### Degree Requirements

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Benchmark requirements are indicated with an * symbol

- This sample plan assumes no AP/IB/CLEP or transfer credit and foreign language proficiency up to the 201 level
- This major can provide a maximum of 43 upper-level (300 or 400) credits toward the 45-total needed to earn a UMBC degree.
- All students must complete a credit-bearing English and Mathematics course in the first year of study

For complete information on degree requirements, reference the Undergraduate Course Catalog [catalog.umbc.edu](catalog.umbc.edu). Your personal program of study may vary.

### Curriculum Notes

- **Fall Semester**
  - MUSC 125 – Theory I 3
  - MUSC 110 & 176 – Musicianship Lab I & Keyboard Skills I 2
  - MUSC 191 & 193 – Recital Prep & Private Lessons 4
  - MUSC 303 – UMBC Camerata 2
  - MUSC 161 – Diction: International Phonetic Alphabet/English/Italian 1
  - ENGL GEP 3
  - Total: 15

- **Spring Semester**
  - MUSC 126 – Theory II 3
  - MUSC 111 & 177 – Musicianship Lab II & Keyboard Skills II 2
  - MUSC 191 & 193 – Recital Prep & Private Lessons 4
  - MUSC 303 – UMBC Camerata 2
  - MUSC 162 – Diction: French 1
  - ENGL GEP 3
  - Total: 15

- **Year One**
  - MUSC 225 – Theory III 3
  - MUSC 210 & 178 – Musicianship Lab III & Keyboard Skills III 2
  - MUSC 191 & 193 – Recital Prep & Private Lessons 4
  - MUSC 303 – UMBC Camerata 2
  - Foreign Language 201 4
  - Total: 15

- **Year Two**
  - MUSC 226 – Theory IV 3
  - MUSC 211 & 179 – Musicianship Lab IV & Keyboard Skills IV 2
  - MUSC 191 & 193* – Recital Prep & Private Lessons 4
  - MUSC 303 – UMBC Camerata 2
  - MUSC 163 – Diction: German 1
  - C GEP 3
  - Total: 15

- **Year Three**
  - MUSC 321 – Music History I (AH GEP, WI) 3
  - MUSC 227 – Theory V 3
  - MUSC 191 & 390 – Recital Prep & Advanced Private Lessons 4
  - MUSC 362 – Arts in Education 3
  - MUSC 307 – Opera Workshop 2
  - Total: 15

- **Year Four**
  - MUSC 380 – Introduction to Conducting 3
  - MUSC 230 – Musics of the World (C GEP) 3
  - MUSC 191 & 390 – Recital Prep & Advanced Private Lessons 4
  - MUSC 303/304/307 – Vocal Ensemble 2
  - SS GEP; AH GEP (non-music) 6
  - SS (upper-level); Sci w/ lab GEP 6
  - Total: 18

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