

**THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN  
BUTLER SCHOOL OF MUSIC**

TYPICAL MINIMUM COURSE OF STUDY FOR THE  
MASTER OF MUSIC DEGREE

**MUSIC AND HUMAN LEARNING MAJOR**

Total Hours Required -- 30 (Thesis)

MAJOR

MUS 391, <u>Foundations in Music Education</u>	3 hours
MUS 384J, <u>Experimental Research in Music and Human Learning I</u>	3 hours
MUS 698, <u>Thesis</u>	6 hours
Six to ten hours chosen from the following:	
MUS 383L, <u>Research Seminar in Music and Human Learning</u>	
MUS 384J, <u>Advanced Studies in Music and Human Learning</u> (Topics: History and Philosophy, Music Learning and Behavior, Experimental Research in Music and Human Learning II, Music in Higher Education)	
MUS 392, <u>Psychology of Music</u>	
MUS 393, <u>Topics in Music and Human Learning</u>	6 - 10 hours
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TOTAL	18 - 22 hours

MINOR (SUPPORTING WORK)

MUS 398T, <u>Pedagogy of Music Theory</u> , or MUS 388T <u>Analytical Techniques</u>	3 hours
MUS 379K, <u>Conference Course in Music Literature</u> , or MUS 380, <u>Advanced Studies in the History and Culture of Music</u> , or MUS 387L, <u>Advanced Studies in Music Literature</u>	3 hours
Four semester hours chosen from other topics in music (not including music and human learning), such as music history, music theory, performance, and ensemble	4 hours
Up to three semester hours of upper-division or graduate level courses in performance or related fields outside of music.	0 - 3 hours
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TOTAL	10 - 13 hours

A comprehensive examination is required of all Master's degree candidates. The exam in Music and Human Learning will be held after the student completes 24 or more hours of coursework.

Approved by GSC: 5/4/88 Revised by GSC:  
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