Undergraduate Program Requirements

Music Program Requirements

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Music: Composition BA 15

45 credits required. Grade of "C" or better required in all major courses.

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Identify, analyze, and emulate compositional systems from different historical periods, with an emphasis on 20th- and 21st-century compositional techniques.
- Proficiently write for traditional acoustic instruments in a variety of ensemble settings.
- Create original music works and performance materials that meet basic professional standards within the field in regard to theoretical and technical fluency.
- Fluently read and write traditional musical notation.
- Assess musical performances and compositions according to specific theoretical, technical, and cultural standards.

Composition

Music Core		Courses:	9/9
Course	Title	Credits	Grade
If you place into Introduction to Music Theory, begin this sequence with your second semester.			
32-1110	Aural Skills I	2	С
32-1120	Theory I	2	С
32-1131	Keyboard I	2	С
32-2111	Aural Skills II	2	С
32-2121	Theory II	2	С
32-1132	Keyboard II	2	С
32-2122	Theory III	3	С
32-2611	Music, Time, and Place I	3	С
32-2612	Music, Time, and Place II	3	С
CompositionConcentration		Courses:	4/4
Course	Title	Credits	Grade
32-3216	Baroque Counterpoint	3	С
32-2251	Orchestration I	3	С
32-2212	Composition II	3	С
32-3211	Composition III	3	С
Private Lessons		Courses:	5/5
Course	Title	Credits	Grade

Composition students have specific private lesson requirements. Please take the following courses after you complete Theory I and Aural Skills I: 32-2211 Composition I: The Composer in the Modern World 3 C 32-2910 **Notation and Recording Lab** 1 C Two semesters of secondary piano lessons required. 32-1772 C **Secondary Lessons** 1 32-1772 **Secondary Lessons** In addition to the 2 required semesters of secondary piano lessons, you are required to take one primary lesson of your choice. 32-*771 C 4/4 **Ensembles** Courses: Course Title Credits Grade 4 credits (4 semesters) of ensemble are required. 32-*890**** C **Recital Attendance** Courses: 8/8 Title Credits Grade Recital Attendance (32-1000) is required for each semester you are enrolled as a music major. 32-1000**** Ρ

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