4-YEAR SUGGESTED COURSE SCHEDULE
MUSIC MAJOR (Commercial Music)
Simpson University

	FALL			SPRING		
	COURSE #	**COURSE TITLE**	**UNITS**	**COURSE #**	**COURSE TITLE**	**UNITS**
FRESHMAN	GATE 1000	Gateway to the Ascent	2	BIBL 1310	Literature of New Testament	3
	COMM 1260	Oral Communication	3	MUAP XXXX	Performance Ensemble	1
	CORE 2000	Engaging Faith & Society	3	MUSI 1630	Music Theory II	3
	MUAP XXXX	Performance Ensemble	1	MUSI 1730	Aural Skills II Lab	2
	MUSI 1620	Music Theory I	3	MUAP 17X4	Private Lesson	1
	MUSI 1720	Aural Skills I Lab	2	MUAP 200X	Studio Class	0
	MUAP 17X4	Private Lesson	0	MUAP 1751	Piano 2 (if needed)	(1)
	MUAP 200X	Studio Class	1	ENGL 1220	Principles of College Writing II	3
	MUAP 1741	Piano 1 (if needed)	(1)		Unrestricted/PHED Elective	1
	LEAD 2000	Service Seminar	0			
			15/16			**14/15**
SOPHOMORE	BIBL 1300	Literature of Old Testament	3	MATH 2300	Math for the Educated Citizen	3
	BIOL 2520	Intro to Biology + Lab	4	MUAP XXXX	Performance Ensemble	1
	HUMA 1450	World Civilization I (Trail #2)	3	MUAP 27X4	Private Lesson	1
	MUAP XXXX	Performance Ensemble	1	MUAP 200X	Studio Class	0
	MUAP 1820	Piano 3 (if needed)	(1)	MUAP 1840	Piano 4 / Proficiency	0
	MUAP 27X4	Private Lesson	1	Trail #1	Artistic Expression	3
	MUAP 200X	Studio Class	0	Trail #4	Science & Society	3
	Trail #3	Civic Engagement	3		Expedition Elective	3
					Unrestricted/PHED Elective	1
			15/16			**15**
JUNIOR	MUAP XXXX	Performance Ensemble	1	MUAP XXXX	Performance Ensemble	1
	MUAP XXXX	Chamber Ensemble	1	MUAP XXXX	Chamber Ensemble	1
	MUAP 37X4	Private Lesson	1	MUAP 37X4	Private Lesson	1
	MUAP 200X	Studio Class	0	MUAP 200X	Studio Class	0
	MUSI 3690	Music in World Cultures	3	MUSI XXXX	Selected Topics in Music	3
	MUSI 4400	Recording Techniques	3	MUSI 3620	Pop Theory & Songwriting	3
	MUSI 4620	Philosophy of Music & Worship	3	MUSI 3700	Music Technology	3
		Expedition Elective	3		Unrestricted Elective	3
			15			**15**
SENIOR	MUAP XXXX	Performance Ensemble	1	MUAP XXXX	Performance Ensemble	1
	MUAP 47X4	Private Lesson	1	MUAP 47X4	Private Lesson	1
	MUAP 200X	Studio Class	0	MUAP 200X	Studio Class	0
	MUSI 3640W	Music History I	3	MUSI 3650	Music History II	3
	MUSI 4500	Music Internship	2	MUAP 4490	Senior Project	3
		Unrestricted Electives (2x)	6	Trail #5	Outdoor Recreation	1
		Unrestricted Elective (if Piano 1-3 not needed)	(3)		Unrestricted Electives (2x)	6
			13/16			**15**

Note: Course offerings are subject to change. Please refer to the SU Catalog as the authoritative source for graduation requirements.

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