# **Cover Sheet: Request 14378**

# Change NWSA Composition Specialization Curriculum

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Process	Specialization New/Modify/Close Ugrad
Status	Pending at PV - University Curriculum Committee (UCC)
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Description of	Students majoring in composition at New World School of the Arts currently take Applied
request	Instrument Lesson for 1 credit at the upper level over 3 semesters. As a result, they fall short of the 6-credit total Applied Instrument Lesson UF requirement. To correct this, it is proposed to reduce the required credits for Applied Instrument Lessons from 6 to 3 total Applied Instrument Lesson credits. National Association of Schools of Music require NWSA Composition students to take at least 4 semesters in Applied Instrument Lessons combined, at the lower and upper levels. The proposed changes will meet this requirement.

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College	Approved	CFA - College of Fine Arts	Jennifer Setlow	Please let me know if further discussion is necessaryLD curricula have been reduced by 2 credits.	9/8/2020
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# Specialization|Modify for request 14378

# Info

Request: Change NWSA Composition Specialization Curriculum

**Description of request:** Students majoring in composition at New World School of the Arts currently take Applied Instrument Lesson for 1 credit at the upper level over 3 semesters. As a result, they fall short of the 6-credit total Applied Instrument Lesson UF requirement. To correct this, it is proposed to reduce the required credits for Applied Instrument Lessons from 6 to 3 total Applied Instrument Lesson credits. National Association of Schools of Music require NWSA Composition students to take at least 4 semesters in Applied Instrument Lessons combined, at the lower and upper levels. The proposed changes will meet this requirement.

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# Responses

# Specialization Name

Enter the name of the specialization.

Response: NWSA Composition

Specialization Code

Enter the two or three letter code for the specialization.

Response: NWO

**Effective Term** Enter the term (semester and year) at which the modification should be effective.

Response: Earliest Available

## **Effective Year**

Response: Earliest Available

## Is this an Undergraduate Innovation Academy Program

Response: No

#### **Current Curriculum for Specialization**

Response:

Please see attachment. NWSA curricula do not appear in the UF UG catalog, so I could not use the "track changes" function.

#### **Proposed Changes**

Describe the proposed changes to the specialization.

Response:

Please see attachment.

#### UF Online currciculum change

Will this curriculum change be applied to a UF online program as well?

Response: No

#### **Pedagogical Rationale/Justification**

Describe the rationale for the proposed changes to the specialization.

Response:

Students majoring in composition at New World School of the Arts currently take Applied Instrument Lesson for 1 credit at the upper level over 3 semesters. As a result, they fall short of the 6-credit total Applied Instrument Lesson UF requirement. To correct this, it is proposed to reduce the required credits for Applied Instrument Lessons from 6 to 3 total Applied Instrument Lesson credits.

Increasing the elective requirements from 12 to 15 ensures that the upper division credit total remains at 60, once the Applied Instrument Lesson requirement is decreased.

#### Impact on Other Programs

Describe any potential impact on other programs or departments, including increased need for general education or common prerequisite courses, or increased need for required or elective courses outside of the existing program.

#### Response:

None. NWSA's curriculum for this specialization is different than the one used at UF.

#### **Assessment Data Review**

Describe the Student Learning Outcomes and/or program goal data that was reviewed to support the proposed changes.

#### Response:

The National Association of Schools of Music is requiring the change.

#### Academic Learning Compact and Academic Assessment Plan

Describe the modifications to the Academic Learning Compact (for undergraduate programs) and Academic Assessment Plan that result from the proposed change.

Response:

None.

**Catalog Copy** Submitter agrees to prepare and upload document showing the catalog copy with the current and proposed curricula edited using the "track changes" feature in Word.

Response: No

# NEW WORLD SCHOOL OF THE ARTS - MUSIC

# Proposal for University of Florida UCC Academic Approval - Modification of a Specialization

# **BACHELOR OF MUSIC – COMPOSITION**

# Current curriculum:

1 <sup>st</sup> semester			2 <sup>nd</sup> semester		
		Cr.			Cr.
MUC1201	Composition I	2	MUC1202	Composition II	2
MUM2623C	MIDI Electronic Music I	2	MUT1112	Music Theory II	
MUT1111	Music Theory I	3	MUT1242	Sight-singing/Ear Training II	3
MUT1241	Sight-singing/Ear Training I	1	MVK1112	Class Piano II**	1
MVK1111	Class Piano I**	1			1
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1 <sup>st</sup> semester			2 <sup>nd</sup> semester		
			IUC2102	Composition Skills IV	
MUC2101	Composition Skills III	2	MUT2117	Music Theory IV	2
MUT2116	Music Theory III	2	MUT2247	Sight-singing/Ear Training IV	2
VIUT2246	Sight-singing/Ear Training III	1	MVK2122	Class Piano IV**	1
MVK2121	Class Piano III**	1	IVIVKZIZZ		1
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IUNIOR YEAR 1 <sup>st</sup> semester			2 <sup>nd</sup> semester		
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			MUC3232	Composition II	
MUC3231	Composition I	3	MUT3321	Arranging/Orchestration	3
MUG4104	Basic Conducting	2	MUH3212	Survey of Music History II*	3
MUH3211	Survey of Music History I	3	MUN3463	Chamber Music Ensemble	3
MUN3463	Chamber Music Ensemble	1	MUT4421	Tonal Counterpoint	1
MUT3611	Form & Analysis	3	MV_3	Secondary Applied Instrument	3
VIV_3	Secondary Applied Instrument	3			3
		15			16
SENIOR YEAR					
1 <sup>st</sup> semester			2 <sup>nd</sup> semester		
			MUC4242	Composition IV	_
MUC4241	Composition III	3	MUC4573	Music since 1945	3
MUC4572	Music from 1900 to 1945	3	MUC4951	Senior Composition Recital	3
MUT4601	Score Reading	2			3
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ELECTIVES [During Junior and senior years, 12 credits of electives must be chosen.]	
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			MUL4561	Chamber Music Literature	
HUM3519	Art in Society	3	MUL4662	History and Literature of Opera	3
MUH4016	History of Jazz	3	MUS4635	Aesthetics of Music	3
MUL4802	Music of Mozart	3	MUL4801	Music of Bach	3
MUL4400	Piano Literature Seminar	3	MUH3514	Music Cultures of the World	3

Additional electives offered some semesters, check course offerings.

32 credits lower division art courses + 30 credits general education + 60 credits upper division = 122 credits

\*Survey of Music history II fulfills 1 humanity requirements for AA degree. The 2<sup>nd</sup> must be taken at the lower level. \*\*Composition students accepted with piano as secondary instrument are exempt from class piano 1-4 based on audition proficiency.

# Proposed Curriculum:

FRESHMAN YEAI	R				
1 <sup>st</sup> semester			2 <sup>nd</sup> semester		
		Cr.			Cr.
MV 1	Secondary Applied Instrument	1	IV 1	Secondary Applied Instrument	1
MUC1201	Composition I	2	MUC1202	Composition II	2
MUM2623C	MIDI Electronic Music I	2	MUM2624C	MIDI Electronic Music II	2
MUT1111	Music Theory I	3	MUT1112	Music Theory II	3
MUT1241	Sight-singing/Ear Training I	1	MUT1242	Sight-singing/Ear Training II	1
MVK1111	Class Piano I**	1	MVK1112	Class Piano II**	1
MUN	Ensemble	1	MUN	Ensemble	1
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1 <sup>st</sup> semester			2 <sup>nd</sup> semester		
MV_1	Secondary Applied Instrument	1	VIV_1	Secondary Applied Instrument	1
MUC2101	Composition Skills III	2	MUC2102	Composition Skills IV	2
MUT2116	Music Theory III	3	MUT2117	Music Theory IV	3
MUT2246	Sight-singing/Ear Training III	1	MUT2247	Sight-singing/Ear Training IV	1
MVK2121	Class Piano III**	1	MVK2122	Class Piano IV**	1
MUN	Ensemble	1	MUN	Ensemble	1
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JUNIOR YEAR					
1 <sup>st</sup> semester			2 <sup>nd</sup> semester		
MUC3231	Composition I	3	MUC3232	Composition II	3
MUG4104	Basic Conducting	2	MUT3321	Arranging/Orchestration	3
MUH3211	Survey of Music History I	3	MUH3212	Survey of Music History II*	3
MUN3463	Chamber Music Ensemble	1	MUN3463	Chamber Music Ensemble	1
MUT3611	Form & Analysis	3	MUT4421	Tonal Counterpoint	3
MV_3	Secondary Applied Instrument	1	MV_3	Secondary Applied Instrument	1
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SENIOR YEAR					
1 <sup>st</sup> semester			2 <sup>nd</sup> semester		
MUC4241	Composition III	3	MUC4242	Composition IV	3
MUC4572	Music from 1900 to 1945	3	MUC4573	Music since 1945	3
MUT4601	Score Reading	2	MUC4951	Senior Composition Recital	3
MV_4	Secondary Applied Instrument	1		-	
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#### ELECTIVES [During Junior and senior years, 15 credits of electives must be chosen.]

HUM3519	Art in Society	3	MUL4561	Chamber Music Literature	3
MUH4016	History of Jazz	3	MUL4662	History and Literature of Opera	3
MUL4802	Music of Mozart	3	MUS4635	Aesthetics of Music	3
MUL4400	Piano Literature Seminar	3	MUL4801	Music of Bach	3
MUL4500	Symphonic Literature	3	MUH3514	Music Cultures of the World	3

Additional electives offered some semesters, check course offerings.

40 credits lower division art courses + 30 credits general education + 60 credits upper division = 130 credits

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\*\*Composition students accepted with piano as secondary instrument are exempt from class piano 1-4 based on audition proficiency.

### Summary/Rationale of Proposed Changes:

1) Change Applied Instrument Lesson credits from 3 credits each over 2 semesters, to 1 credit each over 3 semesters at the upper division.

Rationale: Students majoring in composition at New World School of the Arts currently take Applied Instrument Lesson for 1 credit at the upper level over 3 semesters. As a result, they fall short of the 6-credit total Applied Instrument Lesson UF requirement. To correct this, it is proposed to reduce the required credits for Applied Instrument Lessons from 6 to 3 total Applied Instrument Lesson credits.

2) Change the total required elective credits from 12 to 15 credits.

• *Rationale:* Increasing the elective requirements from 12 to 15 ensures that the upper division credit total remains at 60, once the Applied Instrument Lesson requirement is decreased.