

(0453) MASTER OF MUSIC IN CONDUCTING: CHORAL - TOTAL 31 HRS

Transition Point #1= **ADMISSIONS**

FALL - 1st Semester

	MUS 511	Graduate Research Methods	3
	MUS 518	Advanced Choral Conducting	1
	MUS 519	Choral Conducting Seminar	3
			7

SPRING - 2nd Semester

	MUS 518	Advanced Choral Conducting	1
	MUS 525	Music & the Human Experience	3
	MUS XXX	Music Elective	3
			7

****Development of the Curriculum Contract****

Before completion of 12 hours (end of 1st semester) all degree seeking students must submit a curriculum contract to the Office of Graduate Studies.

Transition Point #2 = ADMISSION TO CANDIDACY

After completion of 15-21 hours (end of 2nd semester) of course work, the students seeking a master's degree should submit Application for Graduate to the Office of Graduate Studies. GPA must be 3.0 or higher.

FALL - 3rd Semester

	MUS 500	Theory Seminar	3
	MUS 518	Advanced Choral Conducting	1
	MUS 519	Choral Conducting Seminar	3
	MUS XXX	Choral Ensemble	1
			8

SPRING - 4th Semester

	MUS 530	Music Literature	3
	MUS XXX	Music Elective	3
	MUS 625	Capstone: Choral Conducting	3
			9

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@ MUSIC ELECTIVES - MUS 512 Music Education Workshop (3); MUS 513 Ind. Dir. Study/Music Ed. (3); MUS 538 Ind. Dir. Study/Theory-Lit (3); MUS 550 Applied Music Secondary (1); MUS 553 Applied Music Principal (2); Performing ensembles from: MUS 540, 541, 544, 545, 547, 548, 571, 574 (1).

Transition Point 3 = **PROGRAM EXIT**

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