Bachelor of Musical Arts degree (B.M.A.)
with a General Music emphasis

Total of 31 course credits required for the B.M.A. degree

Name: __________________________________________
Date of Entry at DePauw: _________________________
Primary Instrument: ______________________________

Notes: __________________________________________

Piano Proficiency, date completed: ________________
W certification, date completed: ___________________
S certification, date completed: ____________________

I. MUSIC REQUIREMENTS (15 1/2 music credits required, plus ensemble requirements)

Theory and Musicianship Courses (4 1/2 credits required)

_____ MUS 113—THEORY I (1/2)
_____ MUS 123—MUSICIANSHIP I (1/2)
_____ MUS 114—THEORY II (1/2)
_____ MUS 124—MUSICIANSHIP II (1/2)
_____ MUS 213—THEORY III (1/2)
_____ MUS 223—MUSICIANSHIP III (1/2)
_____ MUS 214—THEORY IV (1/2) & MUS 224—MUSICIANSHP IV (1/2) or
MUS 384—JAZZ THEORY (1/2) & MUS 386—JAZZ IMPROVISATION (1/2)
_____ MUS 360—CONDUCTING I (1/2)

History and Literature Courses (3 1/2 credits required)

_____ MUS 130—UNDERSTANDING MUSIC (1)
_____ MUS 230—HISTORY OF WESTERN ART MUSIC (1)
_____ MUS 334—MUSIC FROM C. 1900 TO THE PRESENT (1/2)
_____ MUS 390—approved topics course in history/literature (1)

Music Education and Diction Courses (no courses required)

Other Required Music Courses (1 credit required)

_____ MUS 450—SENIOR SEMINAR (1)

Applied Music Courses (5 total credits required)

Note: Students are responsible for paying the appropriate applied music fees for courses taken beyond the 5 credits required for the degree.

A. Primary Instrument (4 credits)
(1/2 credit per semester)

B. Piano and/or Secondary Instrument (1 credit)
(1/4 credit per semester)
Elective Music Courses (1 1/2 credits required)
(Note: Additional ensemble credits, including MUS 289 courses, do not count as elective credit.)

Ensemble Courses (approximately 2 1/2 credits)
A. Major Ensemble (MUS 271, 273, 275, 277, 278)
   (Participation required during every semester in residence)

B. Chamber Ensemble (MUS 283, 284, 289)
   (A minimum of 2 semesters is required)

Recital Attendance (0 credit)
   (Participation required every semester in residence)

II. GENERAL UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

Note: A total of 11 courses in the College of Liberal Arts is required.

Required Courses (1 credit)
First-Year Seminar (1)

Liberal Arts Elective Courses (10 credits required)
Note: Goals and objectives for the liberal arts curriculum must be articulated in writing and approved by the Dean of the School of Music. Four courses must constitute a discrete competence. Three courses must be at the 300-400 level. No more than ten courses may be taken in any one department of the College of Liberal Arts.
III. FREE ELECTIVES — Music OR liberal arts (4½ credits required)
(Note: Additional ensemble credits, including MUS 289 courses, do not count as elective credit.)

IV. EXTENDED STUDIES EXPERIENCE (2 required; 1 must be a Winter Term or May Term)

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