

## **MUSIC Curriculum Changes**

### **April 18, 2018**

We are bringing all Bachelor of Music and Bachelor of Music Education degrees under the Bachelor of Music heading, and adding concentrations in Performance, Composition, Music Education–Choral, and Music Education–Instrumental, to comply with new production guidelines issued by the Commission on Higher Education.

#### **NEW DEGREE NOMENCLATURE:**

BM–MUSC (Performance)

BM–MUSC (Composition)

BM–MUSC (Music Education–Choral)

BM–MUSC (Music Education–Instrumental)

We are bringing all Master of Music and Master of Music Education degrees under the Master of Music heading, and adding concentrations in Performance, Conducting, and Music Education to comply with new production guidelines issued by the Commission on Higher Education. Minor changes were also made to clarify requirements in the music electives section.

#### **NEW DEGREE NOMENCLATURE:**

MM–MUSC (Performance)

MM–MUSC (Conducting)

MM–MUSC (Music Education)

## Winthrop University Curriculum Application System

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Subject/Course Number=MUSA180

Action=Modify Course

Status=Pending

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### *Existing Course Details*

**Designator/ Number:** MUSA180X **Version No:** 1

**Department:** MUSC

**College:** VPA

**Catalog Title:** Piano Class for Musical Theatre

**Transcript Title:** Piano Class for Musical Theatr

**Catalog Description:** A beginning piano class for musical theatre majors.

**Goals for the Course:** Students will be able to demonstrate knowledge of basic musical concepts (e.g., note values, rhythms, note reading, key signatures, etc.), basic knowledge of applying notes to the keyboard, and ability to play vocal parts on the keyboard utilizing the musical score.

**Teaching Method:** Lecture

**Credit Hours:** 1.000

**Lecture Hours:** 2.000

**Lab Hours:** 0.000

**Grade Basis:** Regular

**Exam:** Yes

**Effective Term:** 201710

**Ending Term:** 201710

**Terms Offered:** Spring

**How many times may a student receive credit for this course?** 1

**Is Teacher Ed committee approval required for this course action?** No

**Is General Ed committee approval required for this course action?** No

**Is course required for a degree/program?** Yes

**Methods of Evaluation(e.g projects, oral reports, portfolio etc.):** Exams, playing projects.

**Additional** N/A

**requirements or assignments, if course may be taken for graduate credit.**

**Cross Listing:**

**Prerequisite:**

**Corequisite:**

**List designator  
and no. of courses  
covering same/similar  
content.**

**Notes for Catalog:**

**Justification for Course Action:** To provide a beginning piano course for musical theatre that covers topics appropriate to their major.

**Effect of course on other programs, curricula or enrollment** N/A

**Library Resources Required?** No

**Library Details**

**Assessment Support  
for course action**

### ***New Course Details***

**Designator/ Number:** MUSA180 **Version No:** 2

**Department:** MUSC

**College:** VPA

**Catalog Title:** Piano Class for Musical Theatre

**Transcript Title:** Piano Class for Musical Theatre

**Catalog Description:** A continuation of the MUSA-179 piano class for musical theatre majors.

**Goals for the Course:** Students will be able to demonstrate knowledge of basic musical concepts (e.g., note values, rhythms, note reading, key signatures, etc.), basic knowledge of applying notes to the keyboard, and ability to play vocal parts on the keyboard utilizing the musical score.

**Teaching Method:** Lecture

**Credit Hours:** 1.000

**Lecture Hours:** 2.000

**Lab Hours:** 0.000

**Grade Basis:** Regular

**Exam:** Yes

**Effective Term:** 201880

**Ending Term:**

**Terms Offered:** Spring, Fall

**How many times may a student receive credit for this course?** 1

**Is Teacher Ed committee approval required for this course action?** No

**Is General Ed committee approval required for this course action?** No

**Is course required for a degree/program?** Yes

**Methods of Evaluation(e.g projects, oral reports, portfolio etc.):** Exams, playing projects.

**Additional requirements or assignments, if course may be taken for graduate credit.** N/A

**Cross Listing:**

**Prerequisite:** Permission of the chair.

**Corequisite:**

**List designator and no. of courses covering same/similar content.**

**Notes for Catalog:**

**Justification for Course Action:** Moving the course from 180X to a regular course.

**Effect of course on other programs, curricula or enrollment**

N/A

**Library Resources Required?** No

**Library Details**

**Assessment Support for course action** This course is required for theatre and dance majors in the musical theatre concentration. Their needs in a piano course are very different than the needs of music majors. We establish the 180X course for that purpose and it has been very successful.

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## ***Approval Details***

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