

# **College of Liberal Arts**

Department of Music

**Bachelor of Arts in Music Industry Studies** 

### 1st Year

**ENGL 1301** 

**Fall Semester** 

Summer (Optional) **Fall Semester Spring Semester** 

MUSI 1301 MUSI 1324 MUSI 0131 MUSI 1254 MATH 1301 **COMS 1301** MUSI 2300 MATH 1308 **UNIV 1131** MUSI 2301

**HOURS 27** 

2nd Year

Summer (Optional) **Fall Semester Spring Semester** 

MUSI 1255 MUSI 3125 MUSI 3394 X3XX POLS 2311 MUSI 2254 PHYS 1300 MUSI 4390 X3XX X3XX POLS 2312 X3XX

**HOURS 32** 

3rd Year

**Spring Semester** Summer (Optional) MUSI X3XX MUSI 3323 MUSI 3126 MUSI 4326 MUSI 4325 **ACCT 2301 SOCI 1310** MUSI 4129 HIST 1301 MUSI 3320 MUSI 2255 MUSI 3396

**HOURS 31** 

4th Year

**Fall Semester Spring Semester** 

MUSI 4327 MUSI 4395 **ECON 2305 PSYC 1315** MUSI 3396 SCIE 13XX **BLAW 3311** X3XX **MARK 3321** HIST 1302

**TOTAL DEGREE HOURS 121** 

HOURS 30

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# **Beginning the Journey**

- Familiarize yourself with the Suggested Course Sequence and other items on the Student Resources page on the Music Department website.
- Focus on your core music courses, such as Theory and Jazz Theory, Recording Techniques, Private Lessons, and Commercial Ensembles.
- Meet with your advisor to make sure you are on track to begin pre-professional courses.

# Trailblazing the Path

- Work toward completing your Music Core and Academic Core classes and moving into classes specific to your major.
- Meet with your Area Coordinator to discuss Internship options.
- Meet with your advisor to declare your major.

- Enhance your music education experience by attending master classes, student and staff recitals, ensemble performances, and musical theater productions.
- Investigate one of the many Music Department honor societies and explore requirements for joining.
- Participate in various fundraising and outreach activities sponsored by music honor societies, even prior to joining.
- Join one of the music honor societies and fully participate in their activities and projects.
- Speak with your area coordinators about additional career related service opportunities.
- Contact the Center for Service Learning for volunteer opportunities.

- Apply to work for, and with, the Music Department event staff to gain an understanding of the behind-the-scenes work of providing music events.
- Seek out opportunities to provide music tutoring and private lessons in area schools. These are often posted in the music lobby hallway.
- Seek out opportunities to participate in community ensembles. These are often posted in the music lobby hallway.
- Take on a leadership role in one of the music honor societies.
- Enroll in an advanced theory class, or take elective lessons once required lessons are completed.
- Audition for a community-based scholarship.

<sup>\*</sup>You can ask your freshman advisor about what these requirements are



# **MAVERICK ADVANTAGE**

Be Bold. Be Ambitious. Set Yourself Apart.



#### **CAREER DEVELOPMENT**

- All Majors Job Fair
- Federal Work Study
- Internships
- Interviews
- MavMentors



#### **GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT**

- Global Grounds
- Global Mavericks Program
- International Week
- Language Exchange Program
- Study Abroad



#### LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

- Fraternity& Sorority Life
- Leadership Institute
- Leadership Minor
- Student Governance
- Student Organizations



#### **COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT**

- Alternative Break Trips
- Service Learning Courses
- Service Learning Showcase
- UTA Volunteers



### UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH

- Apply Classroom Knowledge Outside the Classroom
- Challenge Yourself
- Prepare for Graduate School
- Set Yourself Apart from Your Peers

## Meet with Career Services for interview skills and resume preparation.

• Attend the concerts and recitals of other music and

major as they work towards their senior year.

Continue to attend on-campus concerts and events as

you are able, and engage with current students in your

- Attend an alumni networking event.
- Attend professional association events.

**Destination Graduation** 

Complete your degree coursework.

Complete internship requirements.

Apply to graduate.

musical theater students.



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### What career options do I have with this major?

- Acoustics
- Adjudicator
- Arranger
- Artist management
- Artistic director
- Audio production
- Music business
- Music ed: teaching elementary through high school
- Music industries: producing and promoting own work and work of others
- Music therapist
- Owning and operating a music production and promotion business
- Performance: local and professional music groups/ choruses/ symphonies/ bands/ radio
- Recordings
- Road manager
- Session musician
- Teaching private lessons
- Television production assistant
- Working sound boards at events

#### **Workforce Skills**

- Creativity/Ingenuity: Synthesizes existing ideas and concepts in innovative and creative ways to develop new ways of thinking or working, and engages in divergent thinking and risk-taking.
- Leadership: Takes initiative, demonstrates effective decision making and informed risk-taking, and motivates and encourages participation from others to work toward a shared vision.
- Professionalism: Display effective work habits, high integrity, and ethical behavior. Possess the ability to demonstrate skills confidently and apply talents to achieve professional success.

### **Career Readiness**

- Ability to Hear and Recognize Tonal Structures
- Creativity
- Discerning Eye and Ear for Compositional Themes and Performance Quality
- Excellence in Their Chosen Instrument

- Highly Developed Motor Coordination
- Persistence and Harmonic Balance, Rhythm, and Tempo
- Poise and Self-Confidence
- Strong Foundations in Music Theory
- Working Harmoniously With Others

#### **Take Action**

- Explore workforce skill development through on and off-campus activities.
- Engage with the UTA Career Development Center at uta.edu/careers.
- Meet with a career consultant.
- Network with employers.
- Discover internships and co-ops.
- Apply for on-campus employment.

- Join Handshake, our career services platform.
- Participate in career development programs.
- In addition, music education majors are required to complete student teaching, Music Business, Audio Production; Music Industries Studies majors must complete internships; and all degrees except music industries must pass a Theory Proficiency Exam and participate in a Senior Recital.

Visit uta.edu/student-success/major\_maps for the latest version of this major map.

