

COLLEGE OF ARTS, HUMANITIES, & SOCIAL SCIENCES

MAJOR: MUSIC - Piano

ACADEMIC YEAR: 2013-2014

DEGREE TYPE: BMUS

REQUIRED DEGREE CREDITS TO GRADUATE: 126

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS – 40 CREDITS

Lower Division Requirements – 37 Credits

First Year Experience (F) - 1 Credit

UNIV	189	Skills for Academic Success	1 cr
Students transferring in 24 or more credits do not need to take UNIV 189.			

Communication (C) - 9 Credits

ENGL	110	College Composition I	3 cr
ENGL	120	College Composition II	3 cr
COMM	110	Fund of Public Speaking	3 cr

Quantitative Reasoning (R) - 3 Credits

Select from current general education courses www.ndsu.edu/registrar/gened/

Science & Technology (S) - 10 Credits

A one-credit lab must be taken as a co-requisite with a general education science/technology course unless the course includes an embedded lab experience equivalent to a one-credit course. Select from current general education courses www.ndsu.edu/registrar/gened/

Humanities & Fine Arts (A) - 6 Credits

MUSC	103	Introduction to Music History	3 cr
Select from current general education courses www.ndsu.edu/registrar/gened/			

Social & Behavioral Sciences (B) - 6 Credits

Select from current general education courses www.ndsu.edu/registrar/gened/

Wellness (W) - 2 Credits

Select from current general education courses www.ndsu.edu/registrar/gened/

Cultural Diversity (D)

Select from current general education courses www.ndsu.edu/registrar/gened/

Global Perspectives (G)

Select from current general education courses www.ndsu.edu/registrar/gened/

Upper Division Requirements - Writing – 3 Credits

ENGL	358 or	Writing in Humanities & Social Stds	3 cr
	322	Creative Writing I	

Degree Requirements and Notes:

- Music majors may not declare a music minor.
- A grade of 'C' or better is required in all MUSC prefix courses.

AH&SS COLLEGE REQUIREMENT - 12 CREDITS REQUIRED

Courses used to satisfy any general education requirement cannot be used toward AH&SS College Requirements. A minimum of three credits is required in each of the FOUR following areas for a total of 12 credits. Choose only those courses with the prefixes listed for each area. A course with the WGS prefix can only be used in one area.

Area One: Humanities - 3 Credits

ARB, ENGL, FREN, GERM, HIST, HUM, PHIL, RELS, SPAN, or WGS

Area Two: Social Sciences – 3 Credits

ANTH, CJ, COMM, EMGT, POLS, SOC or WGS

Area Three: Fine Arts – 3 Credits

ART, MUSC or THEA

Area Four: Outside Student's Major Area- 3 Credits

Three credits from Area 1, 2 or 3 that is outside the student's major area (i.e. If your major is COMM, the course to fulfill this area cannot be ANTH, CJ, EMGT, POLS, or SOC)

MUSIC REQUIREMENTS - 35 CREDITS

(includes MUSC 103)

Students must complete all MUSC courses with a grade of 'C' or better

MUSC	130	Theory & Analysis I	3 cr
MUSC	131	Theory & Analysis II	3 cr
MUSC	132	Ear Training & Sight Singing I	1 cr
MUSC	133	Ear Training & Sight Singing II	1 cr
MUSC	230	Theory & Analysis III	3 cr
MUSC	231	Theory & Analysis IV	3 cr
MUSC	232	Ear Training & Sight Singing III	1 cr
MUSC	233	Ear Training & Sight Singing IV	1 cr
MUSC	250	Basic Conducting	2 cr
MUSC	340	Music History I	3 cr
MUSC	341	Music History II	3 cr
MUSC	411	Form and Analysis	3 cr
MUSC	431	Contemporary Harmonic Techniques	3 cr
MUSC	380 or	Recital	2 cr
	480		

APPLIED MUSIC - 25 CREDITS

Select from MUSC 165, 173, 265, 273, 365, 373, 465, and 473.

PIANO TRACK – 20 CREDITS

MUSC	443	Keyboard Literature	3 cr
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Additional Literature - 2 Credits

MUSC	344	Band Lit	2 cr
MUSC	346	Survey/Vocal Lit	2 cr
MUSC	441	Symphonic Lit	2 cr
MUSC	442	Opera Lit	2 cr

Pedagogy - 4 Credits

MUSC	423	Piano Pedagogy I	2 cr
MUSC	424	Piano Pedagogy II	2 cr

Jazz Studies - 4 Credits

Choose from MUSC 311, 322, 358, and 364

Major Ensemble - 8 Credits

Choose from MUSC 111, 112, 115, 116, 117, 303, or 306.

Minor Ensembles - 4 Credits

Choose from MUSC 215, 311-322.

Performance Attendance - Must enroll for five semesters.

MUSC	180	Performance Attendance	
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