

UNIVERSITY SENATE
UNIVERSITY AT ALBANY
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Introduced by: UAC

Date: September 26, 2011

REVISIONS OF MUSIC MINOR

IT IS HEREBY PROPOSED THAT THE FOLLOWING BE ADOPTED:

1. That this takes effect for the Fall 2011 semester.
2. That this proposal be forwarded to President George M. Philip for approval.

College of Arts and Sciences

Course and Program Action Form

Proposal No. 10-093

Please check one: Course Proposal Program Proposal

Please mark all that apply:

<input type="checkbox"/> New Course	Revision of:	<input type="checkbox"/> Number	<input type="checkbox"/> Description
<input type="checkbox"/> Cross-Listing		<input type="checkbox"/> Title	<input type="checkbox"/> Prerequisites
<input type="checkbox"/> Shared-Resources Course		<input type="checkbox"/> Credits	
<input type="checkbox"/> Deactivate/Activate Course (boldface & underline as appropriate)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Curriculum (Minor)

Department: Music Effective Semester, Year: Fall 2011

Course Number Current: _____ New: _____ Credits: _____

Course Title: _____

Course Description to appear in Bulletin: _____

Current:

Music: A minimum of 19 graduation credits to include A MUS 100; A MUS 231; A MUS 110 or A MUS 245; 3 electives with an A MUS prefix (must be courses, not lessons or ensembles); and one semester of ensemble chosen from 180, 182, 184, 185, 186, 187, 287 or 289.

Proposed:

Music: A minimum of 19 graduation credits to include A MUS 100; A MUS 231; AMUS 110 or A MUS 245; 3 electives with an A MUS prefix at the 300-level or above or courses having at least one prerequisite, not to include lessons or ensembles; and one semester of ensemble chosen from 180, 182, 184, 185, 186, 187, 287, or 289.

Prerequisites statement to be appended to description in Bulletin: _____

If S/U is to be designated as the only grading system in the course, check here:

This course is (will be) cross listed with (i.e., CAS ###): _____

This course is (will be) a shared-resources course with (i.e., CAS ###): _____

Explanation of proposal:

This change lends greater flexibility to the Music Minor. Students may choose from a broader range of subjects and ensembles meeting their credit requirement. The previous curriculum consisted simply of the first segment of the Music Major curriculum. A student may still begin as a Music Major and then change to a Music Minor as before but may also begin with 110 instead of 245. Beginning with 110 is especially advantageous for transfer students entering in the middle of the year when 245 is not available.

Other departments or schools which offer similar or related courses and which have certified that this proposal does not overlap their offering: _____

Chair of Proposing Department: Reed J. Hoyt Date: 9-29-10

Approved by Chair(s) of Departments having cross-listed course(s)	Date	Dean of College	Date
		Gregory Stevens	10/18/10/ 12/3/10

Chair of Academic Programs Committee	Date	Dean of Undergraduate or Graduate Studies	Date
Janna Harton	10/15/10		