

FOUNDATIONAL STUDIES COURSES (9 hours)

| | | <u>Hrs</u> | <u>Sem</u> | <u>Grade</u> |
|----------|--|------------|------------|--------------|
| MUSC 524 | Analytical Techniques ¹ | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| WRSP 510 | Biblical Foundations of Worship | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| WRSP 650 | Bibliography & Research in Music & Worship | 3 | _____ | _____ |

WORSHIP STUDIES COURSES (12 hours)

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| WRSP 501 | Principles of Worship & Ministry | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| WRSP 502 | A History of Worship Music | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| WRSP 520 | The Role of the Worship Leader | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| WRSP 540 | Current Issues in Worship | 3 | _____ | _____ |

CONDUCTING COGNATE (15 hours)

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| MUSC 560 | Ensemble Pedagogy | 1 | _____ | _____ |
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| MUSC 589 | Graduate Ensemble | 1 | _____ | _____ |
| WMUS 515 | Graduate Conducting for the Worship Leader ² | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| WMUS 516 | Advanced Graduate Conducting | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| WMUS 550 | Applied Music | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| WMUS 670 | Principles of Music & Worship Pedagogy | 3 | _____ | _____ |

RESEARCH STUDIES COURSE (3 hours)

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| WRSP 689 | Master's Thesis Proposal & Research ³ | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| WMUS 692 | Graduate Music & Worship Comprehensive Exam | | _____ | _____ |

Choose one of the following courses:

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| WMUS 687 | Music & Worship Ministry Project ⁴ | 0 | _____ | _____ |
| WMUS 691 | Worship Lecture Recital ^{4,5} | 0 | _____ | _____ |
| WRSP 690 | Thesis ⁴ | 0 | _____ | _____ |

TOTAL HOURS 39

Graduation Requirements

Complete 39 hours

A maximum of 50% of the program hours may be transferred if approved and allowable, including credit from an earned degree from Liberty University on the same academic level

3.0 GPA

No more than two grades of C may be applied to the degree (includes grades of C+ & C-)

No grade of D or below may be applied to the degree (includes grades of D+ & D-)

Degree must be completed within 5 years

Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

Offered in Resident Format

Revised: 05.01.2024

Notes

All applicable prerequisites must be met

¹Students must successfully complete the Graduate Music Theory Assessment or enroll in and successfully complete MUSC 522 as a prerequisite to MUSC 524.

²Students must successfully complete the Graduate Conducting Assessment or enroll in and successfully complete WMUS 514 as a prerequisite to WMUS 515.

³Any student who needs to enroll in WRSP 689 more than three times must seek School of Music Administration approval

⁴Any student who will not be able to complete and defend his/her thesis, ministry project or lecture recital in the course of a single semester may be required to repeat WRSP 689 Thesis Proposal and Research each semester until deemed ready for enrollment in WMUS 687, WMUS 691 or WRSP 690

⁵Recommended for students in the Conducting Concentration and the Commercial Music Performance Concentration

Suggested Course Sequence on second page

Effective: Catalog Term 2024-40

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

First Semester

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| MUSC 524 | 3 |
| WRSP 501 | 3 |
| Total | 6 |

Second Semester

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| MUSC 589 | 1 |
| WRSP 502 | 3 |
| WRSP 510 | <u>3</u> |
| Total | 7 |

Third Semester

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| WMUS 515 ¹ | 3 |
| WMUS 550 | 3 |
| MUSC 560 | <u>1</u> |
| Total | 7 |

Fourth Semester

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| MUSC 560 | 1 |
| WRSP 520 | 3 |
| WMUS 516 | <u>3</u> |
| Total | 7 |

Fifth Semester

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| WRSP 650 | 3 |
| WMUS 670 | <u>3</u> |
| Total | 6 |

Sixth Semester

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| WRSP 540 | 3 |
| WRSP 689 | 3 |
| WMUS 692 | 0 |
| Research Studies Elective ² | <u>0</u> |
| Total | 6 |

Notes

¹Intensive Format optional

²Choose from WMUS 687, 691, or WRSP 690