Arizona State University

ASU Main Campus
FALL 2000 Transfer Guide
For Arizona Western College

Bachelor of Music
Theory and Composition
Composition or Theory Concentration

Students applying for admission with transferable hours must meet transfer GPA, freshman aptitude, and competency requirements. Students transferring 24 or more semester hours do not have to meet freshman aptitude requirements. Students who are 22 years of age or older or have completed an Arizona General Education Curriculum (AGEC) or any associate degree or higher do not have to meet competency requirements. A maximum of 64 transferable semester hours completed at a regionally accredited two-year institution may be transferred to ASU. All transferable community college credits are accepted as lower-division credits and do not satisfy upper division General Studies or graduation requirements.

The Bachelor of Music degree program offers concentration in Music Theory or Music Composition. The undergraduate curriculum provides an understanding of musical properties and their relationship, opportunities to participate as a performer and listener, and repertory for study that includes all cultural and historical periods. For more information, call or write:

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ADMISSION CRITERIA
1. All students who enroll in an undergraduate music degree program are required to perform an entrance audition in their major performing medium (instrument or voice).
2. Audition forms and specific audition requirements for each instrument or voice may be obtained upon request by writing to the School of Music.

Transfer value of a course, including General Studies value, is governed by the Course Applicability System (CAS) in force at the time the course is taken. Summer session is included with the previous academic year. Community college courses which are equivalent in content to upper division courses at ASU will be Transferable as equivalent but with lower division credit. The course need not be repeated but will not count toward the required number of upper division credit hours.

ASU
FIRST YEAR COMPOSITION (3-6)
ENG 101 & 102  First-Year Comp
or
ENG 105 Adv First-Year Comp
or
ENG 107 & ENG 108 Eng Foreign Students

AWC
ENG 101 & 102  Freshman Composition
No AWC equivalent
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GENERAL STUDIES REQUIREMENTS
Students completing the Arizona General Education Curriculum (AGEC) will still be required to fulfill lower division program requirements and prerequisites within their college and major/minor area of study. In all cases, students have the responsibility for selecting general education coursework that is relevant to the requirements of their intended major and degree.

Select credits from the ASU General Studies Guides (http://www.asu.edu/provost/articulation/awc_main.html#gsr) as follows: 3 [L] credits, 3 [MA] credits, 3 [CS] credits, 6 [HU] credits (courses in Music may not be used to satisfy the HU requirements), 6 [SB] credits, 8 [SQ] credits or 4 [SQ] + 4 [SG] credits, 3 [C] credits, 3 [G] credits, and 3 [H] credits. Additional and/or mandated General Studies requirements, if any, are listed in the Major Requirements section with designation in brackets. Must include 6 hours of Fine Arts outside of the School of Music. These may be taken as General Studies Electives, or selected from the approved lists for Humanities and Fine Arts.
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MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

FOREIGN LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT FOR THEORY CONCENTRATION ONLY
Sixteen (16) hours of one Foreign Language or demonstrated proficiency are required. Select AWC foreign language courses that transfer to ASU at the 101, 102, 201, 202, 203, 204 and/or 205 level.

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Music Theory

MTC 125  Basic Music Theory

MTC 221  Mus Theory-18th C

MTC 222  Mus Theory-19th C

MTC 223  Mus Theory-20th C

Applied Music
One or more instruments. 4 of the 12 hrs. may be selected from courses that transfer as MUP 121 and/or MUE 317-339.

MUP 111  Studio Instruction *

* Course may be repeated up to 8 credits

AWC

MUS 111  Dictation & Sight Read* &

MUS 191  Theory I A*

*MUS 111 & MUS 191 together are equivalent to MTC125

MUS 112  Dictation & Sight Read* &

MUS 192  Theory I B*

*MUS 112 & MUS 192 together are equivalent to MTC221

MUS 211  Dictation & Sightrdg I &

MUS 291  Theory II A

MUS 212  Dictation & Sightrdg II &

MUS 292  Theory II B

Placement Exams
(Four semesters are required, unless the student can be exempted through placement exams.)

MUP 131  Class Piano

MUP 132  Class Piano

MUS 121  Class Piano I *

MUS 122  Class Piano II *

* Subject to placement exam.

Approved by Department Chair,
Dr. Toni-Marie Montgomery

Approved by Dir. UG Academic Services,
Gina Stephens

1. Although a course may satisfy a core area requirement and an awareness area requirement concurrently, a course may not be used to satisfy requirements in two core areas simultaneously. A course may satisfy two awareness areas concurrently.

2. When selecting HU or SB core courses, students must keep in mind that A. two courses in one of these two core areas must be in the same department; B. courses from at least two departments must be taken. These two conditions may, but need not be satisfied in the same core area. At least one course within the 15 semester hours must be an upper-division course taken only at ASU.