

Master of Arts in Music Education (M.A.)

Music Studies Concentration

2019-2020 Degree Completion Plan

THE GRADUATE SCHOOL

This program is a non-licensure program. Refer to www.liberty.edu/advisingguide

FOUNDATI	ONAL STUDIES IN MUSIC EDUCATION (9 hours)	Hrs	<u>Sem</u>	Grade
MUSC 510	Foundations of Music Education	3		
MUSC 524	Analytical Techniques ¹	3		
MUSC 531	Bibliography & Research	3		
MUSIC STUDIES CONCENTRATION (18 hours)				
ETHM 511	Introduction to Ethnomusicology	3		
MUSC 515	Graduate Conducting ²	3		
MUSC 525	Advanced Contemporary Arranging Techniques	3		
MUSC 630	Principles of Music Technology	3		
MUSC 650	Research in Music Education	3		
WRSP 510	Biblical Foundations of Worship	3		
MUSIC EDUCATION STUDIES COURSES (9 hours)				
MUSC 620	Music in America	3		
MUSC 640	History & Philosophy of Music Education in America	3		
MUSC 670	Principles of Curricula & Pedagogy for Music Education	3		
RESEARCH STUDIES COURSE (3 hours)				
MUSC 692	Graduate Music Comprehensive Exam		Pass	
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	f the following courses:			
	Music Education Curriculum Project ³	3		
MUSC 690		3		
MUSC 691	Lecture Performance Recital ^{3,4}	3		
	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

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 MUSC 514 as a prerequisite to MUSC 515.

³Any student who will not be able to complete and defend his/her thesis curriculum.

³Any student who will not be able to complete and defend his/her thesis, curriculum project or lecture recital in the course of a single semester may be required to take MUSC 689 Thesis Proposal and Research and repeat the course each semester until deemed ready for enrollment in MUSC 687, 690 or 691

⁴Offered in Resident format only

Suggested course sequence on second page

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SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE First Semester (Fall) Second Semester (Spring) MUSC 510 3 MUSC 531 3 3 MUSC 524 3 MUSC 620 Total 6 WRSP 510 <u>3</u> Total Fourth Semester (Fall) Third Semester (Summer) MUSC 5151 3 MUSC 525 3 MUSC 630 3 MUSC 650 3 MUSC 670 3 Total 6 Total Fifth Semester (Spring) Sixth Semester (Summer) <u>3</u> ETHM 511 3 Research Studies Elective² MUSC 640 3 Total **MUSC 692** 0 Total 6 **Notes** ¹Intensive optional ²Choose from MUSC 687, 690 or 691³

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