School of Theatre & Music



COURSEWORK: The music minor requires 21 total credits in three categories

Courses taken in sequence		Courses with Prerequisites	Courses that can be taken at any time
First term MUS 101: Music Theory I MUS 103: Ear Training I MUS 170*: Keyboard Skills I *piano may be taken separately/in subsequent terms from theory and ear training.	Second Term MUS 102: Music Theory II MUS 104: Ear Training II MUS 171*: Keyboard Skills I	MUS 230: Music History I MUS 231: Music History II MUS 102/104 must be complete to take Music History. 230 must be completed before 231.	 3 credits of music electives any music academic elective OR 3 credits of ensemble may not include MUS 100, 107, or 156 you may take more than the minimum requirement, but additional courses do not override the music or history sequences

Examples of

Music Academic Electives	Music Ensembles	
113 Art Song	150 Vocal Jazz Ensemble	
114 Jazz History	151 Wind Ensemble/Symphonic Band	
115 Opera	152 Instrumental Ensembles/Chamber Music	
117 Music for Symphony Orchestra	153 University Choir	
118 American Popular Music	154 Chamber Choir	
119 Music for the Piano	155 Women's Choral Ensemble	
127 Latin American Music	157 University Orchestra	
	159 Jazz Ensemble	
	160 Small Jazz Ensemble/Combo	

TIMELINE: Usually 4 terms. If you have previous music experience or transfer credits, the timeline may be shorter. Did you take the AP Music Theory Exam? You may already have music credits! Ask our office about options.

ADMISSION: You can add the music minor to any UIC undergraduate degree. You can be admitted to the minor by:

- Passing the music theory diagnostic exam with the department OR
- Registering for MUS 107 and receiving an "A"

APPLY: Apply for the music minor online or read more at theatreandmusic.uic.edu