

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2020

BMus Extended programme (01132004)

Minimum duration of study 5 years

Total credits 548

NQF level 08

Programme information

This BMus degree is a five-year programme (extended curriculum programme) and consists of the existing number of regular courses for the standard four-year degree in addition to four foundational courses in the first year of study. The first year of the programme offers foundational support in Academic and Quantitative Literacy and Academic Information Management and competence in music performance and music (theory and aural) literacies which are critical and unique skills required in music studies.

Admission requirements

- The following candidates will be considered for admission:
 - A candidate who is in possession of a certificate that is deemed by the University to be equivalent to the required National Senior Certificate (NSC) with university endorsement; a candidate who is a graduate from another recognised tertiary institution or has been granted the status of a graduate of such an institution; and a candidate who is a graduate of another faculty at the University of Pretoria
 - Candidates who have completed the National Senior Certificate with admission to degree studies or a certificate of conditional exemption on the basis of a candidate's international ("foreign") qualifications, the so-called "Immigrant" or "Foreign Conditional Exemption". The only condition for the "Foreign Conditional Exemption" that is accepted is: 'completion of the degree course'. The exemption certificate is obtainable from Universities South Africa (USAf). Detailed information is available on the website at mb.usaf.ac.za.
- To retain admission, learners will be expected to obtain an APS of at least 26 in the NSC.
- Applicants who meet the minimum APS requirement, but who do not comply with the subject requirements must write the NBT.
- Life Orientation is excluded when calculating the APS.

Minimum requirements

Achievement level

English Home Language or English First Additional Language

APS

NSC/IEB AS Level

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To retain admission candidates are required to obtain an APS of at least 26.

Candidates who obtained an APS of 26 but do not comply with the subject requirement, must write the NBT as

soon as possible to allow their application to be forwarded to the Department.

* Cambridge A level candidates who obtained at least a D in the required subjects, will be considered for admission. International Baccalaureate (IB) HL candidates who obtained at least a 4 in the required subjects, will be considered for admission.

Other programme-specific information

Alternative option for completion

Students who have passed all the modules in the first year of the five-year BMus programme may apply for transfer to the second year of study in the BEd programme, provided the requirements for this programme, as stipulated in the yearbook, are met.

Please note the following:

- MME 400 can only be taken if the first instrument is piano, violin, jazz or classical voice.
- MEI 403 is performing art, with a public concert of 1 hour in the second semester.
- The choice of instrument is based on the availability of an appropriate teacher. The University does not accept responsibility for providing a lecturer of these instruments where teaching costs exceed the normal.
- In order to be admitted to MTI 100 (Second instrument) in any instrument other than percussion, organ, harpsichord or singing, a student should have reached at least UNISA Grade V or a comparable standard in that instrument; in the case of organ, harpsichord, percussion and singing, admission is at the discretion of the head of the department.

Foundation in Practical music

Students choose a first and a second instrument from the following: Voice, piano, keyboard, organ, harpsichord, violin, viola, cello, double bass, flute, oboe, clarinet, bassoon, French horn, trumpet, trombone, tuba, percussion, harp, guitar, recorder, saxophone and ensemble. Jazz and/or classical streams are allowed, according to availability.

Attendance modules

- i. In addition to the modules mentioned in the learning programme, students are obliged to attend the weekly recital classes and seminars.
- ii. It is compulsory for all music students to be a member of a departmental ensemble, choir and/or the UP Symphony Orchestra and UP Symphonic Wind Orchestra.
- iii. Unsatisfactory attendance at the performance classes, seminars and compulsory ensembles and choirs as stipulated under (i) and (ii), may, at the discretion of the head of the department, lead to a lowering of the student's practical or any one academic module's year mark.

Promotion to next study year

Students selected for the BMus five-year degree must pass all the modules at the end of the first year of study. The registration of students who do not comply with this requirement, will be suspended and no readmission will be considered, in which case a foundation certificate of attendance might be a possibility. Students will only be promoted to the second year of study, or be eligible for admission to the second year of the BEd programme, after successful completion of all the first-year modules.



Curriculum: Year 1

Minimum credits: 56

Select one elective module.

Core modules

Foundation in Aural training 102 (GHO 102)

Module credits	8.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 lectures per week, Foundation Course
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	School of the Arts
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection

All major-, minor-, chromatic scales, modes, intervals, chords in all inversions, primary chord progressions, basic modulations, rhythmic and melodic sight-singing/dictation, based on the movable doh system, in Western and African music.

Foundation in General music studies 102 (MAM 102)

Module credits	8.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 lectures per week, Foundation Course
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	School of the Arts
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection

General music knowledge.

Foundation in Practical music (First instrument) 102 (MEI 102)

Module credits	12.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	1 practical per week, Foundation Course
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	School of the Arts
Period of presentation	Year



Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection

In all instruments: Technical work, sight reading, performance skills, recital pieces of contrasting styles.

In Jazz: Repertoire, stylistic considerations, instrumental technique and performance demands.

Foundation in Music theory 103 (MKT 103)

Module credits 20.00

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Contact time 3 lectures per week, Foundation Course

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department School of the Arts

Period of presentation Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection

Classical and jazz: Melody, harmonic concepts, diatonic triads, cadences, diatonic seventh chords, secondary dominants, contrapuntal techniques in a two-part texture, phrase structures, one-part, binary, ternary forms; inventions and variation forms.

Elective modules

Foundation in Music education and technology 102 (MCS 102)

Module credits 8.00

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Contact time 2 lectures per week, Foundation Course

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department School of the Arts

Period of presentation Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection

This module will cover a wide range of topics relevant for teaching music effectively and growing as a potential musician and music teacher. The teaching and learning experience will also include performing basic tasks in music technology that is required within a music career.

Foundation in Practical music (Second instrument) 102 (MTI 102)

Module credits 8.00

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Contact time 1 practical per week, Foundation Course

Language of tuition Module is presented in English



Department School of the Arts

Period of presentation Year

Module content

*Closed - requires departmental selection

In all instruments: Technical work, sight reading, recital pieces of contrasting styles.

In Jazz: Repertoire, stylistic considerations, instrumental technique and performance demands.



Curriculum: Year 2

Minimum credits: 120

The elective module is optional and does not count towards the prescribed credits.

Fundamental modules

Academic information management 101 (AIM 101)

Module credits 6.00

Service modules Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology
Faculty of Education
Faculty of Economic and Management Sciences
Faculty of Humanities
Faculty of Law
Faculty of Health Sciences
Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences
Faculty of Theology and Religion
Faculty of Veterinary Science

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Contact time 2 lectures per week

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department Information Science

Period of presentation Semester 1

Module content

Find, evaluate, process, manage and present information resources for academic purposes using appropriate technology. Apply effective search strategies in different technological environments. Demonstrate the ethical and fair use of information resources. Integrate 21st-century communications into the management of academic information.

Academic literacy 110 (ALL 110)

Module credits 6.00

Service modules Faculty of Health Sciences
Faculty of Theology and Religion

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Contact time 2 lectures per week

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department Unit for Academic Literacy

Period of presentation Semester 1



Module content

This module intends to equip students to cope more confidently and competently with the reading and understanding of a variety of texts, to apply these skills in a variety of contexts and to follow the conventions of academic writing.

Academic literacy for Humanities 125 (ALL 125)

Module credits 6.00

Service modules Faculty of Health Sciences

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Contact time 2 lectures per week

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department Unit for Academic Literacy

Period of presentation Semester 2

Module content

This module equips students to understand and use a range of discipline-specific terminology; apply the strategies of critical and comprehensive reading to their own academic literacy; apply the conventions of academic writing to their own writing, using the process approach, to produce intelligible academic texts and use the correct referencing technique as required by the faculty.

Academic orientation 101 (UPO 101)

Module credits 0.00

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department Humanities Deans Office

Period of presentation Year

Core modules

Aural training 100 (GHO 100)

Module credits 10.00

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Contact time 2 lectures per week

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department School of the Arts

Period of presentation Year



Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection

All major-, minor-, chromatic scales, modes, intervals, 3 and 4 part chords in all inversions, primary and secondary chord progressions, basic modulations, rhythmic and melodic sight-singing/dictation, based on the *movable doh system*, in Western and African music.

General music studies 100 (MAM 100)

Module credits	12.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	School of the Arts
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection

This module is intended to equip students with a) language and research skills, academic writing, assignment writing, plagiarism, referencing, and an introduction to Musicology, and b) providing music students with knowledge and skills for optimal development as performing artists. Specific strategies for health promotion as well as the prevention of injury will be focused on. A variety of health-related topics will include: the role of nutrition and rest, dealing with stress, music performance anxiety, musculoskeletal health and hearing health.

First instrument 100 (MEI 100)

Module credits	20.00
Prerequisites	Admission into relevant programme
Contact time	1 practical per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	School of the Arts
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection. Technical work, recital pieces, sight reading.

In all instruments: Technical work, sight reading, performance skills, recital pieces of contrasting styles.

In Jazz: Students enrolled for MEI 100 (jazz), must take MME 100 (jazz) & MTI 100 (jazz ensemble).

Musicology 100 (MGS 100)

Module credits	20.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	3 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English



Department School of the Arts

Period of presentation Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection

*Requires knowledge of music notation.

Baroque, Classical and Introduction to Jazz: A historical musicological approach to the development and contexts of Western art music during the Baroque and Classical era, and an introduction to the history of jazz, through in-depth critical listening and reading of representative major composers, musical genres, styles and forms.

Music theory 100 (MKT 100)

Module credits 20.00

Prerequisites Admission into relevant programme

Contact time 3 lectures per week

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department School of the Arts

Period of presentation Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection

Classical and jazz: Melody, harmonic concepts, diatonic triads, cadences, diatonic quartads, secondary dominants, contrapuntal techniques in a two-part texture, phrase structures, one-part, binary, ternary forms; inventions and variation forms.

Methodology and music education 100 (MME 100)

Module credits 20.00

Prerequisites Admission into relevant programme

Contact time 1 lecture per week

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department School of the Arts

Period of presentation Year



Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection

Piano: The methodology of basic elements of piano tuition as well as relevant repertoire up to grade 3 level of all recognised examination boards. Evaluation of beginner and technical books for beginner tuition.

Jazz: Technical skills and methods relevant to jazz improvisation, common forms and chord sequences, elements of style and repertoire. (Compulsory with MEI 100 (jazz))

Classical voice: International Phonetic Alphabet (IPA) for Italian; Italian diction for singers; physiology and anatomy of the vocal mechanism; vocal hygiene; methodological concepts such as posture, breathing and phonation for singing; a brief introduction to voice classification and repertoire studies

Music education: A wide range of topics are covered, relevant to teaching music effectively. Opportunities are provided for you to grow your potential as musician and as music educator.

Elective modules

Second instrument 100 (MTI 100)

Module credits 10.00

Prerequisites Admission into relevant programme

Contact time 1 practical per week

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department School of the Arts

Period of presentation Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection

In all instruments: Technical work, sight reading, recital pieces of contrasting styles.

In Jazz: Repertoire, stylistic considerations, instrumental technique and performance demands for successful participation in a jazz ensemble.



Curriculum: Year 3

Minimum credits: 132

Select one elective module.

Core modules

Aural training 200 (GHO 200)

Module credits	12.00
Prerequisites	GHO 100
Contact time	2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	School of the Arts
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection

All major-, minor-, chromatic-, whole tone-, pentatonic scales, modes, intervals, 3 and 4 part chords in all inversions, recognition of chromatic chord progressions and improvisation, modulations, rhythmic and melodic sight-singing/dictation based on the *movable doh system*, in Western and African music.

First instrument 200 (MEI 200)

Module credits	30.00
Prerequisites	MEI 100
Contact time	1 practical per week
Language of tuition	Afrikaans and English are used in one class
Department	School of the Arts
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection. Technical work, recital pieces, sight reading.

In all instruments: Technical work, sight reading, performance skills, recital pieces of contrasting styles.

In Jazz: Students enrolled for MEI 200 (jazz), must take MME 200 (jazz) & MTI 200 (jazz ensemble).

Prerequisite is MEI 100 (jazz).

Musicology 200 (MGS 200)

Module credits	24.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	3 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English



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Period of presentation Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection

*Requires knowledge of music notation.

The Romantic era, Twentieth century Art music, Jazz: A historical musicological approach to the development and contexts of Western art music that spans the Romantic era, twentieth century, and jazz, through in-depth critical listening and reading of representative major composers, musical genres, styles and forms.

Music theory 200 (MKT 200)

Module credits 30.00

Prerequisites MKT 100

Contact time 3 lectures per week

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department School of the Arts

Period of presentation Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection

Modulation with any key relationship, general chromatic chords, complex chord structures, contrapuntal techniques in a three-part texture, rondo form, sonata form, canon, fugue.

Methodology and music education 200 (MME 200)

Module credits 24.00

Prerequisites MME 100

Contact time 1 lecture per week

Language of tuition Afrikaans and English are used in one class

Department School of the Arts

Period of presentation Year



Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection

Piano: The methodology of basic elements of piano tuition as well as relevant repertoire up to grade 3 level of all recognised examination boards. Evaluation of beginner and technical books for beginner tuition.

Jazz: Technical skills and methods relevant to jazz improvisation, common forms and chord sequences, elements of style and repertoire. (Compulsory with MEI 100 (jazz))

Classical voice: International Phonetic Alphabet (IPA) for German; German diction for singers; methodological concepts such as resonance, vibrato and reducing tension; common operatic themes found in opera plots; the German Lied and repertoire studies.

Music education: This module will direct you to develop your own musical understanding, enabling you to create inspiring music experiences in a teaching and learning environment. Opportunities for honing your teaching skills will be provided through community music engagement

Elective modules

General composition studies 200 (KPS 200)

Module credits	12.00
Prerequisites	Admission into relevant programme
Contact time	2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	School of the Arts
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection

Composition and orchestration

Digital notation and introduction to orchestration techniques.

Music technology 200 (MCS 200)

Module credits	12.00
Service modules	Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology
Prerequisites	Admission into relevant programme.
Contact time	2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	School of the Arts
Period of presentation	Year



Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection.

This module is the start of a series of modules that form part of an elective programme aiming to prepare, equip and train the student with music-technology related skills and specialisations. It is designed to provide a thorough introductory audio-related engineering and programming skillset for the candidate. The student enrolled in the elective programme does so with the intention to be trained as an expert in the music-technology field and related disciplines.

Chamber music 201 (MCS 201)

Module credits 12.00

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Contact time 2 lectures per week

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department School of the Arts

Period of presentation Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection

Specialisation in either Western, African or jazz ensemble music – the history, general repertoire knowledge, collaborative performance skills, recital pieces of contrasting styles.

In Jazz: Jazz styles, analysis and improvisation concepts through practice and performance of relevant jazz repertoire.

Second instrument 200 (MTI 200)

Module credits 12.00

Prerequisites MTI 100

Contact time 1 practical per week

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department School of the Arts

Period of presentation Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection

In all instruments: Technical work, sight reading, and recital pieces of contrasting styles.

In Jazz: Repertoire, stylistic considerations, instrumental technique and performance demands for successful participation in a jazz ensemble.



Curriculum: Year 4

Minimum credits: 120

Select three elective modules.

Core modules

First instrument 300 (MEI 300)

Module credits 30.00

Prerequisites MEI 200

Contact time 1 practical per week

Language of tuition Afrikaans and English are used in one class

Department School of the Arts

Period of presentation Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection. Technical work, recital pieces, sight reading.

In all instruments: Technical work, sight reading, performance skills, recital pieces of contrasting styles.

In Jazz: Prerequisite is MEI 200 (jazz).

Musicology 300 (MGS 300)

Module credits 36.00

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Contact time 3 lectures per week

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department School of the Arts

Period of presentation Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection

*Requires knowledge of music notation.

The twentieth-century. A historical musicological approach to the development and contexts of music in the 20th century, including Western Art music, Indigenous Art music, Pop and Jazz, through in-depth critical listening and reading of representative major composers, musical genres, styles and forms.

Elective modules

General composition studies 300 (KPS 300)

Module credits 18.00

Prerequisites Admission into relevant programme

Contact time 2 lectures per week



Language of tuition Afrikaans and English are used in one class

Department School of the Arts

Period of presentation Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection

Introduction to acoustic and electroacoustic compositional practices, advanced notation, film scoring and vocal writing.

Capita selecta: Music 300 (MCS 300)

Module credits 18.00

Prerequisites MCS 201

Contact time 2 lectures per week

Language of tuition Afrikaans and English are used in one class

Department School of the Arts

Period of presentation Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection

Specialisation in either Western, African or jazz ensemble music – the history, general repertoire knowledge, collaborative performance skills, recital pieces of contrasting styles.

In Jazz: Jazz styles, analysis and improvisation concepts through practice and performance of relevant jazz repertoire. Prerequisite is MME 200 (jazz) and MEI 200 (jazz).

Music technology 302 (MCS 302)

Module credits 18.00

Service modules Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology

Prerequisites Admission into relevant programme MCS 200

Contact time 2 lectures per week

Language of tuition Afrikaans and English are used in one class

Department School of the Arts

Period of presentation Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection.

This module is the second in a series of modules that form part of an elective programme aiming to prepare, equip and train the student with music-technology related skills and specialisations. It is designed to provide a thorough, post-introductory audio-related engineering and programming skillset for the candidate. The student enrolled in the elective programme does so with the intention to be trained as an expert in the music-technology field and related disciplines.



Music theory 300 (MKT 300)

Module credits	18.00
Prerequisites	MKT 200
Contact time	3 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Afrikaans and English are used in one class
Department	School of the Arts
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection.

Classical theory: Procedures of Romanticism

Jazz theory: Analysis and theory of contemporary jazz

Music entrepreneurship 300 (MKZ 300)

Module credits	18.00
Prerequisites	Admission into relevant programme
Contact time	2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Afrikaans and English are used in one class
Department	School of the Arts
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection

An overview of music entrepreneurship by exploring concepts such as entrepreneurship, macro-and micro economic environments, how to create a business venture, project management, marketing, writing a business plan, basic accounting and financial management. It aims to prepare students for a portfolio career approach by managing the many facets of being a musician.

Methodology and music education 300 (MME 300)

Module credits	18.00
Prerequisites	MME 200
Contact time	2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Afrikaans and English are used in one class
Department	School of the Arts
Period of presentation	Year



Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection

Piano: Advanced elements of tuition. The schools of technique, rubato and agogics, practice methods, memory function, study of the repertoire of all style periods up to Teachers' Licentiate level of all recognised examination boards.

Classical voice: International Phonetic Alphabet (IPA) for French; French diction for singers; voice classification; the interpretation of style elements of various classical vocal style periods from the Baroque to the 20th Century. Introductory concepts of singing pedagogy.

Music education: This module provides guidelines and opportunities so that you can become a successful music educator, leading you to choose appropriate content, teaching strategies and skills in order to teach in a variety of milieus, communities and contexts.

Second instrument 300 (MTI 300)

Module credits 18.00

Prerequisites MTI 200

Contact time 1 practical per week

Language of tuition Afrikaans and English are used in one class

Department School of the Arts

Period of presentation Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection

In all instruments: Technical work, sight reading and recital pieces of contrasting styles.



Curriculum: Final year

Minimum credits: 120

- Select two elective modules to the value of 80 credits.
- Only one of MEI 400 or MEI 403 may be selected.

Core modules

Research essay 400 (MKS 400)

Module credits 40.00

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Contact time 1 lecture per week

Language of tuition Afrikaans and English are used in one class

Department School of the Arts

Period of presentation Year

Module content

*Closed - requires departmental selection

Development of research methodology knowledge and skills in order to compile a research proposal. A supervisor will be allocated under whose guidance the student should conduct the proposed research, culminating in a research report on a music topic of 7 500 to 9 000 words.

Elective modules

Composition portfolio 400 (KPS 400)

Module credits 40.00

Prerequisites Admission into relevant programme

Contact time 2 lectures per week

Language of tuition Afrikaans and English are used in one class

Department School of the Arts

Period of presentation Year

Module content

*Closed - requires departmental selection.

Portfolio of acoustic or electroacoustic compositions.

Capita selecta: Music 401 (MCS 401)

Module credits 40.00

Prerequisites Admission into relevant programme

Contact time 2 lectures per week



Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department School of the Arts

Period of presentation Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection

In Chamber Music: Specialisation in either Western, African or jazz ensemble music – historic background, collaborative instrumental performance skills, recital pieces of contrasting styles.

In Jazz: Jazz styles, analysis and advanced improvisation concepts through practice and performance of relevant jazz repertoire. Jazz performance students must take MEI 403.

Prerequisite is MSC 300 (jazz).

In Music Therapy: An introduction to music therapy theory and practice.

Music technology 402 (MCS 402)

Module credits 40.00

Service modules Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology

Prerequisites Admission into relevant programme

Contact time 2 lectures per week

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department School of the Arts

Period of presentation Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection.

Aspects of music technology: This module is the third and final in a series of modules that form part of an elective programme aiming to prepare, equip and train the student with music-technology related skills and specialisations. It is designed to provide an advanced and thorough, audio-related engineering and programming skillset for the candidate. The student enrolled in the elective programme does so with the intention to be trained as an expert in the music-technology field and related disciplines.

First instrument 400 (MEI 400)

Module credits 40.00

Prerequisites MEI 300

Contact time 1 practical per week

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department School of the Arts

Period of presentation Year



Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection. Technical work, recital pieces, sight reading.

In all instruments: Performance skills, recital pieces of contrasting styles.

In Jazz: Note: Prerequisite is MSC 300 (jazz) and MEI 300.

First instrument 403 (MEI 403)

Module credits	40.00
Prerequisites	MEI 300
Contact time	1 practical per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	School of the Arts
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection. Public recital of a concert programme.

In all instruments: Performance and stage deportment skills, memorisation techniques, June – 30 min. test recital, November – 60 min. public recital comprising contrasting works of an advanced technical standard.

In Jazz: Prerequisite is MSC 300 (jazz) and MEI 300. Jazz performance students must take MCS 401.

Musicology 400 (MGS 400)

Module credits	40.00
Prerequisites	MGS 310, MGS 320
Contact time	2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	School of the Arts
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection

Philosophy of Music: An historical and systematic musicological approach to the Philosophy of Music through in-depth critical reading of representative major philosophers over time, from the Ancient Greeks to the present, as well as critical scrutiny of concurrent musical development.

Music theory 400 (MKT 400)

Module credits	40.00
Prerequisites	MKT 300
Contact time	2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Afrikaans and English are used in one class
Department	School of the Arts



Period of presentation Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection.

Classical theory: Capita selecta: Procedures of the twentieth century.

Jazz theory: Analysis and theory of contemporary jazz

Music entrepreneurship 400 (MKZ 400)

Module credits 40.00

Prerequisites Admission into relevant programme

Contact time 1 practical per week, 2 lectures per week

Language of tuition Afrikaans and English are used in one class

Department School of the Arts

Period of presentation Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection

*Compulsory membership of UP concert choir or Tuks Camerata

Practical and theoretical aspects of choir conducting.

Methodology and music education 400 (MME 400)

Module credits 40.00

Prerequisites MME 300

Contact time 2 lectures per week

Language of tuition Afrikaans and English are used in one class

Department School of the Arts

Period of presentation Year

Module content

*Closed – requires departmental selection

Piano: Advanced elements of tuition. The interpretation of style elements from the Baroque period to contemporary repertoire with focus on the Baroque and Classical tuition, study of Classical and Baroque repertoire Gr 7 and 8 level of all recognised examination boards.

Classical voice: Advanced elements of tuition (continuance of MME 100, 200 & 300). Philosophy of teaching voice; practicing and self-regulation; teaching young voices; teaching breath management, resonance, registration, jaw and tongue position; expressive singing through use of the text.

Music education: Philosophical grounding and didactics of music education. The module is designed for subject specialists to think critically and deeply about music teaching and learning. Your knowledge and practical skills will be enhanced and linked to artistic citizenship, choral conducting and African music to facilitate teaching and learning for musical understanding.



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