Hugh Hodgson School of Music

Bachelor of Music: Composition

For complete course choices, descriptions, and preferred course listings, please see the Bulletin at bulletin.uga.edu

This degree requires at least 21 hours of upper division (3000-5000 level) coursework in the major area, and at least 39 hours of upper division coursework overall. It averages 15 hours per semester. Students in the Franklin College must earn a grade of C (2.0) or better in all major courses!

Year One: Fall

ENGL 1101 (Area I) 3
MATH 1101 (Area I) 3
FYOS 1001 – First Year Odyssey 1
MUSI 1810 – Freshman Lessons 2
MUSI 4*** – Large Ensemble 1
MUSI 1100 – Theory I 2
MUSI 1110 – Aural Skills I 2
MUSI 2500 – Piano I 1

Year One: Spring

ENGL 1102 (Area I) 3
POLS 1101 (Area V) 3
MUSI 1810 – Freshman Lessons 2
MUSI 4*** – Large Ensemble 1
MUSI 1120 – Theory II 2
MUSI 1130 – Aural Skills II 2
MUSI 2510 – Piano II 1
MUSI 4010 – Music Technology 2

Please note that this check sheet is only a guide! Consult with your Academic Advisor, or see the Bulletin for full details on your major, Franklin College, and University of Georgia graduation requirements.
### Year Two: Fall
- Language 1001 (Area IV)  
  - MUSI 2810 – Sophomore Lessons  
  - MUSI 4*** – Large Ensemble  
  - MUSI 2100 – Theory III  
  - MUSI 2110 – Aural Skills III  
  - MUSI 2520 – Piano III  
  - MUSI 2812 – Intro to Composition I  
  - 4 credits

### Year Two: Spring
- Language 1002 (Area IV)  
  - HIST 2111 or 2112 (Area V)  
  - MUSI 2810 – Sophomore Lessons  
  - MUSI 4*** – Large Ensemble  
  - MUSI **** – Piano Elective  
  - MUSI 2822 – Intro to Composition II  
  - MUSI 3480 – Intro Conducting  
  - 2 credits

### Year Three: Fall
- Language 2001 (Area IV)  
  - Social Science Elective (Area V)  
  - MUSI 3810 – Junior Lessons  
  - MUSI 3812 – Junior Comp Lessons  
  - MUSI 4*** – Large Ensemble  
  - MUSI 3030 – Music in the US  
  - MUSI 4060 – Music in the Real World  
  - MUSI 3240 – Instrumentation and Arranging  
  - 3 credits

### Year Three: Spring
- Science with Lab (Area II)  
  - MUSI 3820 – Junior Lessons & Recital  
  - MUSI 3812 – Junior Comp Lessons  
  - MUSI 4*** – Large Ensemble  
  - MUSI 3020/3021/3210/3220 - History Elective  
  - MUSI Elective (3000-5000 level)  
  - 3 credits

### Year Four: Fall
- Science without Lab (Area II)  
  - Humanities and Arts Elective (Area IV)  
  - MUSI 4812 – Senior Comp Lessons  
  - MUSI 5720 or 5730 – Electronic Comp Elective  
  - General Elective Hours  
  - 2 credits

### Year Four: Spring
- Quantitative Reasoning (Area III)  
  - PEDB – Physical Education  
  - MUSI 4822 – Senior Comp Lessons & Recital  
  - MUSI 4*** – Small Ensemble  
  - MUSI Elective (3000-5000 level).  
  - MUSI Theory Elective 4120/4140/4190/4170/  
  - MUSI 3020/3021/3210/3220 - History Elective  
  - 3 credits

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*Courses listed at the top are CORE classes. Courses in the bracket are general music major classes that are important to keep in sequence. Courses listed at the bottom are more specific to your major.*

*Franklin College Requirements are not listed*