COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS AND HUMAN SCIENCES
DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC
BACHELOR OF ARTS – MAJOR: MUSIC
MAJOR OPTION: CREATIVE TECHNOLOGIES IN MUSIC (CTLA)
54 Hours in major, 120 hours overall
For students graduating in the calendar year 2020

I   **MUSIC CORE – Take all of the following courses, 23 hours**

Course			Hrs	Semester	Grade
MUS	2025	Theory/Harmony	3	_____	_____
MUS	2026	Theory/Harmony	3	_____	_____
MUS	2045	Sight Singing Lab	1	_____	_____
MUS	2046	Sight Singing Lab	1	_____	_____
MUS	2054	Intro. to Music Technology	3	_____	_____
MUS	3035	Advanced Class Piano*	1	_____	_____
MUS	3036	Advanced Class Piano*	1	_____	_____
MUS	3045	Advanced Ear Training	1	_____	_____
MUS	3046	Advanced Ear Training	1	_____	_____
MUS	3135	History and Analysis of Musical Styles	3	_____	_____
MUS	3136	History and Analysis of Musical Styles	3	_____	_____
MUS	3145	Musical Styles Literacy Laboratory	1	_____	_____
MUS	3146	Musical Styles Literacy Laboratory	1	_____	_____

* MUS 2284 Piano Accompanying may be taken in place of MUS 3035-3036

II   **ADVANCED THEORY – Take 3 hours**

MUS	3024	Counterpoint	3	_____	_____
MUS	3044	Orchestration & Analysis	3	_____	_____
MUS	3054	Intro. Vocal/Choral Arranging	3	_____	_____

III   **ADVANCED HISTORY LITERATURE – Take 3 hours**

MUS	3164	History of Electronic Music	3	_____	_____

IV   **PERFORMANCE (Ensemble) – Take 4 hours (repeatable courses)**
MUS 3314 Instrumental Ensemble Music* or MUS 3414 Choral Ensemble Music

	1	_____	_____
	1	_____	_____
	1	_____	_____
	1	_____	_____

*Students in this degree option are encouraged to choose MUS 3314 L2Ork.

V   **CREATIVE TECHNOLOGIES IN MUSIC OPTION REQUIREMENTS, 21 hours**
   TECHNOLOGY - Take 12 hours

MUS	3064	Digital Sound Manipulation	3	_____	_____
MUS	3065	Computer Music & Multimedia	3	_____	_____
MUS	3066	Computer Music & Multimedia	3	_____	_____

MUS 4014 Advanced Electroacoustic Research   3   _____   _____
        (Repeatable with different content)

AREA OF STUDY – Take 9 hours (Choose one)

A   RESEARCH (9 credit hours)
MUS 4014 Topics in Advanced Electroacoustic Research   3   _____   _____
        (Repeatable with different content)
MUS 4994 Undergraduate Research   3   _____   _____
MUS 4764 Advanced Individual Applied Electroacoustics   1   _____   _____
        (Repeatable up to three times for a maximum of 3 credit hours)
MUS 4764 Advanced Individual Applied Electroacoustics   1   _____   _____
        (Repeatable up to three times for a maximum of 3 credit hours)
MUS 4764 Advanced Individual Applied Electroacoustics   1   _____   _____
        (Repeatable up to three times for a maximum of 3 credit hours)
Senior Project – department will process transaction when requirement has been met
        Date Passed _____

B   COMPOSITION (9 credit hours)
MUS 2065 Music Composition   2   _____   _____
MUS 2066 Music Composition   2   _____   _____
MUS 2734 Individual Applied Composition   2   _____   _____
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      MUSIC ELECTIVES – Take 1 hour
Take MUS course with the following exceptions: 1   _____   _____
        MUS 1005, 1006, 1104, 2115, 2116
Junior Recital – department will process transaction when requirement has been met
        Date Passed _____

VI   OTHER REQUIREMENTS
(Department will process transactions when requirements have been met)

      (A) Keyboard Proficiency
        Date Passed _____

      (B) Continuation Exam
        Date Passed _____

      (C) Convocation and Concert Attendance
        Date Passed _____

VII   FREE ELECTIVES – 32 hours
These electives should come from outside the music department.
____(3) ____(3) ____(3) ____(3) ____(3) ____(3) ____(3) ____(3) ____(3) ____(3)
____(2)

VIII   SATISFACTORY PROGRESS TOWARD DEGREE

To comply with the "Satisfactory progress toward degree" requirement, students must complete the following by the end of the semester in which they attempt 54 hours. Continuation Exam requirement

MUS 2025, 2026, 2045, 2046, 3135, 3136, 3145, 3146

Plus 2 hours of either MUS 3314 or 3414

IX   GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

To fulfill graduation requirements in the major, all courses used to fulfill requirements in the major must be completed with a grade of C or better. None of these courses may be repeated more than once for the purposes of raising the grade to C or better.

In accordance with university guidelines, courses satisfying degree core requirements may not be double counted to satisfy other areas of a degree (e.g. CLE).

An overall and in-major GPA of 2.0 or higher is required. All Music courses are used in calculating the major GPA except MUS 1005, 1006, 1104, 2115, and 2116.

Some courses listed on this checksheet have prerequisites, please consult the University Course Catalog, or check with your advisor.

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FOREIGN LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT FOR GRADUATION
CURRICULUM FOR LIBERAL EDUCATION
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FOREIGN LANGUAGE

In order to graduate, students must meet a language study requirement. Two units of a single foreign or classical language (or American Sign Language) during high school. Students who do not satisfy the foreign language requirement in high school may do so by taking six credits of college-level foreign language (classical language or American Sign Language). These six credits do not count toward the total minimum hours required of the declared degree program.

FIRST YEAR EXPERIENCE – 1 hour

MUS 1004 - School of Performing Arts First Year Experience (1) _____

CURRICULUM FOR LIBERAL EDUCATION (CLE) – 33 hours

Area 1   Writing and Discourse

6 credit hours (2 courses) selected from first-year writing courses (3) _____ and (3) _____

Students may meet the first-year writing requirement in one of three ways:
1. By successful completion of the two-semester sequence, ENGL 1105-1106 or COMM 1015-1016 (Note: COMM courses are limited. No advanced placement credit will be given for COMM courses. Student must take both COMM courses to satisfy Area 1;
2. By successful completion of ENGL 1106 for students who are awarded Advanced Standing (based on standardized test scores and high school class rank) and are placed in ENGL 1106. Advanced Standing students who complete ENGL 1106 at Virginia Tech in the first enrollment with a C- or better receive Advanced Standing credit for ENGL 1105;
3. By successful completion of 1204H for students who meet University Honors Standards or English Department Honors Standards. Honors students who successfully complete ENGL 1204H at Virginia Tech in the first enrollment with a C- or better receive Advanced Standing credit for ENGL 1105.

In addition, Virginia Tech accepts ETS Advanced Placement credit for the Freshman Writing sequence.

Area 2	Ideas, Cultural Traditions, and Values		
	6 hours selected from University approved CLE courses.	(3) _____ and (3) _____	
Area 3	Society and Human Behavior		
	6 hours selected from University approved CLE courses.	(3) _____ and (3) _____	
Area 4	Scientific Reasoning and Discovery		
	6 hours selected from University approved CLE courses.	(3) _____ and (3) _____	
Area 5	Quantitative and Symbolic Reasoning		
	6 hours selected from University approved CLE courses.	(3) _____ and (3) _____	
Area 6	Creativity and Aesthetic Experience		
	3 hours will be satisfied in Major by MUS 3314 or MUS 3414.	(3)_____	
Area 7	Critical Issues in a Global Context		
	3 hours selected from University approved CLE courses.	(3) _____	