BACHELOR OF MUSIC WITH ELECTIVE STUDIES

Wells School of Music

Curriculum

The B.M. with Elective Studies is a general degree in music that includes performance through lessons and ensembles, core academic background in music theory, history, aural skills, conducting and piano proficiency, along with WCU’s robust general education program.

Additionally, students in this program earn the equivalent of a minor in a field of their choice selected from all WCU offerings, determined in consultation with academic advisors in the Wells School of Music and the department that houses the minor program.

### Code | Title | Credits
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**General Education Requirements**

(1) [http://catalog.wcupa.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/](http://catalog.wcupa.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/) 1

**First Year Experience**

- 4

**Academic Foundations**

- 6

**Interdisciplinary requirement**

- 3

- MHL 212 Music History III 3

**Diverse Communities requirement**

- 3

- CLS 165 Introduction to World Literature 2

- or CLS 260 World Literature I

**Distributive Requirements**

- 6

**Science requirement**

- 6

**Behavioral & Social Science requirement**

- 6

**Humanities requirement**

- 6

- CLS 165 Introduction to World Literature 2

- or CLS 260 World Literature I

- LNC 110 Global Human Rights in Cultural Production 2

**Arts requirement**

- 3

- MHL 210 Music History I 3

**Additional Baccalaureate Requirements**

**Writing Emphasis requirement**

- 9

- CLS 165 Introduction to World Literature 2

- or CLS 260 World Literature I

**Speaking Emphasis requirement**

- 9

- MHL 211 Music History II 3

**Ethics requirement**

- 3

- LNC 110 Global Human Rights in Cultural Production 2

**Required Music Theory and Musicianship Courses**

- 3

- MTC 112 Theory of Music I 3

- MTC 114 Aural Activities I 3

- MTC 113 Theory of Music II 3

- MTC 115 Aural Activities II 3

- MTC 212 Theory of Music III

- MTC 214 Aural Activities III

- MTC 213 Theory of Music IV

- MTC 215 Aural Activities IV

**Required Music History Courses**

- 3

- MHL 210 Music History I 3

- MHL 211 Music History II 3

- MHL 212 Music History III

**Major Lessons**

- 10.5

- INM 111 Applied Lesson

- or VOK 111 Applied Lesson

- INM 112 Applied Lesson

- or VOK 112 Applied Lesson

- INM 211 Applied Lesson

- or VOK 211 Applied Lesson

- INM 212 Applied Lesson

- or VOK 212 Applied Lesson

- INM 311 Applied Lesson

- or VOK 311 Applied Lesson

- INM 312 Applied Lesson

- or VOK 312 Applied Lesson

- INM 411 Applied Lesson

- or VOK 411 Applied Lesson

**Conducting**

- 2

- VOC 311 Choral Conducting I

- or AIC 311 Instrumental Conducting I

**Recital Attendance**

- 4

**Major Ensembles**

- 4

Select 4 credits from the following:

- CHO 211 Men’s Chorus

- CHO 212 Women’s Chorus

- CHO 311 Mastersingers

- CHO 312 Cantari Donne

- CHO 412 Concert Choir

- AEB 311 Marching Band

- AEB 321 Concert Band

- AEB 331 Wind Symphony

- AEB 341 Wind Ensemble

- AEO 341 Symphony Orchestra

- AES 131 String Ensemble 2

**The Outside Field**

- 18

- These courses are taken under advisement of the outside field department chairperson. (In most cases, the curriculum for a minor will be used to determine the course work for the outside field.)

**Piano**

- 0.5

- PIA 191 Piano Class (Minor)

- PIA 192 Piano Class (Minor)

- PIA 291 Piano Class

- PIA 292 Piano Class

**Music Electives**

- 3

- Music electives selected under advisement.

**Free Electives**

- 6

- Selected under advisement. Courses can be chosen from music or outside field.

**Capstone Requirement**

- 1.5

- INM 412 Applied Lesson

- or VOK 412 Applied Lesson

**Total Minimum Credits Required**

- 120

1. Total number of credits varies depending on how general education requirements are satisfied. Students are advised to take general education courses that satisfy multiple distributive requirements.

2. This course is recommended to fulfill this requirement.

3. Minimum grade of C- is required

4. 8 semesters required, repeatable.
5. Guitar ensemble, guitar only.
6. May complete via competency exam.
7. This course fulfills the general education Capstone requirement.

Sample Course Plan

To track their individual degree progress, students are advised to access their Degree Progress Report (DPR) via myWCU regularly. For more information, visit wcupa.edu/DegreeProgressReport (http://wcupa.edu/degreeprogressreport/).

The following is a sample suggested course sequence for this program; course offerings and availability are not guaranteed. Students should consult their academic advisor with any questions.

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VOK 212  |
Major Ensemble                                      | 0.5     |
Outside Field Course                                | 3       |
Recital Attendance                                   |         |

**Year Three**

| Semester Five                                      |
| MHL 212  | Music History III            | 3       |
| INM 311  | Applied Lesson or Applied Lesson | 1.5   |
| VOK 311  |                             |         |

VOC 311  | Choral Conducting I or Instrumental Conducting I | 2    |
AIC 311  |
Major Ensemble                                      | 0.5     |
Outside Field Course                                | 3       |
Gen Ed Course                                       | 3       |
Gen Ed Course                                       | 3       |
Recital Attendance                                   |         |

**Credits**                                           **16**

**Year Four**

| Semester Seven                                     |
| INM 411  | Applied Lesson or Applied Lesson | 1.5   |
| VOK 411  |                             |         |

INM 412  | Applied Lesson or Applied Lesson | 1.5   |
VOK 412  |
Major Ensemble                                      | 0.5     |
Outside Field Course                                | 3       |
Gen Ed Course                                       | 3       |
Gen Ed Course                                       | 3       |
Free Elective                                       | 3       |

**Credits**                                           **17**

**Year Five**

| Semester Eight                                     |
| INM 412  | Applied Lesson or Applied Lesson | 1.5   |
| VOK 412  |                             |         |

INM 413  | Applied Lesson or Applied Lesson | 1.5   |
VOK 413  |
Major Ensemble                                      | 0.5     |
Outside Field Course                                | 3       |
Gen Ed Course                                       | 3       |
Gen Ed Course                                       | 3       |
Free Elective                                       | 3       |

**Credits**                                           **14**

**Total Credits**                                    **120**

1. Grade of C- or higher required.