

BM in Music with Emphasis in Music History

Degree Program Description

The Bachelor of Music (BM) degree with an emphasis in Music History focuses on the history and significance of musical traditions. It is designed for the student who intends to pursue a career as a composer, performer, or college teacher, as well as the student who plans to enter graduate school to pursue further study in one of these areas. In addition to an audition on the major instrument or voice, approval of admission must be received from the music history faculty.

Major Program Requirements

The program requires 128-144 hours, including courses in music theory, music history, studio instruction, and ensembles.

In addition to the list of required courses below for the emphasis in History, students must complete the Bachelor of Music (<http://catalog.missouri.edu/collegeofartsandscience/music/bm-music/>), college and university requirements (<http://catalog.missouri.edu/academicdegreerequirements/universityrequirements/>), including Arts & Science Foundation Requirements (<http://catalog.missouri.edu/collegeofartsandscience/#undergraduatetext>).

MUS_GENL 1091	Recital Attendance for Undergraduate Music Majors	0
MUS_APMS 1435	Studio Instruction for Majors (Piano; total of 4 credit hours)	1-5
or MUS_APMS 2455	Studio Instruction	
MUS_APMS 2455	Studio Instruction (total of 8 credit hours)	1-5
MUS_APMS 3455	Studio Instruction (total of 4 credit hours)	1-3
MUS_ENS 1841	Instrumental Ensemble (total of 8 credit hours)	0-1
or MUS_ENS 1842	Choral Ensemble	
MUS_THRY 1210	Introduction to Computer Technology and Music	2
MUS_THRY 1220	Tonal Music Theory I	2
MUS_THRY 1221	Tonal Music Theory II	2
MUS_THRY 1230	Aural Training and Sight Singing I	2
MUS_THRY 1231	Aural Training and Sight Singing II	2
MUS_THRY 2220	Tonal Music Theory III	2
MUS_THRY 2221	Tonal Music Theory IV	2
MUS_THRY 2230	Aural Training and Sight Singing III	2
MUS_THRY 2231	Aural Training and Sight Singing IV	2
MUS_THRY 4220	Post-Tonal Music Theory	2
MUS_THRY 4224	Counterpoint	3
MUS_THRY 4226	Instrumentation	2
MUS_H_LI 1322	Introduction to Music in the United States	2
MUS_H_LI 2307	History of Western Music I	2
MUS_H_LI 2308	History of Western Music II	2
MUS_H_LI 43xx	Music History Electives	18
MUS_I_VT 1610	Group Piano for Music Majors I	1
MUS_I_VT 1611	Group Piano for Music Majors II	1
MUS_I_VT 2610	Group Piano for Music Majors III	1
MUS_I_VT 2611	Group Piano for Music Majors IV	1

MUS_I_VT 2631	Basic Conducting and Score Reading	2
MUS_GENL 3085	Problems in Music	1
Total Credits		59-70

Semester Plan

Below is a sample plan of study, semester by semester. A student's actual plan may vary based on course choices where options are available.

First Year			
Fall	CR	Spring	CR
MUS_APMS 2455		2 MUS_APMS 2455	2
MUS_ENS 1841 or 1842		1 MUS_ENS 1841 or 1842	1
MUS_THRY 1220		2 MUS_THRY 1221	2
MUS_THRY 1230		2 MUS_THRY 1231	2
MUS_I_VT 1610		1 MUS_I_VT 1611	1
MUS_THRY 1210		2 MUS_H_LI 1322	2
MUS_GENL 1091 (Section 3)		0 MUS_GENL 1091	0
Non-Music Courses		3-6 Non-Music Courses	3-6
			13-16

Second Year			
Fall	CR	Spring	CR
MUS_APMS 2455		2 MUS_APMS 2455	2
MUS_ENS 1841 or 1842		1 MUS_ENS 1841 or 1842	1
MUS_THRY 2220		2 MUS_THRY 2221	2
MUS_THRY 2230		2 MUS_THRY 2231	2
MUS_I_VT 2610		1 MUS_I_VT 2611	1
MUS_H_LI 2307		2 MUS_I_VT 2631	2
MUS_GENL 1091		0 MUS_H_LI 2308	2
Non-Music Courses		3-6 MUS_GENL 1091	0
			Non-Music Courses
			3
			13-16

Third Year			
Fall	CR	Spring	CR
MUS_APMS 3455		2 MUS_APMS 3455	2
MUS_APMS 1435 or 2455 (Piano)		2 MUS_APMS 1435 or 2455 (Piano)	2
MUS_ENS 1841 or 1842		1 MUS_ENS 1841 or 1842	1
MUS_THRY 4224W		3 MUS_THRY 4220	2
MUS_H_LI 43xx Elective		3 MUS_H_LI 43xx Elective	3
MUS_GENL 1091		0 MUS_GENL 1091	0
Non-Music Courses and/or Elective		3-6 Non-Music Courses and/or Elective	3-6
			14-17

Fourth Year			
Fall	CR	Spring	CR
MUS_ENS 1841 or 1842		1 MUS_ENS 1841 or 1842	1
MUS_THRY 4226		2 MUS_H_LI 43xx Elective	3
MUS_H_LI 43xx Elective		3 MUS_H_LI 43xx Elective	3
MUS_H_LI 43xx Elective		3 MUS_GENL 3085 (Capstone)	1
MUS_GENL 1091		0 Non-Music Courses and/or Elective	4-6
Non-Music Courses and/or Elective		3-6	
			12-15

Total Credits: 105-125