

Music Business: Commercial Music (53 credit hours)

The music business major prepares students for a career in one of several facets of the music business, including recording, marketing, artist promotion, management, and copyright law. This major requires completion of courses in music, music performance, music business, and business. Students must complete an internship in music business, tailoring an in-depth experience in the music industry to the abilities and needs of the students.

Core Requirements: (40 credit hours)

- MUSC 1010, Theory I, 3 credit hours
- MUSC 1020, Theory II, 3 credit hours
- MUSC 1030, Aural Comprehension I, 1 credit hour
- MUSC 1040, Aural Comprehension II, 1 credit hour
- MUSC 2210 Music, the Arts, and Culture, 3 credit hours
- MUBS 2010, Introduction to the Music Business, 3 credit hours
- MUBS 2020, Introduction to Music Publishing, 3 credit hours
- MUBS 3470, DIY for Musicians, 3 credit hours
- MUBS 4900, Recording Label Seminar, 4 credit hours
- MUPF 1050, Keyboard Class I, 2 credit hours
- MUPF 1060, Keyboard Class II, 2 credit hours
- MUPF, Applied Private Study (4 credit hours), 1-3 credit hours (may be repeated)
- MUPF, Ensemble participation (4 credit hours, 0-1 credit hours (may be repeated)
- BSNS 3320, Legal Aspects of the Music Business, 2 credit hours
- BSNS 3330, Music Marketing, 3 credit hours

Commercial Music TRACK: (13 credit hours)

- MUBS 3100, Artist Development, 2 credit hours
- MUBS 3380, Concert Booking and Promotion, 2 credit hours
- MUBS 3450, Live Sound Production, 2 credit hours
- MUBS 4800, Internship in Music Business, 1-3 credit hours
- MUBS elective 2 hours
- BSNS 4400, Social Media, 3 credit hours

Recording Production TRACK: (13 credit hours)

- MUBS 3210, Recording Techniques, 3 credit hours
- MUBS 3220, Mixing and Mastering, 2 credit hours
- MUBS 3370, Record Production, 2 credit hours
- MUBS 3450, Live Sound Production, 2 credit hours
- MUBS 4800, Internship in Music Business, 1-3 credit hours
- MUSC 4950, Senior Project, 3 credit hours

Songwriting TRACK: (13 credit hours)

- MUBS 2070, Songwriting, 2 credit hours
- MUBS 3100, Artist Development, 2 credit hours
- MUBS 3450, Live Sound Production, 2 credit hours
- MUBS 4500, Songwriter Showcase, 1 credit hour
- MUPF 2900 or 4900 6 hours, Composition, 1-3 credit hours

An English Minor or Writing Minor is recommended for students in the Songwriting Track

NOTE: All students must complete 120 total credit hours to graduate from Anderson University.

Proposed Course Sequence:

- Freshman: MUBS 2010, MUPF 1050, MUSC 1010, 1030, Ensemble, Lesson;
MUBS 2020, BSNS 2710, MUSC 1020, 1040, Ensemble, Lesson
- Sophomore: MUSC 2210, BSNS 3320, Ensemble, Lesson, Elective; MUBS 3100, Ensemble, Lesson, Elective
- Junior: BSNS 3330, Elective; Elective
- Senior: MUBS 4900, Elective; MUBS 4800, BSNS 3360

Music Business Commercial Suggested Course Sequence

SEMESTER 1		SEMESTER 2	
MUBS 2010	3 hours	MUBS 2020	3 Hours
MUPF 1XXX Ensemble	1 Hour	BSNS 2710	3 Hours
MUPF 2XXX Private Lesson	1 Hour	MUPF 1XXX Ensemble	1 Hour
MUSC 1010	3 Hours	MUPF 2XXX Private Lesson	1 Hour
MUSC 1030	1 Hour	MUSC 1020	3 Hours
MUPF 1050	2 hours	MUSC 1040	1 Hour
ENGL 1100/1110	3-4 Hours	ENGL 1120	3 Hours
LART 1050	1 Hour		

SEMESTER 3		SEMESTER 4	
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MUSC 2110	3 hours	MUBS 3100	2 Hours
BSNS 3320	2 hours	MUBS/MUED/MUPF/MUTR Elective	2 Hours
MUBS/MUED/MUPF/MUTR Elective	2 hours	MUPF 1XXX Ensemble	1 Hour
MUPF 1XXX Ensemble	1 Hour	MUPF 2XXX Private Lesson	1 Hour
MUPF 2XXX Private Lesson	1 Hour	Social & Behavioral Ways of Knowing	3 Hours
COMM 1000	3 Hours	Civic Ways of Knowing	3 Hours
BIBL 2000	3 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours

SEMESTER 5		SEMESTER 6	
BSNS 3330	3 Hours	MUBS/MUED/MUPF/MUTR Elective	2 Hours
MUBS/MUED/MUPF/MUTR Elective	2 Hours	Scientific Ways of Knowing	4 Hours
Foreign Language	4 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours
Writing Intensive	3 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours
Christian Ways of Knowing	3 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours
Personal Wellness	2 Hours		

SEMESTER 7		SEMESTER 8	
MUBS 4900	1-2 Hour	BSNS 3360	2 Hours
MUBS/MUED/MUPF/MUTR Elective	2 hours	MUBS 4800	1-3 Hours
Global/Intercultural Ways of Knowing	3 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours
Writing Intensive	3 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours
Quantitative Reasoning	3 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours
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