<b>First Semester</b>		
Select one of the following:		3
MUSC-3004	Seminar in Composition (Odd)	
MUSC-3005	Countpoint (Even)	
MUSC-3201	Introduction to Conducting	1
MUSC-4001	Music Composition	2
MUSC-4120	Music History III: After 1900	3
Major Ensemble		1
Mathematical Reasoning		3
Upper-division Electives		3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>16</b>
<b>Second Semester</b>		
MUSC-3003	Orchestration/Arranging	2
MUSC-4002	Music Composition	2
MUSC-4997	Senior Recital	1
Major Ensemble		1
MUSC-COMP	Senior Comprehensive Exam (P/NP)	0
Philosophical Inquiry		3
Understanding the Natural World		3

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Upper-division Electives	3
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<b>Hours</b>	<b>15</b>
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<b>Total Hours</b>	<b>135</b>