Advising Checklist

Bachelor of Music, Jazz/Commercial Music (Composition)

Name _____ TU ID No. _____
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Theory/Musicianship, History/Culture, and Technology Requirements

Course No.	Course	Units	Term	Year	Grade
MUSC 131	Theory and Musicianship I	2			
MUSC 132	Theory II	2			
MUSC 134	Musicianship II	2			
MUSC 231	Theory III	2			
MUSC 232	Theory IV	2			
MUSC 233	Musicianship III	2			
MUSC 234	Musicianship IV	2			
MUSC 287	Creative Music Technology (Core 4)	3			
MUSC 201 **OR** MUSC 202	□ Music in the United States (Core 11) ☐ □ Music Cultures of the World (Core 12) ☐	3			
MUSC 222	Foundations of Jazz Commercial Music: Harmony	1			
MUSC 223	Foundations of Jazz Commercial Music: Rhythm	1			
MUSC 224	Foundations of Jazz Commercial Music: Improvisation	1			
MUSC 303	History of Music in the European Classical Tradition	3			
MUSC 426	Jazz History	3			
MUSC xxx	**SELECT *ONE* OF THE FOLLOWING COURSES:**	3			
MUSC 401	Advanced Music History				
MUSC 405	Western Music from 1914 to the Present				
MUSC 411	Survey of Opera				
MUSC 413	Symphonic Literature				
MUSC 416	The Blues				
MUSC 417	Hip-Hop Studies				
MUSC 421	Music in the U.S.				
MUSC 422	History of Music for Film and Media				
MUSC 423	History of Choral Literature				
MUSC 424	Folk Music of the Balkans				
MUSC 463	Music in Latin America				
MUSC 471	Special Topics in Music History and Culture				

Other Required Courses and Electives

Course No.	Course	Units	Term	Year	Grade
MUSC 320	Jazz Theory and Improvisation I	3			
MUSC 322	Jazz Theory and Improvisation II	3			
MUSC 425	Jazz Repertoire	3			
MUSC 427	Jazz Arranging	3			
MUSC 443	Instrumental Pedagogy	1			
MUSC xxx MUSC _____	MUSC upper division electives (3 units) _____	3 _____	_____	_____	_____
	MUSA xxx or MUSC xxx Electives (4 units)	4			
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Applied Requirements

Course No.	Course	Units	Term	Year	Grade
MUSA xxx	Applied Jazz Composition Lessons (16)				
MUSA 101		2	_____	____	_____
MUSA 101		2	_____	_____	_____
MUSA 201		2	_____	_____	_____
MUSA 201		2	_____	_____	_____
MUSA 301		2	_____	_____	_____
MUSA 301		2	_____	_____	_____
MUSA 401		2	_____	_____	_____
MUSA 401		2	_____	_____	_____
MUSA xxx	Applied Lessons in a Secondary Medium (6)				
MUSA____			_____	_____	_____
MUSA____			_____	_____	_____
MUSA____			_____	_____	_____
MUSA____			_____	_____	_____
MUSA____			_____	_____	_____
MUSA____			_____	_____	_____
MUSA 190	Piano Class I	1			
MUSA 499	Senior Recital	1			

Ensembles -- Four (4) terms among a minimum of three (3) different jazz ensembles; three (3) terms of any ensemble, one of which must include World Music Ensemble (MUSA 170/370) unless the student has completed a 3-unit global perspectives in music (MUSC) course (7 units).

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Graduation Requirements

Music majors must:

- earn a grade equivalent of 2.00 or higher in all music major courses, ensembles, and lessons; Pass grading option is not available for courses applied to the major
- fulfill all Core Curriculum requirements as outlined in the University Curriculum
- earn no less than 32 upper-division (300-400) credits

Transfer students must complete a minimum of 24 major units at Towson University, all of which are upper level (300-400) courses.

I understand that students are expected to familiarize themselves with the *Undergraduate Catalog* and that they are to satisfy all published degree requirements. Failure to do so does NOT provide a basis for exceptions to academic requirements or policies. It is my understanding that students will receive assistance from general academic and faculty advisers, but students MUST assume the responsibility to verify their degree progress and to complete published degree requirements.

I have read and I understand the information as set forth on this sheet.

Student's Signature: _____

Date: _____