Augustana College

MUSIC COMPOSITION

Courses required for the first year:

- MUSC 110 Music Theory Rudiments (fall term may test out of based on theory placement exam)
- MUSC 111 & 112/112L Musicianship
- MULS 100 Applied Lessons on primary instrument/voice
- MULS 100 Piano Lessons (experienced players) **OR** MUSC 121 & 122 Class Piano (beginners)
- MULS 100 Composition Lessons
- MUEN 1XX Major Ensemble usually for no credit (NC)

Courses recommended for the first year:

MUSC 116 Composer Lab

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The Major in Music Composition

Required Courses in Music

| Course Number | Course Name | Learning Perspective | Prerequisites | Credits |
|------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|---------|
| MUSC 110 | Music Theory Rudiments | • | theory placement exam | 1 |
| MUSC 111 | Musicianship I | PA | | 4 |
| MUSC 112 | Musicianship II | | MUSC 111 | 4 |
| MUSC 112L | Musicianship II Lab | | | 0 |
| MUSC 211 | Musicianship III | | MUSC 112 | 4 |
| MUSC 211L | Musicianship III Lab | | | 0 |
| MUSC 212 | Musicianship IV | | MUSC 211 | 4 |
| MUSC 212L | Musicianship IV Lab | | | 0 |
| MUSC 300 | World Music | PS, G | | 4 |
| MUSC 311 | Music Styles & Literature I | PP | | 4 |
| MUSC 312 | Music Styles & Literature II | PP | | 4 |
| MUSC 116 | Composer Lab | | | 2 |
| MUSC 320 | Instrumentation and Orchestration | | | 2 |
| MUSC 330 | New Music Seminar | | | 2 |
| MUSC 360 | Conducting I | | | 4 |
| MUSC 490 | Senior Recital | | | 1 |
| MUSC 450 | Senior Inquiry Seminar | SI | | 2 |
| MUSC 451 | Senior Inquiry | SI | | 1 |

Applied Music Lessons & Ensemble Requirements

- Applied Composition Lessons MULS 100/200/300/400 (12 credits)
- Minor Applied Vocal or Instrumental Lessons MULS 100/200/300/400 (5 credits)
- Applied Electronic Music Lessons MULS 100/200/300/400 (1 credit)
- Class Piano MUSC 121, 122, 221, 222 (4 credits total) or Applied Piano MULS-100-PN (minimum 2 terms and proficiency)
- Ensembles composition majors are required to enroll in 8 terms of ensembles for credit (CR) or participation (NC).
- Ensemble and applied lesson requirements are waived during foreign study or internships.

Non-Credit Proficiencies in Music

- MUSC 001 Piano Proficiency
- MUSC 002 Concert Attendance (96 required recitals & concerts)
- MUSC 003 Improvisation

The Minor in Music Composition

Required Courses in Music

| Course Number | Course Name | Learning Perspective | Prerequisites | Credits |
|------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|---------|
| MUSC 110 | Music Theory Rudiments | | theory placement exam | 1 |
| MUSC 111 | Musicianship I | PA | | 4 |
| MUSC 112 | Musicianship II | | MUSC 111 | 4 |
| MUSC 112L | Musicianship II Lab | | | 0 |
| MUSC 312 | Styles & Literature II | PP | | 4 |
| MUSC 116 | Composer Lab | | | 2 |
| MUSC 320 | Instrumentation and Orchestration | | | 2 |
| MUSC 330 | New Music Seminar | | | 2 |

Applied Music Lessons & Ensemble Requirements

- Applied Composition Lessons MULS 100/200/300/400 (6 credits total)
- **Ensembles** composition minors are required to enroll in 4 terms of ensembles for credit (CR) or participation (NC).

Non-Credit Proficiencies in Music

• MUSC 002 Concert Attendance (32 required recitals & concerts)

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