

# **Bachelor of Science in Commercial Music**

2021-2022 Degree Completion Plan

**Important:** This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2021 through summer 2022. This degree plan will remain in effect for students who do not break enrollment or who do not change degree programs, concentrations or cognates.

#### **FOUNDATIONAL SKILLS REQUIREMENTS (44-47 hours)** Course Sem Grade Communication & Information Literacy (13 hours)<sup>1</sup> **MAJOR** Composition & Rhetoric Core (52 hours) ENGL 101 **INQR 101** Inquiry 101 Music Theory Communications Elective 3 **CMUS 105** Comm. Music Theory & Harmonic Prac I 3 Information Literacy Elective 3 **CMUS 106** Comm. Music Theory & Harmonic Prac II 3 Information Literacy Elective **CMUS 107** Commercial Musicianship I **CMUS 108** Commercial Musicianship II Technological Solutions & Quantitative Reasoning (4-7 hours)<sup>1</sup> Music Courses **UNIV 101** Foundational Skills **CMUS 102** Survey of Music Technology Math Elective (MATH 114 or higher) MATH 3 **CMUS 213** Survey of Commercial Music Literature 3 Technology Competency<sup>2</sup> **CMUS 218** Commercial Music Production & Audio MUSC 312 Music History: Since 1750 Critical Thinking (8 hours)<sup>1</sup> **CMUS 315 Basic Conducting RLGN 105** Intr Bwvw/Contemp Moral Issues<sup>3</sup> **CMUS 329** Fundamentals of Sound Reinforcement 3 RSCH 201 Research 201 **CMUS 330** Commercial Music Tech. I: Notation Critical Thinking Elective **CMUS 334** Commercial Music Tech. II: Sequencing 3 **CMUS 360** Commercial Improvisation Techniques **CMUS 372** Entrepreneurship in Commercial Music Civic & Global Engagement (5 hours)<sup>1</sup> **EVAN 101** Evangelism & Christian Life<sup>3</sup> Community Cultural Studies Elective Seminar & Capstone **CMUS 436** Christian Music Ind Seminar: Songwriting 3 Social & Scientific Inquiry (6 hours)1 **CMUS 496** Commercial Music Project Natural Science Elective or CMUS 499 Commercial Music Apprenticeship<sup>4</sup> Social Science Elective Applied **CMUS 151** Commercial Applied Music I **CMUS 152** Commercial Applied Music II Christianity & Contexts (8 hours)<sup>1</sup> **BIBL 105** Old Testament Survey **CMUS 251** Commercial Applied Music III **BIBL** 110 New Testament Survey **CMUS 252** Commercial Applied Music IV **THEO 201** Theology Survey I3 Ensemble **THEO 202** Theology Survey II<sup>3</sup> **CMUS 193** Innovative Commercial Mus Ensemble I **CMUS 193** Innovative Commercial Mus Ensemble I **CMUS 493** Innovative Commercial Mus Ensemble II **CMUS 493** Innovative Commercial Mus Ensemble II 1 FREE ELECTIVES (21-24 hours) ADDITIONAL MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

Keyboard Proficiency Exam Date Completed: \_\_\_\_\_\_

Freshman Promotional Jury Date Completed: \_\_\_\_\_\_

Sophomore Performance Review Date Completed: \_\_\_\_\_\_

Attendance at 32 approved concerts and recitals Met: \_\_\_\_\_

### Graduation Requirements

- 120 Total Hours
- 2.0 Overall grade point average
- 30 Hours must be upper-level courses (300-400 level)
- Grade of 'C' Minimum required for all upper-level courses in the major
  - 25% Of major taken through Liberty University
    - 30 Hours must be completed through Liberty University

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

CSER All requirements must be satisfied before a degree will be awarded

#### Notes

All applicable prerequisites must be met

Refer to the list of approved general education electives at <a href="www.liberty.edu/gened">www.liberty.edu/gened</a> before enrolling in foundational skills requirements

All students must pass the Computer Assessment OR complete applicable INFT course; refer to <a href="www.liberty.edu/computerassessment">www.liberty.edu/computerassessment</a> for more information

<sup>3</sup>Students transferring in 45 or more UG credit hours will have the requirements of RLGN 105 & EVAN 101 waived; Students transferring in 60 or more UG credit hours will also have the requirements of THEO 201 & THEO 202 waived

<sup>4</sup>It is strongly recommended that Resident students enroll in CMUS 499.

Suggested Course Sequence on third page

# SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

## FRESHMAN YEAR

First Semester			Second Semester		
ENGL 101		3	INQR 101		1
UNIV 101		1	RLGN 105		2
Technology Competency <sup>1</sup>		0-3	Communications Elective <sup>1</sup>		3
CMUS 102		3	Information Literacy Elective <sup>1</sup>		3
CMUS 105		3	Math Elective <sup>1</sup>		3
CMUS 107		1	CMUS 106		3
CMUS 213		3	CMUS 108		1
CSER		<u>0</u>	CSER		0
	Total	14-17		Total	16
SOPHOMORE YEAR					
BIBL 105		2	BIBL 110		2
THEO 201		2	RSCH 201		3
Critical Thinking Elective <sup>1</sup>		3	THEO 202		2
Social Science Elective <sup>1</sup>		3	Natural Science Elective <sup>1</sup>		3
CMUS 151		1	CMUS 152		1
CMUS 193		1	CMUS 193		1
CMUS 218		3	CMUS 329		3
CSER		<u>0</u>	CSER		0
	Total	15		Total	15
JUNIOR YEAR					
CMUS 251		1	EVAN 101		2
CMUS 315		3	CMUS 252		1
CMUS 330		3	CMUS 334		3
CMUS 493		1	CMUS 360		3
MUSC 312		3	CMUS 493		1
Elective		3	Elective		3
CSER		<u>0</u>	Elective		3
	Total	14	CSER		0
				Total	16
SENIOR YEAR					
Cultural Studies Elective <sup>1</sup>		3	CMUS 372		3
Information Literacy Elective <sup>1</sup>		3	CMUS 496 or 499 <sup>2</sup>		3
CMUS 436		3	Elective		3
Elective		3	Elective		3
Elective		3	Elective		3
CSER		<u>0</u>	CSER		0
	Total	15		Total	15

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Notes

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