BACHELOR OF MUSIC AND HONOURS BACHELOR OF SCIENCE WITH MAJOR

Music

The School of Music at the University of Ottawa is one of the country's leading music schools. It is the ideal place to nurture your passion for all things musical and to pursue the rigorous training needed for an active and successful career in the field. We maintain close ties with renowned institutions such as the National Arts Centre (NAC) and the Ottawa Symphony Orchestra. Our program boasts state-of-the-art music facilities and internationally recognized professors who perform around the globe and publish in leading academic journals. We are a full-service music school offering programs in performance, composition, music education, piano pedagogy, theory and musicology.

Although any of our programs can pave the way for a career in education, musicology, music journalism or arts administration, the Bachelor of Music (BMus) is designed specifically for students wishing to become career musicians. Admission to the BMus therefore requires that you audition on your main instrument and demonstrate an intermediate or advanced level. In addition, the University of Ottawa is one of the only institutions in the country to offer the possibility of combining the BMus program in performance with a major in science.

Science

This program lets you explore different scientific disciplines and thus acquire a broad background in all the sciences. If along the way you develop an interest in a particular field, you can transfer to the program in question.

This program is offered in English and in French.

Program Requirements

Do you love music and science? Would you like to develop your musical abilities to their full potential while doing advanced studies in the sciences? Now you can do so thanks to a new bachelor's program offered jointly by the University of Ottawa's faculties of Arts, Science and Engineering. Acquire in-depth knowledge and pursue rigorous training in music and science in this new program, the first of its kind in Canada!

The combined Bachelor of Music and Science program was created for students who would like to be able to work in either field and are interested in developing their skills in both disciplines. This five-year combined program leads to a degree in music (BMus) and in science (BSc) and opens the door to graduate studies. To be admitted to the program, students must be accepted into the Bachelor of Music, successfully complete an instrument or voice audition, demonstrating outstanding abilities, and meet the Bachelor of Science admission criteria.

Requirements for this program have been modified. Please consult the 2021-2022 calendars (http://catalogue.uottawa.ca/en/archives/) for the previous requirements.

Bachelor of Music (BMus) (90 units)

3 course units from: 3 Units
ENG 1100 Workshop in Essay Writing

	ENG 1120	Selected Topics in Literature and Composition	
	3 course unit	s in French as a second language (FLS) ¹	3 Units
	MUS 1031	Applied Music I: Performance BMUS/BSC ²	6 Units
	3 course unit	s from:	3 Units
	MUS 1191	Sight-Singing and Dictation I: General	
	MUS 1192	Sight-Singing and Dictation I: Intermediate	
	MUS 1193	Sight-Singing and Dictation I: Advanced	
	MUS 1194	Sight-Singing and Dictation I: Enriched	
	MUS 2031	BSC/Applied Music II: Performance BMUS/BSC ²	6 Units
	MUS 2306	Theory and Analysis I ³	3 Units
	MUS 2307	Theory and Analysis II	3 Units
	MUS 2331	Forms and Styles I: Middle Ages and Renaissance	3 Units
	MUS 2332	Forms and Styles II: Baroque and Early Classical	3 Units
	3 course unit	s from:	3 Units
	MUS 2191	Sight-Singing and Dictation II: General	
	MUS 2192	Sight-Singing and Dictation II: Intermediate	
	MUS 2193	Sight-Singing and Dictation II: Advanced	
	MUS 2194	Sight-Singing and Dictation II: Enriched	
	MUS 3031	Applied Music III: Performance BMUS/BSC ²	6 Units
	MUS 3306	Theory and Analysis III	3 Units
	MUS 3307	Theory and Analysis IV	3 Units
	MUS 3333	Forms and Styles III: Late Classical and Early Romantic	3 Units
	MUS 3334	Forms and Styles IV: Late Romantic and Early Modern	3 Units
	MUS 3335	Twentieth-Century Music	3 Units
	9 course unit	s from: ⁴	9 Units
	MUS 3901	Orchestra	
	MUS 3902	Wind Ensemble	
	MUS 3903	Opera Production	
	MUS 3904	Choral Ensemble	
	MUS 3905	Calixa-Lavallée Choir	
	MUS 3907	Guitar Ensemble	
	MUS 3908	Jazz Ensemble	
	MUS 3909	Brass Choir	
	MUS 3910	Brass Ensemble	
	MUS 3911	Woodwind Ensemble	
	MUS 3912	Baroque Ensemble	
	MUS 3913	Percussion Ensemble	
	MUS 3914	Contemporary Music Ensemble	
	MUS 3915	Mixed Ensemble	
	MUS 3916	Piano Ensemble	
	MUS 3917	Accompaniment	
	MUS 3918	Studio Accompanying	
	requirements	its according to the chosen profile : General, Composition, Music Education, ogy, Theory/Musicology	24 Units
	_	helor of Science with Major (BSc) (60 units)	

Total:	150 Units
leading to the Bachelor of Science ⁵	
60 course units from any already existing scie	ence major 60 Units

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All non-keyboard majors must submit to a proficiency exam at a Grade VI RCMT set by the School of Music at the end of the second year. This exam must be completed successfully by the end of the fifth year to obtain the BMus/BSc degree.

Courses are selected through tutorial consultation. The Department determines the order in which some courses must be taken and can impose any courses deemed necessary for the musical development of the student: these courses may be chosen in departments other than music.

Note(s)

1

An exemption for this requirement is given to students who obtain an equivalency for the language-proficiency test (FLS 3500) or who take a MUS course offered in French.

2

Student failing an applied music course (MUS 1031, MUS 2031, MUS 3031, MUS 4031, MUS 4033) will be asked by the department to withdraw from BMus/BSc.

3

A written test at the beginning of courses MUS 1191, MUS 1192, MUS 1193, MUS 1194 and MUS 2306 will determine placement in an additional weekly lab.

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Students may repeat the same course code more than once.

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For more details, check the calendars of the Faculty of Science or Engineering.

Profile Requirements

General Profile

3 course uni		
3 Course uni	ts from:	3 Units
MUS 430	1 Seminar I	
MUS 430	8 Topics in Counterpoint	
MUS 431	0 Selected Topics in Score Analysis	
MUS 431	1 Introduction to Schenkerian Analysis	
MUS 432	3 Survey of Music in Canada	
	4 Post-Tonal Music	
21 optional	course units in music (MUS) ^{7, 8}	21 Units
Total:		24 Units
Composition	Profile	
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MUS 3311	Compositional Techniques	3 Units
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MUS 3311	Compositional Techniques	
MUS 3311 MUS 3919	Compositional Techniques Composition I Composition II	3 Units
MUS 3311 MUS 3919 MUS 4018 12 course ur	Compositional Techniques Composition I Composition II	3 Units 6 Units
MUS 3311 MUS 3919 MUS 4018 12 course ur MUS 392	Compositional Techniques Composition I Composition II nits from:	3 Units 6 Units
MUS 3311 MUS 3919 MUS 4018 12 course ur MUS 392 MUS 430	Compositional Techniques Composition I Composition II nits from: 5 Orchestration	3 Units 6 Units

MUS 4374	Post-Tonal Music	
MUS 4912	Arranging	
Total:		24 Units
Music Educat	ion Drofile	
MUS 3110	Music Education I	3 Units
MUS 3110	Music Education II	3 Units
MUS 3360	Conducting I ⁶	3 Units
15 course uni		15 Units
	Instrumental Classes - Violin	15 01110
00 2500	Instrumental Classes - Clarinet	
	Music and Computers I	
	Instrumental Classes - Cello and Bass	
	Instrumental Classes - Guitar	
	Instrumental Classes - Flute and Saxophone	
	Instrumental Classes - Recorder	
MUS 3954	Instrumental Classes - Trumpet and French	
	Horn	
MUS 3956	Instrumental Classes - Percussion	
MUS 3970	Musical Approach for Young Students	
MUS 4110	Music Education III	
MUS 4302	Selected Topics in Music Education	
MUS 4360	Orchestral Conducting	
MUS 4952	Instrumental Classes - Oboe and Bassoon	
MUS 4954	Instrumental Classes - Trombone and Tuba	
MUS 4961	Choral Conducting	
PED 3102	Schooling and Society	
PSY 1101	Introduction to Psychology: Foundations	
PSY 1102	Introduction to Psychology: Applications	
PSY 2105	Child Development	
Total:		24 Units
Performance	Profile	
MUS 4031	Applied Music IV: Performance BMUS/BSC	6 Units
MUS 4033	Applied Music V: Performance BMUS/BSC	6 Units
12 course uni	''	12 Units
	Music Education I	12 01110
	Music Education II	
	Selected Topics in Music History	
	Music and Critical Thought	
	Popular Music in Society	
	Research in Music: Tools and Methods	
	Chamber Music I	
MUS 4158	Piano Pedagogy I	
	Piano Pedagogy II	
MUS 4301		
MUS 4310	Selected Topics in Score Analysis	
	Introduction to Schenkerian Analysis	
	Topics in Music Technology	
MUS 4374	Post-Tonal Music	
Total:		24 Units
MUS 4315 MUS 4374	Topics in Music Technology	

Piano Pedagogy Profile

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MUS 4158	Piano Pedagogy I	3 Units
MUS 4159	Piano Pedagogy II	3 Units
12 course ur	nits from:	12 Units
MUS 3110) Music Education I	
MUS 3111	I Music Education II	
MUS 3320) Keyboard Literature I	
MUS 3321	I Keyboard Literature II	
MUS 3970) Musical Approach for Young Students	
MUS 4110) Music Education III	
MUS 4302	2 Selected Topics in Music Education	
MUS 490	Studio Practicum for Pianists	
MUS 4924	1 Research Project I	
3 course uni	ts from:	3 Units
MUS 430	I Seminar I	
MUS 4308	3 Topics in Counterpoint	
MUS 4310) Selected Topics in Score Analysis	
MUS 4311	Introduction to Schenkerian Analysis	
MUS 4323	3 Survey of Music in Canada	
	1 Post-Tonal Music	
3 optional co	ourse units in music (MUS) ^{7, 8}	3 Units
Total:		24 Units
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3 course uni	ts from:	3 Units

То	tal:		24 Units
	MUS 4924	Research Project I	
	MUS 4912	Arranging	
	MUS 4374	Post-Tonal Music	
	MUS 4323	Survey of Music in Canada	
	MUS 4315	Topics in Music Technology	
	MUS 4311	Introduction to Schenkerian Analysis	
	MUS 4310	Selected Topics in Score Analysis	
	MUS 4308	Topics in Counterpoint	
	MUS 4301	Seminar I	
	MUS 4024	Research Project	
	MUS 3925	Orchestration	
	MUS 3338	Opera	
	MUS 3315	Music and Computers I	
	MUS 3301	Selected Topics in Music History	
	MUS 2324	Selected Topics in Musical Aesthetics and Criticism	
21	course uni	ts from:	21 Units
	MUS 4928	Advanced Research in Music: Tools and Methods	
	MUS 3328	Research in Music: Tools and Methods	
3 (course units	s from:	3 Units

Note(s)

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Students wishing to teach at the high-school level are strongly encouraged to register for an additional three-unit course in Conducting.

The course AMT 3105 can cont towards this requirement.

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A maximum of 3 course units from MUS 4371, MUS 4372, MUS 4391 and MUS 4392 can count towards this requirement.