

MUSIC, MASTER OF ARTS (M.A.)

The Master of Arts Degree (Thesis or Non-Thesis Options in Musicology or Music Theory) requires a minimum of 30 credit hours, with a minimum of 12 credit hours in Major Studies. In addition, a grade of B- or better is required in all courses used to fulfill requirements for the degree. Students must write an oral defense of the Thesis (or research papers) must be passed; and a written comprehensive examination must be passed. Specific courses are required in each area of specialization.

M.A. in Musicology - Thesis or Non-thesis Option

Course	Title	Credits
Required courses:		
MUSC6xx	Seminars	6
MUSC646	Introduction to Musicology	3
MUSC677	Introduction to Ethnomusicology (Introduction to Ethnomusicology)	3
MUSC electives		12
Thesis or Non-Thesis Requirements		6
Thesis:		
MUSC799	Master's Thesis Research	
Non-Thesis:		
MUSC6xx	Seminar	
MUSC699	Selected Topics in Music (with advisor)	
Total Credits		30

M.A. in Music Theory - Thesis or Non-thesis Option

Course	Title	Credits
Required courses:		
MUSC651	The Theories of Heinrich Schenker	3
MUSC661	Theory and Analysis of Atonal and Twelve-Tone Music	3
MUSC675	Music Theory Pedagogy	3
MUSC674	Critical Concepts in Music Theory	3
MUSC4xx/6xx	Electives in Music Theory	6
MUSC646	Introduction to Musicology	3
Music History course		3
Thesis or Non Thesis Requirements		6
Thesis:		
MUSC799	Master's Thesis Research	
Non Thesis		
MUSC699	Selected Topics in Music (Independent Study)	
MUSC4xx/6xx	Elective in Music Theory	
Total Credits		30