

## BACHELOR OF MUSIC IN JAZZ AND IMPROVISATION: SAMPLE FOUR-YEAR PLAN

### FIRST YEAR

FALL SEMESTER			SPRING SEMESTER		
COURSE		CREDITS	COURSE		CREDITS
ENGL110	Seminar in Composition	3	MATH Req	MATH113, 114, 115, 221, or 241	3
UB/ASB Req	Breadth Requirement 1/8	3	UB/ASB Req	Breadth Requirement 3/8	3
UB/ASB Req	Breadth Requirement 2/8	3	MUSC100	<del>Recital Attendance</del>	0
MUSC100	<del>Recital Attendance</del>	0	MUSC152	Private Study for Bachelor of Music II	2
MUSC151	Private Study for Bachelor of Music I	2	MUSC178	Jazz Harmony at the Keyboard	1
MUSC175	Class Piano: Elementary I	1	MUSC186	Aural Skills II	2
MUSC184	Music Fundamentals Theory and Fluency	0	MUSC195	Harmony I	3
MUSC185	Aural Skills I	3	Ensemble	Ensemble	1
MUSC477	Jazz Ensemble	1			
UNIV101	First Year Experience I	1			
<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>			<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>		
17			15		

### SECOND YEAR

FALL SEMESTER			SPRING SEMESTER		
COURSE		CREDITS	COURSE		CREDITS
FOR LANG	Foreign Language 1/2 (105-level)	4	FOR LANG	Foreign Language 1/2 (105-level)	4
MUSC100	<del>Recital Attendance</del>	0	MUSC100	<del>Recital Attendance</del>	0
MUSC211	Music, History, and Ideas	3	MUSC212	Narratives of Western Classical Music	3
MUSC251	Private Study for Bachelor of Music III	2	or		
MUSC285	Advanced Aural Skills I	2	MUSC Elec	Music Elective	3
MUSC293	Jazz Theory and Improvisation I	3	MUSC252	Private Study for Bachelor of Music IV	2
MUSC430	Chamber Ensemble	1	MUSC286	Advanced Aural Skills II	2
MUSC477	Jazz Ensemble	1	MUSC430	Chamber Ensemble	1
			MUSC477	Jazz Ensemble	1
			MUSC491	Global Improvisation	2
<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>			<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>		
16			15		

### THIRD YEAR

FALL SEMESTER			SPRING SEMESTER		
COURSE		CREDITS	COURSE		CREDITS
UB/ASB Req	Breadth Requirement 4/8	3	MUSC100	<del>Recital Attendance</del>	0
MUSC100	<del>Recital Attendance</del>	0	MUSC382	Private Study in Jazz and Improvisation II	3
MUSC296	Advanced Harmony II	2	MUSC411	Topics in Music History	3
MUSC213	Narratives of American Popular Music	3	or:		
or:			Music History Period Course (MUSC314, 315,316, 317)		
Music History Period Course (MUSC314, 315,316, 317)			3	MUSC430	Chamber Ensemble
MUSC381	Private Study in Jazz and Improvisation I	3	MUSC Elec	Music Elective	3
MUSC390	Jazz History and Analysis	3	General Elec	General Elective	3
MUSC430	Chamber Ensemble	1	MUSC391	Jazz Composition and Arranging	3
MUSC477	Jazz Ensemble	1			
<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>			<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>		
16			16		

### FOURTH YEAR

FALL SEMESTER			SPRING SEMESTER		
COURSE		CREDITS	COURSE		CREDITS
MUSC407	Contemporary Music Literature	3	MUSC401	Senior Recital	0
MUSC430	Chamber Ensemble	1	MUSC430	Chamber Ensemble	1
MUSC482	Private Study in Jazz and Improvisation III	4	MUSC483	Private Study in Jazz and Improvisation IV	4
MUSC Elec	Music Elective	3	MUSC477	Jazz Ensemble	1
General Elec	General Elective	3	General Elec	General Elective	3
or:			General Elec	General Elective	3
MUSC411	Topics in Music History	3	<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>		
MUSC492	Jazz Pedagogy	2	12		
<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>			<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>		
16			12		

**Total credits for the degree:**

123