INSTRUMENTAL JAZZ STUDIES

Bachelor of Arts - Music; Track: Specialization Instrumental Jazz Studies

College of Visual & Perf Arts

Degree Specific Credits: 50

Required Cumulative GPA: 2.75

Catalog Year: 2017-2018

Note: 51 credits of non-Music major courses (36 credits Must be in the College of Arts and Sciences) 1

General Education Requirements

Information regarding these requirements can be found in the General Education Section (http://catalog.umt.edu/academics/general-education-requirements) of the catalog.

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Total Hours 110-128

1st year

Rule: All courses required

Note: 1st year requirements MUSI 195 1 credit each semester for a total of 2 credits first year.

MUSI 105 Music Theory I 2
MUSI 106 Music Theory II 2

2nd year

Rule: All courses required

Note: 2nd year requirements: MUSI 295 1 credit each semester for a total of 2 credits second year. MUSI 296 Upper-Division Required Performance must be completed before moving on to upper division classes.

MUSI 205 Music Theory III 2
MUSI 206 Music Theory IV 2
MUSI 240 Aural Perception III 2
MUSI 241 Aural Perception IV 2
MUSI 295 Applied Study II (one credit each semester) 2
MUSI 301H Music History I 3
MUSI 302H Music History II 3
Total Hours 16

Minimum Required Grade: C-

3rd year

Rule: All courses required

Note: 3rd year requirements MUSI 395 1 credit Fall semester. MUSI 420 or MUSI 470 for a total of 3 credits.

MUSI 225 Jazz Theory & Improvisation I 2
MUSI 226 Jazz Theory & Improvisation II 2
MUSI 395 Applied Study III (one credit Fall semester) 1
MUSI 420 Jazz Pedagogy 3
or MUSI 470 Jazz Arranging & Composition

Total Hours 8

Minimum Required Grade: C-

4th year

Rule: All courses required

Note: 4th year requirements: MUSI 420 or MUSI 470 for a total of 3 credits. MUSI 499 2 credits.

All students majoring in music are required to attend in a minimum of 100 approved recitals/concerts prior to graduation. During the 4th year in an undergraduate degree program and upon completion of this requirement, students should register for MUSI 388, 0 cr.

MUSI 388 Concert Attendance UM 0
MUSI 420 Jazz Pedagogy 3
Instrumental Jazz Studies

or MUSI 470 Jazz Arranging & Composition
MUSI 491 Special / Experimental Courses 1-9
MUSI 499 Senior Recital/Capstone Pjt 2

Total Hours 6-14

Minimum Required Grade: C-

BA Requirement Liberal Studies

Rule: All courses required
GH 151L Introduction to Western Humanities 3
Antiquity
GH 152L Introduction to the Humanities Medieval to 3
Modern

Total Hours 6

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Lower Division Writing Expectation

Rule: All courses required
MUSI 302H Music History II 3

Total Hours 3

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Ensemble Requirements 1st and 2nd year

Rule: one course each semester

Note: All majors seeking an undergraduate degree in music and who are registered for 5 or more credits must participate in an ensemble specified by their degree curriculum each semester of residence of the regular school year. (See specific curricula for maximum ensemble credits applicable toward minimum degree requirements.)

Majors whose principal performance area is wind/percussion must register for:

Select one of the following sections:
Section 1, Symphonic Wind Ensemble:
MUSI 114A Band: UM Concert Band
Section 2, University Concert Band:
MUSI 114A Band: UM Concert Band
Section 1, University Orchestra, if designated by the Director, every semester:
MUSI 108A Orchestra: UMSO

Total Hours 1

String majors must register for:

• MUSI 308 section 1, University Orchestra, every semester

Ensemble requirements for piano and organ are listed separately for each curriculum.

MUSI 308 Orchestras II: UM 1
MUSI 314 Band III: UM Concert Band 1
MUSI 362 Chmbr Ens III: UM 1

Total Hours 3

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Music General Requirement for Writing

Rule: All courses required

Note: Group I: English Writing Skills - WRIT 101

WRIT 101 College Writing I 3

Total Hours 3

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Upper Division Writing Expectation

Rule: All courses required
In the Instrumental Jazz Studies track, students must complete a minimum of 6 hours, as follows:

- **MUSI 416** Topics in Music History 3
- **MUSI 417** Cultural Studies in Music 3

Minimum Required Grade: C-

**Total Hours**: 6

**Note**: Upper-Division Writing Expectation (MUSI 416, MUSI 417-Jazz Topics Course)

### Music Requirements for Mathematics

**Rule**: All courses required

**Note**: Group II: Mathematics - M Course 100 or above for 3 credits

Minimum Required Grade: C-

**3 Total Credits Required**

### Music Requirements for Modern & Classical Languages

**Rule**: Must complete 2 years of a foreign language

Minimum Required Grade: C-

**10 Total Credits Required**

### Music Requirements for Expressive Arts

**Rule**: All courses required

**Note**: Group IV: Expressive Arts - A Courses - (min. 3 credits) Ensembles and Sec. Lessons taken each semester satisfies this requirement.

Minimum Required Grade: C-

**3 Total Credits Required**

### Music Requirements for Literary & Artistic Studies

**Rule**: All courses required

**Note**: Group V: Literary and Artistic Studies - L Courses - (min. 3 credits) MUSI 130L taken in 1st year satisfies this requirement.

Minimum Required Grade: C-

**3 Total Credits Required**

### Music Requirements for Historic & Cultural Studies

**Rule**: All courses required

- **MUSI 301H** Music History I 3
- **MUSI 302H** Music History II 3

Minimum Required Grade: C-

**Total Hours**: 6

### Music Requirements for Social Sciences

**Rule**: All courses required

**Minimum Required Grade**: C-

**3 Total Credits Required**

### Music Requirements for Ethical and Human Values

**Rule**: All courses required

**Note**: Group VIII: Ethical and Human Values (min. of 3 credits)

Minimum Required Grade: C-

**3 Total Credits Required**

### Music Requirements for Indigenous & Global Perspectives

**Rule**: All courses required

**Note**: Group X: Indigenous and Global Perspectives - (min. 3 credits)

Minimum Required Grade: C-

**3 Total Credits Required**

### Music Requirements for Natural Sciences

**Rule**: All courses required

**Note**: Group XI: Natural Science (for this perspective, 6 credits required and at least one course Must include a lab experience)

Minimum Required Grade: C-

**6 Total Credits Required**

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