ARTIST DIPLOMA: SOLO INSTRUMENTAL PERFORMANCE - GRADUATE CERTIFICATE

This graduate program is for pre-professionals who exhibit potential for a national and/or international performing career.

The program offers exceptionally gifted instrumentalists the opportunity to deepen their artistry, broaden their musical perspective, and refine their performance skills under the guidance of College of Music faculty. In addition, all Artist Diploma students have access to courses and career advising offered by the Entrepreneurship Center for Music. Students are provided both coaching and individualized instruction, with extensive opportunities for performance, in preparation for a performance career.

An earned baccalaureate degree and a successful audition are required for admission into this program.

Required Courses and Credits

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<td>Applied Instruction (Four semesters required, one-hour weekly lesson plus weekly studio class)</td>
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<td>TMUS 6956</td>
<td>Master's Thesis (Solo recital or two concerto performances)</td>
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<td>EMUS 5XX7</td>
<td>Conducted Ensemble (Two semesters required)</td>
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Category I: Requirements in Music

Category II: Other requirements in Music

Entrepreneurship (selected from the following) | 2
MUSIC 5918 Building Your Music Career
MUSIC 5908 Internship in Music Business
MUSIC 5988 The Entrepreneurial Artist
MUSIC 5978 Arts Administration & Management

Electives

Additional coursework in literature, pedagogy, entrepreneurship, musicology, ethnomusicology or music theory. | 2

Total Credit Hours | 22

1. Pianists not participating in a conducted ensemble are required two extra credits of chamber music and/or accompanying.
2. A maximum of two credits at the 4000-level may be used to fulfill certificate requirements.
3. Students who wish to take academic classes at the 5000-level or above will be required to pass the appropriate preliminary exam.