

## MUSIC PERFORMANCE (VOICE)

<p><b>Courses required for the first year:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• MUSC-110 Music Theory Rudiments (fall term - may test out of based on theory placement exam)</li> <li>• MUSC-111 &amp; MUSC-112/MUSC-112L Musicianship</li> <li>• MULS-301 Voice Lessons (Fall term only, new students should register for MULS-098 Voice Placement)</li> <li>• MULS-302 Piano Lessons (experienced players) <b>OR</b> MUSC-121 &amp; MUSC-122 Class Piano (beginners)</li> <li>• MUEN-3XX or MUSC-4XX Major Ensemble - usually for no credit (NC), see chart below for specific course numbers</li> </ul> <p>MUSC-103 Class Voice (fall term)</p>
<p><b>Courses recommended for the first year:</b> None</p>
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## The Major in Music Performance (Vocal)

### Required Courses

Course Number	Course Name	Learning Perspective/ Suffix	Prerequisites	Usually offered: F, J, SP, SU*	Credits
MUSC-110	Music Theory Rudiments		Theory Placement Exam	F	1
MUSC-111	Musicianship I	PA		F	4
MUSC-112	Musicianship II		MUSC-111	SP	4
MUSC-112L	Musicianship II Lab			SP	0
MUSC-211	Musicianship III		MUSC-112	F	4
MUSC-211L	Musicianship III Lab			F	0
MUSC-212	Musicianship IV		MUSC-211	SP	4
MUSC-212L	Musicianship IV Lab			SP	0
MUSC-300	World Music	PS, G		SP	4
MUSC-311	Music Styles & Literature I	PP		F	4
MUSC-312	Music Styles & Literature II	PP		SP	4
Choose 1: MUSC-315 MUSC-316 MUSC-317 MUSC-480 THEA-344	Styles & Literature Elective: Music in American History African-American Music	PA, D PA, D PA, D PP, D		Varies	4

	Jazz History and Analysis Seminar: Topics in Music Musical Theatre History				
MUSC-360	Conducting I			Varies	4
MUSC-323	Diction & Song Literature			Varies	2
MUSC-325	Vocal Pedagogy			Varies	2
MUSC-390	Junior Recital			Varies	1
MUSC-490	Senior Recital			Varies	1
MUSC-450	Senior Inquiry Seminar	SI		Varies	2
MUSC-451	Senior Inquiry	SI		Varies	1

### Applied Music Lessons & Ensemble Requirements

- **Applied Voice Lessons** MULS-301 (14 credits)
- **Class Piano** MUSC-121, MUSC-122, MUSC-221, MUSC-222 (4 credits total) or **Applied Piano** MULS-302 (minimum 2 terms and proficiency)
- **Ensembles** - vocal performance majors are required to enroll in 8 terms of ensembles for 0-1 credits, see chart below for specific course numbers
- *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
- Performance level requirements, evaluated in applied lessons (see department handbook)

### Music Lesson Course Numbers (MULS), taken for 1-4 credits

(1 credit = 30 minute weekly lesson, 2 credits = 60 minute weekly lesson, etc.)

<p><i>* Fall term only, new <b>piano and voice</b> students should register for:</i></p> <p>MULS-090 Voice Placement MULS-091 Piano Placement</p> <p><i>Following registration, students will be assigned a teacher and added to the appropriate section</i></p>	<p>* MULS-301 Voice * MULS-302 Piano MULS-303 Organ MULS-310 Flute MULS-311 Oboe MULS-312 Clarinet MULS-313 Saxophone MULS-314 Bassoon MULS-320 Trumpet MULS-321 Horn MULS-322 Trombone MULS-323 Euphonium MULS-324 Tuba</p>	<p>MULS-330 Percussion MULS-331 Drum Set MULS-332 Electric Bass MULS-333 Guitar MULS-334 Harp MULS-340 Violin MULS-341 Viola MULS-342 Cello MULS-343 Double Bass MULS-350 Composition MULS-351 Jazz Improvisation MULS-352 Free Improvisation MULS-353 Electronic Composition</p>
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**Music Ensemble Course Numbers (MUEN), taken for 0-1 credits**

<p><i>* Fall term only, new students should register for:</i></p> <p>MUEN-096 Choir Audition  MUEN-097 Band Audition  MUEN-098 Orchestra Audition  MUEN-099 Jazz Audition</p> <p><i>Following audition, students will be added to the appropriate ensemble</i></p>	<p><i>Ensembles that do not meet scholarship requirement:</i></p> <p>MUEN-110 Augustana Academic Chorus  MUEN-114 SMI Lab Ensemble  MUEN-201 Chamber Singers  MUEN-207 Opera</p>	<p><i>Ensembles that meet scholarship requirement:</i></p> <p>* MUEN-302 Augustana Concert Chorale  * MUEN-303 Augustana Concert Band  * MUEN-306 Jenny Lind Vocal Ensemble  * MUEN-400 Augustana Choir  * MUEN-404 Augustana Jazz Ensemble  * MUEN-408 Augustana Symphony Orchestra  * MUEN-409 Augustana Symphonic Band</p>
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\*Fall, J term, Spring, Summer; see [Academic Calendar](#) for specific dates  
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