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#### **PREFACE**

Welcome to the Shelby and Ferne Collinsworth School of Music at California Baptist University!

You will be exploring music this year through your involvement as a Music Major, Music Minor, or in your work toward the Single Subject Matter Competence in Music (credential). We hope that your musical years will be stimulating, rewarding, exciting, and fulfilling. We want to encourage you to strive toward the fullest development of your capacities as a spiritual being and musician.

Accredited by the National Association of Schools of Music, the CBU School of Music offers an exceptional education for those planning to pursue careers in performance, music composition, music education, or in many aspects of the music industry. In addition to a highly regarded music curriculum and unmatched performance opportunities, the School of Music gives students the benefits of studying at a comprehensive Christian university and a collegiate experience that is second-to-none.

Annually, the music program publishes a handbook to acquaint students with the faculty and academic programs. This handbook will help you better understand some of the requirements and procedures that specifically pertain to our program. The information contained in this handbook should be used in conjunction with the current *University Catalog/Undergraduate*. Read these two documents carefully – they contain answers to many of the questions you will have.

If questions do arise, do not hesitate to ask the appropriate faculty member. Students are urged to consult with faculty members about any problem relative to their work at the University.

We are happy that you have chosen to make the Collinsworth School of Music at California Baptist University your home, and look forward to working with you, both educationally and spiritually.

#### MUSIC PROGRAM DESCRIPTION and MISSION

The School of Music supports the liberal arts tradition of the University. The mission of the School of Music at California Baptist University is to create a Christ-based learning environment that provides the highest order of education in all essential aspects of music, to establish a foundation for life-long growth in music, and to offer programs and degrees that are tradition-based and future-oriented.

#### School of Music Goals:

- 1. To provide a high quality of music education and training for undergraduate and graduate students
- 2. To equip students with performance and theoretical musical skills that will enable them to be successful musicians
- 3. To help students gain a historical/cultural perspective on the world of music
- 4. To encourage critical thinking about music (i.e. analysis, critical listening, performance evaluation)
- 5. To enable students to grow musically, so that they not only leave CBU with a better understanding of music than when they arrived, but also can communicate music to a wide and diverse populace.

The School of Music offers a Bachelor of Music degree. Besides the music major curriculum, and Single Subject Matter Competence in Music, students may also explore music through the music minor or through courses offered for the general student body.

The Music Program is a member of and fully accredited by the National Association of Schools of Music (NASM).

#### **BACHELOR of MUSIC DEGREE**

The Bachelor of Music degree provides an appropriate background for students who may have career aspirations as teachers, musicians, church music leaders, or who plan to make music an avocation upon completion of their coursework. This music degree may equip the student for graduate work in music, depending upon the choice of graduate institution. Classes and performing experiences enable students to know, understand, perform and teach diverse musical styles. Dr. Gary Bonner, Dean of the Collinsworth School of Music, is committed to providing new and unique opportunities for his students to grow and reach their full potential.

Admission to Music Major or Minor is determined by the following:

- Performance Audition
- Music Theory Placement Exam

  The results of this theory and aural skills exam determine placement within the music theory sequence.

Music Majors and Minors will be subject to a yearly review by music faculty to determine the student's continuation in the program.

# **Bachelor of Music in Composition**

The following represents a four-year plan for music courses to be taken by students majoring in Composition. This plan reflects music courses taken in sequence. Please note that General Education requirements are not included below (see the *University Catalog: Undergraduate* or an academic advisor). Major requirements in *italics*.

| Freshman Year                          |          |  |          |
|--|----------|--|----------|
| Fall Semester                          | 9 units  | Spring Semester                        | 8 units  |
| *MUS 08x Private Instruction           | 1        | MUS 08x Private Instruction            | 1        |
| MUS 09x Major Ensemble                 | 1        | MUS 09x Major Ensemble                 | 1        |
| MUS 098 Choral Union                   | 0        | MUS 098 Choral Union                   | 1        |
| **MUS 012 Class Piano I                | 1        | **MUS 022 Class Piano II               | 1        |
| MUS 114 Music Theory I                 | 3        | MUS 124 Music Theory II                | 3        |
| MUS 115 Musicianship Lab I             | 1        | MUS 125 Musicianship Lab II            | 1        |
| ***MUS 282 Music Technology            | 2        | •                                      |          |
| Sophomore Year                         |          |  |          |
| Fall Semester                          | 8 units  | Spring Semester                        | 13 units |
| MUS 08x Private Instruction            | 1        | MUS 08x Private Instruction            | 1        |
| MUS 09x Major Ensemble                 | 1        | MUS 09x Major Ensemble                 | 1        |
| MUS 098 Choral Union                   | 0        | MUS 098 Choral Union                   | 1        |
| MUS 214 Music Theory III               | 3        | MUS 224 Music Theory IV                | 3        |
| MUS 215 Musicianship Lab III           | 1        | MUS 225 Musicianship Lab IV            | 1        |
| MUS 202 Music in Global Cultures       | 2        | §MUS 221 Music in Worship              | 3        |
|  |          | MUS 253 Intro to Music Composition     | 3        |
| Junior Year                            |          |  |          |
| Fall Semester                          | 14 units | Spring Semester                        | 13 units |
| MUS 46x Private Instruction            | 1        | MUS 46x Private Instruction            | 1        |
| MUS 09x Major Ensemble                 | 1        | MUS 09x Major Ensemble                 | 1        |
| MUS 098 Choral Union                   | 0        | MUS 098 Choral Union                   | 1        |
| MUS 312 Conducting I                   | 2        | MUS 323 Music History II               | 3        |
| MUS 313 Music History I                | 2        | MUS 412 Conducting II                  | 2<br>2   |
| MUS 311 Form and Analysis              | 2        | MUS 372 Counterpoint                   |          |
| MUS 354 Private Lessons in Composition | 1        | MUS 354 Private Lessons in Composition | 1        |
| MUS 414 Interpretive Arranging         | 2        | MUS 283 Electronic Music               | 2        |
| ¶MUS xxx Upper Division Elective       | 3        |  |          |
| Senior Year                            |          |  |          |
| Fall Semester                          | 13 units | Spring Semester                        | 12 units |
| MUS 46x Private Instruction            | 1        | MUS 46x Private Instruction            | 1        |
| MUS 09x Major Ensemble                 | 1        | MUS 09x Major Ensemble                 | 1        |
| MUS 098 Choral Union                   | 0        | MUS 098 Choral Union                   | 1        |
| §§MUS 324 Music History III            | 3        | MUS 325 Music History IV               | 2        |
| MUS 390 Projects in Musical Analysis   | 1        | MUS 354 Private Lessons in Composition | 1        |
| MUS 454 Private Lessons in Composition | 1        | ¶MUS xxx Upper Division Elective       | 3        |
| MUS 472 Orchestration                  | 3        | ¶MUS xxx Upper Division Elective       | 3        |
| ¶MUS xxx Upper Division Elective       | 3        | MUS 431 Senior Recital/Project         | NC       |

<sup>\*</sup>Eight (8) units of Private Instruction must be completed on the same instrument.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Additional instruction in piano must be taken every semester until the Piano Proficiency exam is passed.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>MUS 282 Music Technology satisfies the Competency Requirements (G.E.) for Technology.

<sup>§</sup>MUS 221 Music in Worship satisfies 3 units of the Core Curriculum requirement (G.E.) for Christian Studies.

<sup>§§</sup>MUS 324 Music History III satisfies the Core Curriculum requirement (G.E.) for Non-US History.

Twelve (12) units of upper division electives are required.

# **Bachelor of Music in Instrumental Performance**

The following represents a four-year plan for music courses to be taken by students majoring in Instrumental Performance. This plan reflects music courses taken in sequence. Please note that Gen. Ed. requirements are not included below (see the *University Catalog: Undergraduate* or an academic advisor). Major requirements in *italics*.

| Freshman Year                           |          |  |             |
|---|----------|--|-------------|
| Fall Semester                           | 10 units | Spring Semester                        | 9 units     |
| *MUS 08x Private Instruction            | 2        | MUS 08x Private Instruction            | 2           |
| MUS 09x Major Ensemble                  | 1        | MUS 09x Major Ensemble                 | 1           |
| MUS 098 Choral Union                    | 0        | MUS 098 Choral Union                   | 1           |
| **MUS 012 Class Piano I                 | 1        | **MUS 022 Class Piano II               | 1           |
| MUS 114 Music Theory I                  | 3        | MUS 124 Music Theory II                | 3           |
| MUS 115 Musicianship Lab I              | 1        | MUS 125 Musicianship Lab II            | 1           |
| ***MUS 282 Music Technology             | 2        |  |             |
| Sophomore Year                          |          |  |             |
| Fall Semester                           | 10 units | Spring Semester                        | 12 units    |
| MUS 08x Private Instruction             | 2        | MUS 08x Private Instruction            | 2           |
| MUS 09x Major Ensemble                  | 1        | MUS 09x Major Ensemble                 | 1           |
| MUS 098 Choral Union                    | 0        | MUS 098 Choral Union                   | 1           |
| MUS 214 Music Theory III                | 3        | MUS 224 Music Theory IV                | 3           |
| MUS 215 Musicianship Lab III            | 1        | MUS 225 Musicianship Lab IV            | 1           |
| MUS 202 Music in Global Cultures        | 2        | §MUS 221 Music in Worship              | 3           |
| #MUS 095-097 Chamber Ens/Jazz/Concert E | Band 1   | ≠MUS 095-097 Chamber Ens/Jazz/Conce    | ert Band 1  |
| Junior Year                             |          |  |             |
| Fall Semester                           | 11 units | Spring Semester                        | 13 units    |
| MUS 46x Private Instruction             | 2        | MUS 46x Private Instruction            | 2           |
| MUS 09x Major Ensemble                  | 1        | MUS 09x Major Ensemble                 | 1           |
| MUS 098 Choral Union                    | 0        | MUS 098 Choral Union                   | 1           |
| MUS 312 Conducting I                    | 2        | MUS 323 Music History II               | 3           |
| MUS 313 Music History I                 | 2        | MUS 095-097 Chamber Ens/Jazz/Concert   | t Band 1    |
| MUS 095-097 Chamber Ens/Jazz/Concert Bo | and I    | ∞MUS 345 Choral, Orch'l, and Band Lit. | (Sp. Ev.) 3 |
| ¶MUS xxx Upper Division Elective        | 3        | §§§MUS 419 Instrumental Pedagogy (Sp.  | Even) 2     |
| Senior Year                             |          |  |             |
| Fall Semester                           | 13 units | Spring Semester                        | 10 units    |
| MUS 46x Private Instruction             | 2        | MUS 46x Private Instruction            | 2           |
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MUS 09x Major Ensemble

MUS 325 Music History IV

¶MUS xxx Upper Division Elective

MUS 431 Senior Recital/Project

MUS 095-097 Chamber Ens/Jazz/Concert Band

MUS 098 Choral Union

MUS 09x Major Ensemble

**§§MUS 324 Music History III** 

¶MUS xxx Upper Division Elective

¶MUS xxx Upper Division Elective

MUS 095-097 Chamber Ens/Jazz/Concert Band

MUS 098 Choral Union

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<sup>\*</sup>Sixteen (16) units of Private Instruction must be completed in total; eight (8) units must be on the same instrument.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Additional instruction in piano must be taken every semester until the Piano Proficiency exam is passed.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>MUS 282 Music Technology satisfies the Competency Requirements (G.E.) for Technology.

<sup>§</sup>MUS 221 Music in Worship satisfies 3 units of the Core Curriculum requirement (G.E.) for Christian Studies.

<sup>§§</sup>MUS 324 Music History III satisfies the Core Curriculum requirement (G.E.) for Non-US History.

<sup>§§§</sup>MUS 419 Instrumental Pedagogy is offered in the Spring (even years only). Students under catalogs beginning in even years should take the course during the spring semester of their Senior year.

<sup>¶</sup>Twelve (12) units of upper division electives are required.

<sup>∞</sup>MUS 345 Choral, Orchestral, and Band Literature is offered in the Spring (even years only). Students under catalogs beginning in even years should take the course during the spring semester of their Senior year.

<sup>≠</sup>Students taking MUS 097 Concert Band may simultaneously satisfy the Major Ensemble requirement, resulting in one less unit needed for those two semesters.

# **Bachelor of Music in Keyboard Accompanying**

The following represents a four-year plan of music courses for students majoring in Keyboard Accompanying. This plan reflects music courses taken in sequence. Please note that General Education requirements are not included below (see the *University Catalog: Undergraduate* or an academic advisor). Major requirements in *italics*.

| Freshman Year                              |           |   |
|--|-----------|---|
| Fall Semester                              | 10 units  | Spring Semester 10 units                        |
| *MUS 08x Private Instruction               | 2         | MUS 08x Private Instruction 2                   |
| MUS 09x Major Ensemble                     | 1         | MUS 09x Major Ensemble                          |
| MUS 098 Choral Union                       | 0         | MUS 098 Choral Union                            |
| **MUS 012 Class Piano I                    | 1         | **MUS 012 Class Piano I                         |
| MUS 114 Music Theory I                     | 3         | MUS 124 Music Theory II 3                       |
| MUS 115 Musicianship Lab I                 | 1         | MUS 125 Musicianship Lab II                     |
| ***MUS 282 Music Technology                | 2         | MUS 083 Private Instruction: Organ 1            |
| Sophomore Year                             |           |   |
| Fall Semester                              | 10 units  | Spring Semester 12 units                        |
| MUS 089 Private Instruction: Accompanying  | g 2       | MUS 089 Private Instruction: Accompanying 2     |
| MUS 09x Major Ensemble                     | 1         | MUS 09x Major Ensemble 1                        |
| MUS 098 Choral Union                       | 0         | MUS 098 Choral Union                            |
| MUS 214 Music Theory III                   | 3         | MUS 224 Music Theory IV 3                       |
| MUS 215 Musicianship Lab III               | 1         | MUS 225 Musicianship Lab IV                     |
| MUS 202 Music in Global Cultures           | 2         | §MUS 221 Music in Worship 3                     |
| MUS 095 Chamber Ensemble                   | 1         | MUS 095 Chamber Ensemble 1                      |
| Junior Year                                |           |   |
| Fall Semester                              | 12 units  | Spring Semester 12 units                        |
| *MUS 46x Private Instruction               | 2         | MUS 46x Private Instruction 2                   |
| MUS 09x Major Ensemble                     | 1         | MUS 09x Major Ensemble 1                        |
| MUS 098 Choral Union                       | 0         | MUS 098 Choral Union                            |
| MUS 312 Conducting I                       | 2         | MUS 323 Music History II 3                      |
| MUS 313 Music History I                    | 2         | ¶MUS 256 Basics of Accompanying (Spring Odd) 2  |
| §§§MUS 420 Diction for Singers (Fall Even) |           | $\infty MUS xxx Upper Division Elective$ 3      |
| ∞MUS xxx Upper Division Elective           | 3         |   |
| Senior Year                                |           |   |
| Fall Semester                              | 12 units  | Spring Semester 11 units                        |
| MUS 469 Private Instruction: Accompanying  | g 2       | MUS 469 Private Instruction: Accompanying 2     |
| MUS 09x Major Ensemble                     | 1         | MUS 09x Major Ensemble 1                        |
| MUS 098 Choral Union                       | 0         | MUS 098 Choral Union                            |
| §§MUS 324 Music History III                | 3         | MUS 325 Music History IV 2                      |
| ¶¶MUS 346 Repertoire for Accompanists (Fe  | a. Odd) 3 | ¶¶MUS 376 Perf. Styles for Accomp. (Sp. Even) 2 |
| ∞MUS xxx Upper Division Elective           | 3         | ∞MUS xxx Upper Division Elective 3              |
|  |           | MIIC 421 Carrier Desite 1/Desired               |

<sup>\*</sup>Sixteen (16) units of Private Instruction must be completed in total; a minimum of eight (8) units must be in Accompanying.

MUS 431 Senior Recital/Project

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<sup>\*\*</sup>Additional instruction in piano must be taken every semester until the Piano Proficiency exam is passed.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>MUS 282 Music Technology satisfies the Competency Requirements (G.E.) for Technology.

<sup>§</sup>MUS 221 Music in Worship satisfies 3 units of the Core Curriculum requirement (G.E.) for Christian Studies.

<sup>§§</sup>MUS 324 Music History III satisfies the Core Curriculum requirement (G.E.) for Non-US History.

<sup>§§§</sup>MUS 420 Diction for Singers is offered in Fall (even years only). Students under catalogs beginning in odd years should take the course during the fall semester of their Senior year.

<sup>¶</sup>MUS 256 Basics of Accompanying is offered in Spring (odd years only). Students under catalogs beginning in odd years should take the course during the spring semester of their Senior year.

<sup>¶¶</sup>MUS 346 Repertoire for Accompanists in offered in Fall (odd years only). Students under catalogs beginning in odd years should take the course during the fall semester of their Junior year.

<sup>¶¶</sup>MUS 376 Performance Styles for Accompanists is offered in Spring (even years only). Students under catalogs beginning in odd years should take the course during the spring semester of their Junior year.

<sup>∞</sup>Twelve (12) units of upper division electives are required.

# **Bachelor of Music in Music Education**

The following represents a four-year plan for music courses to be taken by students majoring in Music Education. This plan reflects music courses taken in sequence. Please note that General Education requirements are not included below (see the *University Catalog: Undergraduate* or an academic advisor). Major requirements in *italics*.

| Freshman Year                                 |       |  |     |
|---|-------|--|-----|
| Fall Semester 9                               | units | Spring Semester 8 uni                              | ts  |
| *MUS 08x Private Instruction                  | 1     | MUS 08x Private Instruction                        | 1   |
| MUS 09x Major Ensemble                        | 1     | MUS 09x Major Ensemble                             | 1   |
| MUS 098 Choral Union                          | 0     | MUS 098 Choral Union                               | 1   |
| **MUS 012 Class Piano I                       | 1     | **MUS 022 Class Piano II                           | 1   |
| MUS 114 Music Theory I                        | 3     | MUS 124 Music Theory II                            | 3   |
| MUS 115 Musicianship Lab I                    | 1     | MUS 125 Musicianship Lab II                        | 1   |
| ***MUS 282 Music Technology                   | 2     |  |     |
| Sophomore Year                                |       |  |     |
|   | units | Spring Semester 11 uni                             | ts  |
| MUS 08x Private Instruction                   | 1     | MUS 08x Private Instruction                        | 1   |
| MUS 09x Major Ensemble                        | 1     | MUS 09x Major Ensemble                             | 1   |
| MUS 098 Choral Union                          | 0     | MUS 098 Choral Union                               | 1   |
| MUS 214 Music Theory III                      | 3     | MUS 224 Music Theory IV                            | 3   |
| MUS 215 Musicianship Lab III                  | 1     | MUS 225 Musicianship Lab IV                        | 1   |
| MUS 202 Music in Global Cultures              | 2     | §MUS 221 Music in Worship                          | 3   |
| MUS 093, 095, or 096 Chamber or Jazz Band     | 1     | MUS 093, 095, or 096 Chamber or Jazz Band          | 1   |
| Junior Year                                   |       |  |     |
| Fall Semester 13                              | units | Spring Semester 12-13 uni                          | its |
| MUS 46x Private Instruction                   | 1     | MUS 46x Private Instruction                        | 1   |
| MUS 09x Major Ensemble                        | 1     | MUS 09x Major Ensemble                             | 1   |
| MUS 098 Choral Union                          | 0     | MUS 098 Choral Union                               | 1   |
| MUS 312 Conducting I                          | 2     | MUS 323 Music History II                           | 3   |
| MUS 313 Music History I                       | 2     | MUS 412 Conducting II                              | 2   |
| MUS 311 Form and Analysis                     | 2     | ≠MUS 372 Counterpoint                              | 2   |
| MUS 440 or 441 Inst. Techniques (WW or Brass) | ) 1   | or MUS 253 Intro to Music Composition              | 3   |
| MUS 450 Observations in Teaching Methods      | 1     | §§MUS 425 Survey of Music Other Disc. (Sp. Odd)    | 1   |
| ∞MUS xxx Upper Division Elective              | 3     | MUS 442 or 443 Inst. Techniques (Perc or Strings)  | 1   |
| Senior Year                                   |       |  |     |
| Fall Semester 12                              | units | Spring Semester 13 uni                             | its |
| MUS 46x Private Instruction                   | 1     | MUS 46x Private Instruction                        | 1   |
| MUS 09x Major Ensemble                        | 1     | MUS 09x Major Ensemble                             | 1   |
| MUS 098 Choral Union                          | 0     | MUS 098 Choral Union                               | 1   |
| §§§MUS 324 Music History III                  | 3     | MUS 325 Music History IV                           | 2   |
| MUS 405 Intro to Music Education              | 2     | MUS 442 or 443 Inst. Techniques (Perc. or Strings) |     |
| MUS 440 or 441 Inst. Techniques (WW or Brass, |       | MUS 475 Music in the Schools                       | 3   |
| MUS 472 Orchestration                         | 3     | MUS 014 Class Guitar                               | 1   |
| MUS 013 Class Voice                           | 1     | ∞MUS xxx Upper Division Elective                   | 3   |
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<sup>\*</sup>Eight (8) units of Private Instruction must be on the same instrument.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Additional instruction in piano must be taken every semester until the Piano Proficiency exam is passed.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>MUS 282 Music Technology satisfies the Competency Requirements (G.E.) for Technology.

<sup>§</sup>MUS 221 Music in Worship satisfies 3 units of the Core Curriculum requirement (G.E.) for Christian Studies.

<sup>§§</sup>MUS 425 Survey of Music in Other Disciplines is offered in Spring (odd years only). Students under catalogs beginning in odd years should take the course during the spring semester of their Sophomore or Senior year.

<sup>§§§</sup>MUS 324 Music History III satisfies the Core Curriculum requirement (G.E.) for Non-US History.

<sup>≠</sup>Students who will be seeking a Single Subject Teaching Credential must take MUS 372 Counterpoint.

<sup>∞</sup>Six (6) units of upper division electives are required.

# **Bachelor of Music in Piano Performance**

The following represents a four-year plan for music courses to be taken by students majoring in Piano Performance. This plan reflects music courses taken in sequence. Please note that General Education requirements are not included below (see the *University Catalog: Undergraduate* or an academic advisor). Major requirements in *italics*.

| Freshman Year                                    |          |  |             |
|--|----------|--|-------------|
| Fall Semester                                    | 10 units | Spring Semester 9  | units       |
| *MUS 082 Private Instruction: Piano              | 2        | MUS 082 Private Instruction: Piano   | 2           |
| MUS 09x Major Ensemble                           | 1        | MUS 09x Major Ensemble   | 1           |
| MUS 098 Choral Union                             | 0        | MUS 098 Choral Union   | 1           |
| **MUS 012 Class Piano I                          | 1        | **MUS 022 Class Piano II   | 1           |
| MUS 114 Music Theory I                           | 3        | MUS 124 Music Theory II  | 3           |
| MUS 115 Musicianship Lab I                       | 1        | MUS 125 Musicianship Lab II  | 1           |
| ***MUS 282 Music Technology                      | 2        | •  |             |
| C I V  |          |  |             |
| Sophomore Year                                   | 10       | Quaina Quantum   |             |
| Fall Semester MUS 082 Private Instruction: Piano | 10 units | Spring Semester 12 MUS 082 Private Instruction: Piano                              | units       |
|  | 2        |  | 2           |
| MUS 09x Major Ensemble                           | 1        | MUS 09x Major Ensemble   | 1           |
| MUS 098 Choral Union                             | 0        | MUS 098 Choral Union   | 1           |
| MUS 214 Music Theory III                         | 3        | MUS 224 Music Theory IV  | 3           |
| MUS 215 Musicianship Lab III                     | 1        | MUS 225 Musicianship Lab IV  | 1           |
| MUS 202 Music in Global Cultures                 | 2        | §MUS 221 Music in Worship  | 3           |
| MUS 095 Chamber Ensemble                         | 1        | MUS 095 Chamber Ensemble   | 1           |
| Junior Year                                      |          |  |             |
| Fall Semester                                    | 11 units | Spring Semester 12   | units       |
| *MUS 462 Private Instruction: Piano              | 2        | MUS 462 Private Instruction: Piano   | 2           |
| MUS 09x Major Ensemble                           | 1        | MUS 09x Major Ensemble   | 1           |
| MUS 098 Choral Union                             | 0        | MUS 098 Choral Union   | 1           |
| MUS 312 Conducting I                             | 2        | MUS 323 Music History II   | 3           |
| MUS 313 Music History I                          | 2        | §§§MUS 256 Basics of Accompanying (Sp. Odd)  |             |
| MUS 095 Chamber Ensemble                         | 1        | ∞MUS xxx Upper Division Elective   | 3           |
| ∞MUS xxx Upper Division Elective                 | 3        |  |             |
| Senior Year                                      |          |  |             |
| Fall Semester                                    | 11 units | Spring Semester 13   | units       |
| MUS 462 Private Instruction: Piano               | 2        | MUS 462 Private Instruction: Piano   | 2           |
| MUS 09x Major Ensemble                           | 1        | MUS 09x Major Ensemble   | 1           |
| MUS 098 Choral Union                             | 0        | MUS 098 Choral Union   | 1           |
| §§MUS 324 Music History III                      | 3        | MUS 325 Music History IV   | 2           |
| ¶MUS 334 Piano Literature I (Fall Odd)           | 2        | ¶¶MUS 335 Piano Literature II (Spring Even)  |             |
| ∞MUS xxx Upper Division Elective                 | 3        | ¶¶MUS 333 Flano Literature II (Spring Even) ¶¶MUS 418 Piano Pedagogy (Spring Even) | 2<br>2<br>3 |
| WHOD MAN OPPER DIVISION ELECTIVE                 | 5        | $0 \le MUS \times XX \times U$ Upper Division Elective                             | 2           |
|  |          | MUS 431 Senior Recital/Project   | NC          |
|  |          | MIOS 431 SCHIOL NECHAI/FIOJECT   | INC         |

<sup>\*</sup>Sixteen (16) units of Private Instruction: Piano must be taken in total.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Additional instruction in piano must be taken every semester until the Piano Proficiency exam is passed.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>MUS 282 Music Technology satisfies the Competency Requirements (G.E.) for Technology.

<sup>§</sup>MUS 221 Music in Worship satisfies 3 units of the Core Curriculum requirement (G.E.) for Christian Studies.

<sup>§§</sup>MUS 324 Music History III satisfies the Core Curriculum requirement (G.E.) for Non-US History.

<sup>§§§</sup>MUS 256 Basics of Accompanying is offered in Spring (odd years only). Students under catalogs beginning in odd years should take the course during the spring semester of their Senior year.

<sup>¶</sup>MUS 334 Piano Literature I is offered in Fall (odd years only). Students under catalogs beginning in odd years should take the course during the fall semester of their Junior year.

<sup>¶¶</sup>MUS 335 Piano Literature II is offered in Spring (even years only). Students under catalogs beginning in odd years should take the course during the spring semester of their Junior year.

<sup>¶¶</sup>MUS 418 Piano Pedagogy is offered in Spring (even years only). Students under catalogs beginning in odd years should take the course during the spring semester of their Junior year.

<sup>∞</sup>Twelve (12) units of upper division electives are required.

# **Bachelor of Music in Vocal Performance**

The following represents a four-year plan for music courses to be taken by students majoring in Vocal Performance. This plan reflects music courses taken in sequence. Please note that General Education requirements are not included below (see the *University Catalog: Undergraduate* or an academic advisor). Major requirements in *italics*.

| Freshman Year                             |          |   |          |
|---|----------|---|----------|
| Fall Semester                             | 8 units  | Spring Semester                             | 11 units |
| *MUS 081 Private Instruction: Voice       | 2        | MUS 081 Private Instruction: Voice          | 2        |
| MUS 09x Major Ensemble                    | 1        | MUS 09x Major Ensemble                      | 1        |
| MUS 098 Choral Union                      | 0        | MUS 098 Choral Union                        | 1        |
| **MUS 012 Class Piano I                   | 1        | **MUS 022 Class Piano II                    | 1        |
| MUS 114 Music Theory I                    | 3        | MUS 124 Music Theory II                     | 3        |
| MUS 115 Musicianship Lab I                | 1        | MUS 125 Musicianship Lab II                 | 1        |
| •   |          | ***MUS 282 Music Technology                 | 2        |
| Sophomore Year                            |          |   |          |
| Fall Semester                             | 9 units  | Spring Semester                             | 11 units |
| MUS 081 Private Instruction: Voice        | 2        | MUS 081 Private Instruction: Voice          | 2        |
| MUS 09x Major Ensemble                    | 1        | MUS 09x Major Ensemble                      | 1        |
| MUS 098 Choral Union                      | 0        | MUS 098 Choral Union                        | 1        |
| MUS 214 Music Theory III                  | 3        | MUS 224 Music Theory IV                     | 3        |
| MUS 215 Musicianship Lab III              | 1        | MUS 225 Musicianship Lab IV                 | 1        |
| MUS 202 Music in Global Cultures          | 2        | §MUS 221 Music in Worship                   | 3        |
| Junior Year                               |          |   |          |
| Fall Semester                             | 13 units | Spring Semester                             | 14 units |
| MUS 461 Private Instruction: Voice        | 2        | MUS 461 Private Instruction: Voice          | 2        |
| MUS 09x Major Ensemble                    | 1        | MUS 09x Major Ensemble                      | 1        |
| MUS 098 Choral Union                      | 0        | MUS 098 Choral Union                        | 1        |
| MUS 312 Conducting I                      | 2        | MUS 323 Music History II                    | 3        |
| MUS 313 Music History I                   | 2        | MUS 093 Experiences in Chamber Singing      | 1        |
| MUS 093 Experiences in Chamber Singing    | 1        | $\P\P MUS$ 333 Song Literature (Spring Odd) | 3        |
| ¶MUS 420 Diction for Singers (Fall Even)  | 2        | ∞MUS xxx Upper Division Elective            | 3        |
| ∞MUS xxx Upper Division Elective          | 3        |   |          |
| Senior Year                               |          |   |          |
| Fall Semester                             | 11 units | Spring Semester                             | 11 units |
| MUS 461 Private Instruction: Voice        | 2        | MUS 461 Private Instruction: Voice          | 2        |
| MUS 09x Major Ensemble                    | 1        | MUS 09x Major Ensemble                      | 1        |
| MUS 098 Choral Union                      | 0        | MUS 098 Choral Union                        | 1        |
| §§MUS 324 Music History III               | 3        | MUS 325 Music History IV                    | 2        |
| ¶¶¶MUS 423 Vocal Repertory Lab (Fall Odd) |          | §§§MUS 417 Vocal Pedagogy (Spring Even)     | 2<br>3   |
| ∞MUS xxx Upper Division Elective          | 3        | ∞MUS xxx Upper Division Elective            |          |
|   |          | MUS 431 Senior Recital/Project              | NC       |

<sup>\*</sup>Sixteen (16) units of Private Instruction: Voice must be completed in total.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Additional instruction in piano must be taken every semester until the Piano Proficiency exam is passed.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>MUS 282 Music Technology satisfies the Competency Requirements (G.E.) for Technology.

<sup>§</sup>MUS 221 Music in Worship satisfies 3 units of the Core Curriculum requirement (G.E.) for Christian Studies.

<sup>§§</sup>MUS 324 Music History III satisfies the Core Curriculum requirement (G.E.) for Non-US History.

<sup>§§§</sup>MUS 417 Vocal Pedagogy is offered in the Spring (even years only). Students under catalogs beginning in odd years should take the course during the spring semester of their Junior year.

<sup>¶</sup>MUS 420 Diction for Singers is offered in Fall (even years only). Students under catalogs beginning in odd years should take the course during the fall semester of their Sophomore year.

<sup>¶</sup>MUS 333 Song Literature is offered in Spring (odd years only). Students under catalogs beginning in odd years should take the course during the spring semester of their Senior year.

<sup>¶¶</sup>MUS 423 Vocal Repertory Lab is offered in Fall (odd years only). Students under catalogs beginning in odd years should take the course during the fall semester of their Junior year.

 $<sup>\</sup>infty Twelve \ (12)$  units of upper division electives are required.

# **Bachelor of Music Degree Requirements (124 units min.)**

# General Education Requirements (38-50 units)

The General Education requirements will follow the curriculum set forth for other university degree programs. Some General Education requirements will be met through specific Core music requirements.

# Core Degree Requirements (56 units min.) Core Applied Music Requirements (21 units min.)

| *MUS 012        | Class Piano I                           | 1             |
|-----------------|---|---------------|
| *MUS 022        | Class Piano II                          | 1 (if needed) |
| 1. MUS 08x, 46x | Private Instruction (8 units minimum**) | 8             |
| 2. MUS 09x      | Major Ensemble (8 units minimum)        | 8             |
| 3. MUS 098      | Choral Union (4 units minimum)          | 4             |

<sup>\*</sup>Enrollment in Functional Piano (MUS 032) or Private Instruction: Piano (082A-B, MUS 462A-B) or Class Piano (MUS 012, MUS 022) is required each semester until the Piano Proficiency requirements are met. An opportunity to attempt to pass the Piano Proficiency exam for first semester students will be offered during rehearsal camps. For returning students, an attempt to pass the exam or portions of the exam will be offered during finals week each semester. For specific Piano Proficiency requirements, see Handbook pages 27-28.

- 1. Enrollment for one unit of MUS 080-089, 460-469 Private Instruction is required for each semester of residence for all music majors and minors. A minimum of eight (8) units is required. Private Instruction for music majors and minors includes 75% recital attendance of all School of Music-sponsored faculty and student recitals. Failure to meet this requirement will result in the requirement to complete an additional Concert Music requirement (see School of Music office). Students may enroll in one semester of MUS 013 Class Voice in place of one (1) unit of MUS 081 Private Instruction: Voice with permission from the School of Music.
- 2. Enrollment is required in at least one Major Ensemble (MUS 090, 091, 092, 094, 097) for full credit during each semester of enrollment at CBU. A minimum of eight (8) units is required. Additional ensembles may be taken for 0-1 units with permission from the School of Music.
- 3. Enrollment in MUS 098 Choral Union is required for each semester of residence for all Music Majors and Minors. A minimum of four (4) units is required. Offered for zero (0) units in the Fall and one (1) unit in the Spring.

## **Core Lower Division Requirements (23 units)**

| MUS | 114 | Music Theory I                        | 3 units |
|-----|-----|---------------------------------------|---------|
| MUS | 115 | Musicianship Lab I                    | 1       |
| MUS | 124 | Music Theory II                       | 3       |
| MUS | 125 | Musicianship Lab II                   | 1       |
| MUS | 202 | Music in Global Cultures              | 2       |
| MUS | 214 | Music Theory III                      | 3       |
| MUS | 215 | Musicianship Lab III                  | 1       |
| MUS | 221 | Music in Worship (*Christian Studies) | 3       |
| MUS | 224 | Music Theory IV                       | 3       |
| MUS | 225 | Musicianship Lab IV                   | 1       |
| MUS | 282 | Music Technology (*Technology)        | 2       |
|     |     |                                       |         |

<sup>\*</sup>Meets General Education requirement

<sup>\*\*</sup>Students must complete eight (8) units of private instruction on the same instrument or voice. For Keyboard Accompanying majors, MUS 089 and MUS 469 will meet the MUS 082 and MUS 462 requirement.

## **Core Upper Division Requirements (12 units)**

| MUS | 312 | Conducting I                        | 2 units |
|-----|-----|-------------------------------------|---------|
| MUS | 313 | Music History I                     | 2       |
| MUS | 323 | Music History II                    | 3       |
| MUS | 324 | Music History III (*Non-US History) | 3       |
| MUS | 325 | Music History IV                    | 2       |
| MUS | 431 | Recital/Senior Project              | NC      |
|     |     |                                     |         |

<sup>\*</sup>Meets General Education requirement

# Major Requirements (30-33 units)

In addition to the General Education and Core Degree Requirements, students must complete all of the prescribed courses listed in one of the following majors: Composition, Instrumental Performance, Keyboard Accompanying, Music Education, Piano Performance, or Vocal Performance.

## Composition Major (33 units) BM

| MUS    | 253               | Introduction to Music Composition | 3 units |
|--------|-------------------|-----------------------------------|---------|
| MUS    | 283               | Electronic Music                  | 2       |
| MUS    | 311               | Form and Analysis                 | 2       |
| MUS    | 354               | Private Lessons in Composition    | 4 total |
| MUS    | 372               | Counterpoint                      | 2       |
| MUS    | 390               | Projects in Musical Analysis      | 1       |
| MUS    | 412               | Conducting II                     | 2       |
| MUS    | 414               | Interpretive Arranging            | 2       |
| MUS    | 472               | Orchestration                     | 3       |
| Twelve | e (12) additional | upper division music electives    | 12      |

## Instrumental Performance Major (31 units) BM

| MUS    | 460-468           | Private Instruction*                        | 8 total |
|--------|-------------------|---|---------|
| MUS    | 095-097           | Chamber Ensemble, Jazz Band or Concert Band | 6 total |
| MUS    | 345               | Choral, Orchestral and Band Literature      | 3       |
| MUS    | 419               | Instrumental Pedagogy                       | 2       |
| Twelve | e (12) additional | upper division music electives              | 12      |

<sup>\*</sup>Students must complete eight (8) units of private instruction on the same instrument. These 8 units are in addition to the 8 units in the Core (16 total units must be taken).

## Keyboard Accompanying Major (32 units) BM

| MUS  | 083      | Private Instruction: Organ          | 1 unit  |
|--|----------|-------------------------------------|---------|
| MUS  | 089, 469 | Private Instruction: Accompanying   | 8 total |
| MUS  | 095      | Chamber Ensemble                    | 2 total |
| MUS  | 256      | Basics of Accompanying              | 2       |
| MUS  | 346      | Repertoire for Accompanists         | 3       |
| MUS  | 376      | Performance Styles for Accompanists | 2       |
| MUS  | 420      | Diction for Singers                 | 2       |
| Twelve (12) additional upper division music electives 12 |          |                                     |         |

# Major Requirements (continued)

## Music Education Major (30-31 units) BM

| MUS     | 013              | Class Voice                                     | 1       |
|---------|------------------|---|---------|
| MUS     | 014              | Class Guitar                                    | 1       |
| MUS     | 093, 095, 096    | Chamber Singers/Chamber Ensemble/Jazz Band      | 2 total |
| MUS     | 311              | Form and Analysis                               | 2       |
| MUS     | 372 or           | ≠Counterpoint (or MUS 253)                      | 2 or    |
| MUS     | 253              | ≠Introduction to Music Composition (or MUS 372) | 3       |
| MUS     | 405              | Introduction to Music Education                 | 2       |
| MUS     | 412              | Conducting II                                   | 2       |
| MUS     | 425              | Survey of Music in Other Disciplines            | 1       |
| MUS     | 440-443          | Instrumental Techniques                         | 4 total |
| MUS     | 450              | Observations in Teaching Methods                | 1       |
| MUS     | 472              | Orchestration                                   | 3       |
| MUS     | 475              | Music in the Schools                            | 3       |
| Six (6) | additional upper | r division music electives                      | 6       |
|         |                  |   |         |

## Piano Performance Major (31 units) BM

| MUS    | 082, 462          | Private Instruction: Piano                 | 8 total |
|--------|-------------------|--|---------|
| MUS    | 095, 093, 096     | Chamber Ensemble/Chamber Singers/Jazz Band | 3 total |
| MUS    | 256               | Basics of Accompanying                     | 2       |
| MUS    | 334               | Piano Literature I                         | 2       |
| MUS    | 335               | Piano Literature II                        | 2       |
| MUS    | 418               | Piano Pedagogy                             | 2       |
| Twelve | e (12) additional | upper division music electives             | 12      |

## **Vocal Performance Major (31 units) BM**

| MUS    | 081, 461        | Private Instruction: Voice         | 8 total |
|--------|-----------------|------------------------------------|---------|
| MUS    | 093             | Experiences in Chamber Singing     | 2 total |
| MUS    | 333             | Song Literature                    | 3       |
| MUS    | 417             | Vocal Pedagogy                     | 2       |
| MUS    | 420             | Diction for Singers                | 2       |
| MUS    | 423             | Vocal Repertory Lab                | 2       |
| Twelve | e (12) addition | nal upper division music electives | 12      |

## **Digital Arts Concentration**

| (Optional concentration for all Bachelor of Music majors) |                                |   |  |  |
|---|--------------------------------|---|--|--|
| 384   | Survey of Recording Technology | 3   |  |  |
| 385   | Digital Media Ethics           | 3   |  |  |
| 386   | Audio Engineering I            | 3   |  |  |
| 387   | Audio Engineering II           | 3   |  |  |
|   | 384<br>385<br>386              | Survey of Recording Technology Digital Media Ethics Audio Engineering I |  |  |

## **Worship Leadership Concentration**

| (Optional concentration for all Bachelor of Music majors) |     |  |   |  |
|---|-----|--|---|--|
| MUS   | 386 | Audio Engineering I                        | 3 |  |
| MUS   | 370 | Worship Technology                         | 3 |  |
| MUS   | 374 | The Programming and Practice of Worship    | 3 |  |
| MUS   | 471 | Worship Leadership and Performance Seminar | 3 |  |

#### SINGLE SUBJECT MATTER COMPETENCE in MUSIC

Please note that the School of Music is currently (Fall 2012) preparing to submit an application for approval of the Single Subject Matter Program in Music from the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing. Music Education students who complete all elements of the program can expect to meet the Music Single Subject Requirements and receive subsequent approval to enter the Credential program retroactively once the new program is approved. It is conceivable, however, that additional requirements must be met until the major requirements have been revised to reflect the new standards. The Music Subject Matter Requirements may also be fulfilled by passing the CSET exam in music.

The Subject Matter Preparation Program in Music prepares students for a career in teaching music in elementary and secondary schools within the state of California. In the view of the university, public education is one of the most crucial aspects of American life. Those who want to enter this field must first demonstrate a strong capacity for teaching, an enlightened vision of the educational enterprise, and a commitment to seek the training necessary to fulfill the responsibility. Each student admitted to the program will be expected to demonstrate a thorough understanding not only of the subject matter itself, but also of the vocation of an educator. The program has been designed specifically to prepare future teachers to communicate to their students the value and significance of music in a variety of human cultures and contexts.

## **Subject Matter Preparation Program in Music (16-17 units)**

This "Commission-approved teacher preparation program" curriculum is designed for those students who will be seeking Single Subject Teaching Credential in Music from the State of California (see www.ctc.ca.gov). Students interested in teaching should contact their Faculty Advisor in the School of Music for advising. In addition to meeting these requirements, students should contact the Teacher Education Credential Program within the School of Education.

| MUS | 311 | Form and Analysis                      | 2 units |
|-----|-----|--|---------|
| MUS | 372 | Counterpoint                           | 2       |
| MUS | 405 | Introduction to Music Education        | 2       |
| MUS | 440 | Instrumental Techniques for Woodwinds  | 1       |
| MUS | 441 | Instrumental Techniques for Brass      | 1       |
| MUS | 442 | Instrumental Techniques for Percussion | 1       |
| MUS | 443 | Instrumental Techniques for Strings    | 1       |
| MUS | 472 | Orchestration                          | 3       |
| MUS | 475 | Music in the Schools                   | 3       |
| MUS | 013 | Class Voice*                           | 1       |

<sup>\*</sup>Required for instrumentalists in the Subject Matter Preparation Program in Music.

## **Subject Matter Assessment**

Prior to being recommended to enter the fifth year program for the Single Subject Teaching Credential in Music, candidates must successfully pass a subject matter assessment. The assessment, in the form of an interview, will be done near the end of the senior year.

# **Minor in Music**

The Minor in Music affords students the opportunity to continue their music education and improve their musical skills and knowledge while pursuing a major other than music. The 30 units of lower and upper division music courses are designed to insure a well-balanced curriculum, focusing in areas of music theory, music history and performance.

The following represents a four-year plan for music courses to be taken by students who wish to complete a Music Minor. This plan reflects music courses taken in sequence. Please note that General Education requirements are not included below (please see the *University Catalog: Undergraduate* or an academic advisor).

| Freshman Year                          |           |                                       |           |
|--|-----------|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| Fall Semester                          | 7 units   | Spring Semester                       | 8 units   |
| MUS 08x Private Instruction            | 1         | MUS 08x Private Instruction           | 1         |
| MUS 09x Major Ensemble                 | 1         | MUS 09x Major Ensemble                | 1         |
| MUS 098 Choral Union                   | 0         | MUS 098 Choral Union                  | 1         |
| *MUS 012 Class Piano I                 | 1         | *MUS 022 Class Piano II               | 1         |
| MUS 114 Music Theory I                 | 3         | MUS 124 Music Theory II               | 3         |
| MUS 115 Musicianship Lab I             | 1         | MUS 125 Musicianship Lab II           | 1         |
| Sophomore Year                         |           |                                       |           |
| Fall Semester                          | 9 units   | Spring Semester                       | 7 units   |
| MUS 08x Private Instruction            | 1         | MUS 08x Private Instruction           | 1         |
| MUS 09x Major Ensemble                 | 1         | MUS 09x Major Ensemble                | 1         |
| MUS 098 Choral Union                   | 0         | MUS 098 Choral Union                  | 1         |
| MUS 214 Music Theory III               | 3         | MUS 224 Music Theory IV               | 3         |
| MUS 215 Musicianship Lab III           | 1         | MUS 225 Musicianship Lab IV           | 1         |
| **MUS 221 Music in Worship             | 3         |                                       |           |
| Junior Year                            |           |                                       |           |
| Fall Semester                          | 6-7 units | Spring Semester                       | 6-5 units |
| MUS 46x Private Instruction            | 1         | MUS 46x Private Instruction           | 1         |
| MUS 09x Major Ensemble                 | 1         | MUS 09x Major Ensemble                | 1         |
| MUS 098 Choral Union                   | 0         | MUS 098 Choral Union                  | 1         |
| MUS 312 Conducting I                   | 2         | MUS 323 or 325 Music History II or IV | 3-2       |
| §MUS 313 or 324 Music History I or III | 2-3       |                                       |           |
| Senior Year                            |           |                                       |           |
| Fall Semester                          | 2 units   | Spring Semester                       | 3 units   |
| MUS 46x Private Instruction            | 1         | MUS 46x Private Instruction           | 1         |
| MUS 09x Major Ensemble                 | 1         | MUS 09x Major Ensemble                | 1         |
| MUS 098 Choral Union                   | 0         | MUS 098 Choral Union                  | 1         |

<sup>\*</sup>Additional instruction in piano must be taken every semester until the Piano Proficiency exam is passed.
\*\*MUS 221 Music in Worship satisfies 3 units of the Core Curriculum requirement (G.E.) for Christian Studies.
§MUS 324 Music History III satisfies the Core Curriculum requirement (G.E.) for Non-US History.

# Music Minor (45-47 units min.)

# Lower Division Requirements\* (39 units min.)

| 1. MUS 08x, 46x | Private Instruction (8 units minimum) | 8 units |
|-----------------|---------------------------------------|---------|
| 2. MUS 009x     | Major Ensemble (8 units minimum)      | 8       |
| 3. MUS 098      | Choral Union (4 units minimum)        | 4       |
| MUS 114         | Music Theory I                        | 3       |
| MUS 115         | Musicianship Lab I                    | 1       |
| MUS 124         | Music Theory II                       | 3       |
| MUS 125         | Musicianship Lab II                   | 1       |
| MUS 214         | Music Theory III                      | 3       |
| MUS 215         | Musicianship Lab III                  | 1       |
| MUS 221         | Music in Worship                      | 3       |
| MUS 224         | Music Theory IV                       | 3       |
| MUS 225         | Musicianship Lab IV                   | 1       |
|                 |                                       |         |

## **Upper Division Requirements (6-8 units)**

| MUS           | 312             | Conducting I      | 2 |
|---------------|-----------------|-------------------|---|
| Two of the fo | llowing are req | uired:            |   |
| MUS           | 313             | Music History I   | 2 |
| MUS           | 323             | Music History II  | 3 |
| MUS           | 324             | Music History III | 3 |
| MUS           | 325             | Music History IV  | 2 |

<sup>\*</sup>Piano study is required each semester until the Piano Proficiency exam has been passed. An opportunity to attempt to pass the exam for first semester students will be offered during rehearsal camps. For returning students, an attempt to pass the exam or portions of the exam will be offered during finals week each semester.

- 1. Enrollment for one unit of MUS 080-089, 460-469 Private Instruction is required for each semester for all Music Majors and Minors. Private Instruction for majors and minors includes 75% recital attendance of all School of Music-sponsored faculty and student recitals. Failure to meet this requirement will result in the requirement to complete an additional Concert Music requirement (See School of Music office). Students may enroll in one semester of MUS 013 Class Voice in place of one (1) unit of MUS 081 Private Instruction: Voice with permission from the School of Music.
- 2. Enrollment is required in at least one Major Ensemble (MUS 090, 091, 092, 094, 097) for full credit during each semester of enrollment at CBU. A minimum of eight (8) units is required. Additional ensembles may be taken for 0-1 units with permission from the School of Music.
- 3. Enrollment in MUS 098 Choral Union is required for each semester of residence for all Music Majors and Minors. A minimum of four (4) units is required. Offered for zero (0) units in the Fall and one (1) unit in the Spring.

#### **FACILITIES**

The study of music at California Baptist University involves the commitment of a distinguished faculty of music performers and scholars, and the dynamic collaboration of some of the finest music students in the nation. Housed in the Joann Hawkins School of Music Building, the School of Music enjoys spacious educational facilities and performance venues, as well as state-of-the-art technical support and equipment necessary for complete musical career training. Music books, scores and CD/DVD holdings are found in the Annie Gabriel Library.

#### The following offices and teaching studios should be noted:

| <i>•</i>               |   |
|------------------------|---|
| School of Music Office | (951) 343-4251  |
| Dr. Judd Bonner        | (951) 343-4251  |
| Dr. Steven Betts       | (951) 343-4253  |
| Dr. Angela Brand       | (951) 343-4435  |
| Mrs. Marisa Callan     | (951) 343-4706  |
| Mrs. Dawn Gilmore      | (951) 343-4704  |
| Mr. Guy Holliday       | (951) 343-4260  |
| Dr. Beverly Howard     | (951) 343-4252  |
| Mr. Jamie Killion      | (951) 343-4717  |
| Dr. Glenn Pickett      | (951) 343-4257  |
| Dr. John Reinebach     | (951) 343-4712  |
| Dr. Stephen Posegate   | (951) 343-4258  |
|                        | Dr. Judd Bonner Dr. Steven Betts Dr. Angela Brand Mrs. Marisa Callan Mrs. Dawn Gilmore Mr. Guy Holliday Dr. Beverly Howard Mr. Jamie Killion Dr. Glenn Pickett Dr. John Reinebach |

### **PRACTICE ROOMS**

Practice rooms are on a first-come, first-served basis. They are located on the Helen English Walker Floor (second floor, rooms 226-246) of the Hawkins Music Building and are accessed through ID key cards. For security and personal safety, please do not leave doors in the practice wing open.

Do not bring food or drinks into the practice rooms, or the Hawkins Music Building in general. Please do not remove the felt dampeners from inside the pianos.

#### **LOCKERS**

Lockers are available for instrumental students only who are participating in one or more School of Music ensembles. Lockers may be checked out for student use in the School of Music Office. The School of Music will provide padlocks. Personally owned padlocks are not permitted and will be removed. Lockers must be cleared of all materials and padlocks must be returned to the School of Music office by the end of finals week.

#### SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

Ensemble members or music students receiving a music scholarship are required to make normal academic progress in their academic studies. Normal academic progress is defined as enrolling in and successfully completing the proper sequence of courses listed in the current School of Music Handbook each semester. Students not complying with departmental procedures, or not making satisfactory progress toward their declared major will have their scholarship status reviewed by the School of Music faculty. This review can occur at any point during the semester. Music scholarships are awarded on a semester-by-semester basis only.

*Music Scholarships:* The School of Music at CBU offers a number of scholarships for performance in any of its ensembles. Accompanist scholarships are also available. Auditions for available openings are held throughout the year. All students receiving a music scholarship, of any kind, are required to participate in the appropriate ensemble each semester of residency. For requirements and an audition appointment, please call the School of Music office.

**Brenda K. Smith Memorial Scholarship:** A deserving voice major(s) is selected to receive this award. It was established in memory of Brenda Smith, an outstanding vocal music major. Amount is variable. Applications are available in the Financial Aid office.

**S. E. Boyd Smith Scholarship:** This scholarship is awarded to qualified piano or organ students. Amount is variable. Applications are available in the Financial Aid office.

*California Singing Churchwomen Scholarship:* This scholarship is awarded to a female music student planning to work in church music either vocationally or as an avocation. Applications are available in the Financial Aid office.

**Awards:** Each year at the Annual Honors Day Convocation a **Music Program Award** is given. The criteria for selection of the recipient are: graduating senior with grade point average of at least 3.7, number of semesters attending CBU, growth and development as a musician and contribution to the Music Program. An award is also given to the **Outstanding Music Student** who has demonstrated outstanding musical growth and has contributed positively to the program and department.

## **DORIAN SOCIETY**

The Dorian Society, a student organization, is the CBU Collegiate Chapter of MENC (The National Association for Music Education). The purpose is to develop participation in professional activities as the students prepare to be Music Educators. Membership is required for all students with a concentration in Music Education and is open to other interested students. For information contact Dr. Stephen Posegate, Coordinator of Music Education.

# PRIVATE INSTRUCTION Vocal & Instrumental

Private Instruction is offered with material and performance of increasing difficulty as the student develops. Private Instruction will be required of any student receiving an annual music scholarship of \$4,000 or more. That is, a student may not take Instrumental or Voice Practicum and receive a \$4,000 music scholarship. A minimum of 12 lessons and performance at a faculty jury are required. The course may be repeated until the requirement is fulfilled. Service Playing (MUS 230) does NOT fulfill the MUS 080 requirement for the music major or music minor. Prerequisite for applied organ: formal piano training and music reading ability.

The School of Music will post Private Instructors' schedules during rehearsal camp. Students must sign up with a Private Instructor by the end of Add/Drop in order to secure a teacher. Any student who has not signed up with a teacher by the end of that period — for any reason — will receive an automatic failing grade in Private Instruction without exception.

**Lesson Requirements:** In order to receive credit in Private Instruction (MUS 080-089, 460-469), a student must have attended 12 scheduled lessons in a semester and perform for the faculty jury. **Punctuality for lessons is required.** Students who are tardy will receive only the remainder of their lesson time. Students who habitually miss lessons or are unprepared for lessons will, at the discretion of the teacher, be asked to drop the course or risk a grade of D or F. The studio teacher will establish other lesson requirements, including repertoire.

*Incompletes* will not be given in Private Instruction except in the case of exceptional illness or extreme circumstances. If an Incomplete (I) is assigned for the semester grade, it is the student's responsibility to make-up the jury within six weeks.

**Practice Requirements:** Private Instruction is designed to encourage the student in a life of self-disciplined practice, which continues after graduation when there is no longer responsibility to a particular academic routine. With this in mind, the following standards are noted: practice hour requirements are directly related to the amount of credit given. A half-hour lesson (one unit of credit) assumes a minimum of one hour of practice every day. A one-hour lesson (two units credit) assumes a minimum of two hours of practice every day.

Absences: If absence from a lesson is anticipated, the student should notify the teacher at least 24 hours in advance. If a student is unavoidably detained and misses a lesson, the student should notify the teacher directly as soon as possible. If prior notice is given, or there are extenuating circumstances, the teacher may make up the lesson at his/her discretion. If no notice is given, the lesson will not be made up. In the case of a lesson missed by a teacher, the lesson will be made up as soon as a mutually acceptable time is available

**Purchasing books:** It is the responsibility of the Private Instruction student to obtain original scores for lessons. The use of <u>copied</u> music is not permitted except for jury exams (one time "fair use" for nonprofit educational purposes\*). Scores may be purchased, checked out from the library, or printed off from CD Sheet Music CD-ROMs (available in the Annie Gabriel library). \*Copyright Law of the United States, Title 17, Section 107, October 2007.

Jury Exams: The School of Music requires all students registered in Private Instruction to appear before a jury board held during the final examination period at the end of each semester. Jury Sheets will be made available during the two weeks before final exams. It is the student's responsibility to complete a Jury Sheet with the composers and titles of the compositions studied during the semester (and other information as requested) and present multiple copies of this sheet at the time of the student's appointment. Students are to be responsible for information on the composers, style of pieces and translations of all songs. Instrumental students must also bring to the jury exam photocopies of the music to be performed for each member of the jury panel. A jury exam may be required of Voice or Instrumental Practicum students at the discretion of the instructor.

The student is responsible for signing up for a jury time on the posted Jury Schedule. The Jury Exam Schedule will be posted within the last two weeks of scheduled classes each semester.

Students who are performing a Senior Recital are exempt from juries for the semester in which the recital is given.

*Grading:* The final semester grade in Private Instruction is comprised of the student's Semester Work (50%) and the Jury Performance Average (50%). The grading standards for the Semester Work in lessons are as follows:

Objective Standards:

- Regular lesson assignments prepared
- Continuous achievement of minimum requirements as outlined by the teacher
- Consistent daily practice
- Punctuality at lessons

Subjective Standards:

- Musical sensitivity and interpretive abilities
- Student attitude and effort
- Continuous growth and development of musicianship
- Increasing mastery of performance techniques

**Accompanist:** The voice/instrumental student's first priority must be to secure an accompanist for his or her weekly lesson time and to plan on working with that accompanist to select a mutually agreeable jury time at the end of the semester. As the purpose of a jury is to show the student's work for the semester, the importance of working with an accompanist on a regular basis rather than asking a pianist to sight-read music at juries cannot be overstated. If it is not possible for the student to work with an accompanist during the semester, it is <u>still</u> the student's responsibility to find an accompanist for his or her jury exam.

The School of Music pays accompanists for one half-hour session per week of the semester. Accompanists may choose to meet more frequently with the students they are accompanying, but they will not be reimbursed for that extra time.

#### STUDENT RECITALS

**Student Recital Participation:** All students taking Private Instruction are required to perform on one Friday morning Student Recital per academic year. Failure to perform as assigned will result in lowering the Private Instruction grade by one letter. Students may perform only with the permission of their applied teachers and are required to submit Recital Performance Forms to the Music Office at least one week before the recital date. Voice and Instrumental Practicum students may be encouraged to participate in Student Recitals at the discretion of the instructor.

Student Recital Attendance: All music majors and minors are required to attend 75% of all oncampus School of Music-sponsored recitals and concerts (including, but not limited to, Friday morning recitals) offered each semester. The actual number of recitals may vary each semester. Students should stay informed by checking in the School of Music Office where a list of approved recital dates is posted.

**Concert Music** is required of music majors and minors who fail to meet the Recital Attendance requirement for any semester in residence (see School of Music office). The requirements for Concert Music must be fulfilled by the following semester. The instructor will assign a number of concerts to attend each requiring written critiques. Failure to meet the Concert Music requirements may result in dismissal from the music program.

#### PERFORMANCE LEVELS

During the jury process, the music faculty will evaluate the music major's progress on his/her primary instrument and assign a Performance Level based on specific criteria described in the Performance Level Rubric (available from the student's instructor) for each instrument or voice. The first Performance Level (L1) and subsequent performance levels are obtained only after the criteria have been met/demonstrated in the jury. There are five Performance Levels (L1-L5) for undergraduates. Performance Level 0 (L0) will be assigned to students who fail to meet the criteria for the first level. Satisfactory and exemplary progress may result in the Performance Level being raised. Unsatisfactory progress may result in the Performance Level remaining the same as the previous semester.

#### **SOPHOMORE REVIEW**

All music majors must pass a Sophomore Review at the end of their second year by demonstrating advancing technical and musical skill. Failure to pass the Sophomore Review indicates that the student has not progressed sufficiently to continue in the program. Recommendations will be made to the student who has not passed the Sophomore Review which may include the following: 1. changing majors; 2. taking additional private instruction units; 3. increasing the amount of time the student spends practicing. Students will be notified by the Dean when they have passed the Sophomore Review.

The Sophomore Review requires that the following criteria have been met by the end of the second year:

- 1) During jury exams, Performance majors (Instrumental, Piano, and Vocal) must attain Performance Level 3 (L3). Composition, Keyboard Accompanying, and Music Education majors must attain Performance Level 2 (L2).
- 2) All music majors must perform in at least two student recitals.
- **3)** All music majors must pass all of the Technical Skills listed in Part I of the Piano Proficiency exam (see page 29) earning 10 of the 15 points possible.

#### SENIOR RECITALS

**Performance majors** (Instrumental, Piano, and Vocal) must attain Performance Level 5 (L5) by the end of the fall semester of their senior year. **Composition, Keyboard Accompanying, and Music Education majors** must attain Performance Level 4 (L4) by the end of the fall semester of their Senior year. Reaching the appropriate Performance Level is considered a prerequisite for enrollment in MUS 431, the Senior Recital class.

All music majors must be enroll in MUS 431 and perform a Senior Recital **on their primary instrument or voice** during their senior year only <u>after</u> achieving the appropriate Performance Level <u>and</u> passing all portions of the Piano Proficiency exam (15 points). Students must also be enrolled in Private Instruction in their primary instrument or voice during the semester they intend to perform their Senior Recital in order to facilitate rehearsals, hearings and recitals.

Senior Recital Length is determined by concentration. Performance majors are expected to give a 60-minute Senior Recital. Music Education and Keyboard Accompanying majors are expected to give a 30-minute recital. Composition majors are expected to give a 30-minute portfolio performance of original compositions and arrangements. Appropriate Senior Recital repertoire is recommended by the instructor and approved by Dr. Angela Brand (MUS 431). Repertoire must include a variety of musical styles from all historical periods. Typically, jazz, pop and Contemporary Christian pieces or songs are not considered acceptable recital material.

**Senior Recital Dates:** The date for your Senior Recital must be scheduled in conjunction with your private instructor, all participants in your recital, and the School of Music office. Except in the case of extreme emergency, once a date is selected it must be held (unless postponement is recommended by the music faculty following your Pre-Recital Hearing). Senior Recitals may be given during the Fall and Spring semesters only.

**Fees/DVDs:** A recording fee or \$100 is required two weeks prior to your recital. This is per recitalist not per recital. The fee includes the use of one camera (\$40 per extra camera requested) and is for on-campus recitals only (off campus events will require additional funds). There is a \$10 fee for each additional DVD. Rooms will be set up with standard lighting and seating; no additional audio equipment will be provided. You may obtain a copy of your recital ten business days after your recital.

**Rehearsals:** All rehearsals that require use of a room in the School of Music building must be scheduled through the School of Music office.

**Pre-Recital Hearing:** Pre-Recital Hearings must be scheduled by the end of the second week of the semester. After consulting with your private instructor and accompanist (if applicable), select three possible dates and times for your hearing and submit them to Dr. Angela Brand (MUS 431). A faculty committee in your concentration will be selected for you and will adjudicate your Pre-Recital Hearing. The Pre-Recital Hearing must take place no later than one month before the Senior Recital date. The entire recital must be fully prepared and memorized (when appropriate), and presented to the music faculty in the Pre-Recital Hearing. Appropriate attire is expected. At the hearing, students must also submit a printed program (see Senior Recital Programs below). The student may be asked to edit, augment, and/or improve upon the program based on the recommendation of the committee. The revised program must be submitted electronically to the School of Music office within 2 days following the hearing. Failure to do so may put the student at risk of losing the recital date, necessitating postponement. The faculty committee will provide you with a written and verbal evaluation of your Pre-Recital Hearing performance and will recommend any area(s) that may need special attention prior to your Senior Recital. Immediately following the Pre-Recital Hearing, the committee will confer and will either:

- 1) APPROVE your recital (meaning that you may proceed with your recital preparations),
- 2) Ask you to **POSTPONE** your recital until a semester in the future (meaning that they feel you will be ready with more work; in this case, you will need to re-schedule your recital and schedule another Pre-Recital Hearing with the same material), OR
- 3) **DECLINE your recital** (meaning that your performance is not recital-ready).

Senior Recital Programs: Students must submit a complete printed program at the Pre-Recital Hearing. Within 2 days following a successful Pre-Recital Hearing, students must submit an electronic version (.doc or .docx) of their recital program to the School of Music office that includes any revisions recommended by the committee. Programs should include composition titles, composers, composers' dates, arrangers (if applicable), name(s) of the accompanist or other musicians (if applicable), translations and program notes. The School of Music will provide copies of the approved program for the recital. Detailed instructions and procedures may be found in the syllabus for MUS 431 Senior Recital/Project.

**Senior Recital Performance Attire:** Since the purpose of public performance is to give the student practice in proper stage deportment and other artistic aims, dress and conduct are important. Senior recitals require a formal dress for women, and dark suits or tuxedos for men.

#### REPERTOIRE for PRIVATE INSTRUCTION

The choice of specific pieces is left to the individual instructor and will be based on the student's major concentration and capability. The materials listed below are merely suggestions of repertoire that is representative of each level. An instrumental repertoire list is not given below. Instrumental students should discuss repertoire choices with their instructor.

#### PIANO REPERTOIRE

Piano repertoire can be taken from many styles of music, with the majority of it being classical in nature. Classical music will be the only music assessed at the end of the semester jury. Each semester, all Piano Majors must work on a minimum of four pieces, one from each musical period: Baroque/early music, Classic, Romantic, and Twentieth Century/Modern (not including jazz, pop, or Contemporary Christian/Praise music). Music minors and non-majors must work on at least two contrasting pieces each semester.

#### First Year

Bach: Two or Three-part Inventions

A sonata by Haydn or Mozart

Three character pieces from the Romantic school (Schubert, Mendelssohn, Chopin)

One contemporary composition (Bartok, Kabalevsky, Prokofiev)

All major scales, four octaves

All minor scales, three forms, four octaves

Other technical studies as needed (Hanon, Czerny, Pishna, etc.)

#### **Second Year**

Bach: French, English Suites

A sonata by Mozart or Beethoven

2 larger compositions from the Romantic school (Brahms Rhapsodies or Intermezzi, Chopin Études or

Preludes)

One contemporary composition (Khatchaturian, Persichetti, etc.)

All major and minor arpeggios, four octaves

Major and Minor Primary Progressions in all keys (I-IV-I-V7-I; i-iv-i-V7-i)

#### Third Year

Bach: Well-Tempered Clavier, Books I and II

Scarlatti sonatas, Handel keyboard works

Large sonata chosen from either Classical, Romantic, or Contemporary periods

Two American compositions (Gottschalk, Ives, Cowell, Barber)

Late Romantic period composition (Rachmaninoff, Scriabin, Brahms)

Impressionist school of composition (Debussy, Ravel)

Harmonization

Transposition

Open Score Reading

Sight-Reading

## PIANO REPERTOIRE (continued)

#### Fourth Year

Bach: A major work such as a Toccata, Italian Concerto

Handel variations or Scarlatti sonatas

Late Beethoven or Schubert sonata, or Schumann large work

A major composition in the Romantic school (Chopin Ballade or Scherzo, Liszt or Brahms)

One contemporary composition either American or other nationality (Ginastera, Schoenberg, Hindemith, Villa-Lobos, Poulenc)

Major and Minor scales in thirds, sixths, and tenths

Double-third Major and Minor scales

#### VOCAL REPERTOIRE

The following expectations are to be used as a guide. The instructor may assign fewer or more songs than indicated below based on the student's needs, abilities, and goals as well as the length and demands of the specific pieces assigned. Students must use original scores only.

#### First Year

Songs and arias in Italian written before 1800 Songs in English, including folk songs Repertoire books:

26 Italian Songs and Arias, Alfred

"The Arnold Book of Old Songs," Roger Quilter

Collection of Songs--Barber, Schirmer

Forty-five Arias by Handel, 3 volumes, Kagen

Franz Joseph Haydn, C. F. Peters

Italian Art Songs, Alfred

Old American Songs, Copland, Boosey&Hawkes

Basics of Singing, Schirmer

## **Second Year**

Songs in German from the eighteenth & nineteenth centuries

Arias from oratorios in English

Repertoire books:

Schubert Songs, International

Mozart--Complete Songs, Barenreiter

85 Songs--R. Schumann, International

German Folk Songs--Brahms, 2 volumes, International

Gateway to German Lieder, Alfred

The Lieder Anthology, Hal Leonard

Sacred Songs--Bach, International

The Oratorio Anthology (one for each voice type), Hal Leonard

Anthology of Sacred Song (one for each voice type), Schirmer

Favorite Sacred Classics for Solo Singers, Alfred

Fifty Selected Songs by Schubert, Schumann, Brahms, Wolf, and Strauss, Schirmer

## **VOCAL REPERTOIRE (continued)**

#### Third Year

Songs in French from late nineteenth and early twentieth Centuries

Arias from opera in original languages

Repertoire books:

40 French Songs, 2 volumes, International

30 Songs--Faure, International

43 Songs—Debussy, International

12 Songs—Hahn, International

The French Song Anthology, Hal Leonard

Operatic Anthology, 5 volumes (one for each voice type), Schirmer

Prima Donna's Album, Schirmer

Songs by Felix Mendelssohn, Fanny Mendelssohn, Clara Wieck-Schumann

### Fourth Year

English and American art songs from twentieth century

Preparation of Senior recital

Optional: a major song cycle in the original language

Repertoire books:

114 Songs--Ives, International

Old American Songs--Copland, 2 volumes, Boosey & Hawkes

20th Century Art Songs, Schirmer

Contemporary Songs in English, Carl Fischer

American Aria Anthology, Schirmer

Anthology of Art Songs by Black American Composers, compiled by W.C. Patterson, Schirmer Other composers: J. Duke, G. Finzi, M. Head, D. Moore, N. Rorem, R. Vaughan-Williams, P. Warlock, J. Heggie, W. Bolcom, L. Larsen, L. Hoiby, B. Britten, L. Bernstein, Duparc, Granados, de Falla, Ponce, Rodrigo, Roger Quilter, C. Griffes, William Grant Still, W. Bolcom, L. Larsen, L. Hoiby, Mrs. H.H. Amy Beach, Florence Price

The student may, under the direction of the instructor, incorporate some musical theatre selections chosen from the following collections, as well as individual Broadway vocal scores:

Singer's Musical Theatre Anthology (many volumes), Hal Leonard Musical Theatre Classics, 6 volumes, Hal Leonard Bernstein on Broadway, Hal Leonard.

### Song Cycles:

Songs of Travel, Vaughan Williams Frauenliebe und Leben, Schumann Songs from an Unknown Poet, Ned Rorem Shropshire Lad, Butterworth, Poeme d'un jour, Op. 21, Faure

#### PIANO PROFICIENCY EXAM

All music majors and minors are required to pass the Piano Proficiency exam, which is an assessment of keyboard skills the student will find invaluable to his/her future as a musician—whether as a teacher, performer, church musician or in some other music-related capacity. The Piano Proficiency exam consists of major and minor scales, major and minor arpeggios, primary progressions, harmonization, transposition, score reading, sight-reading, and a solo performance (not from memory). All music major and minors are required to be enrolled in piano instruction until the Piano Proficiency exam is passed.

The Piano Proficiency exam is offered in the middle of the semester and during finals week. Students may elect to perform the entire exam or selected skills during this time. The entire Piano Proficiency exam (15 points) must be passed in order for the student to be eligible for Registration in MUS 431 (Senior Recital class) and for graduation.

The various skills have been given a point value totaling 15 points. This is not intended to indicate priority or a level of importance, as all of the skills indicated below must be mastered. The student should prepare and attempt to pass various skills totaling 5 points per semester. A minimum of 3 points must be passed each semester in order to receive an "A" in the class (Functional Piano, Private Instruction or Class Piano).

Sign-up sheets for the Piano Proficiency exam will be posted at least one week before the exam occurs each semester. Students who are interested in taking the exam in part or in whole must sign up for an exam time. Those who sign up will be given a packet that includes information regarding Piano Proficiency skills including harmonization, transposition, and score reading.

Freshman music majors with limited keyboard skills should enroll in Class Piano I (offered in fall semesters) and Class Piano II (spring semesters). In addition to developing keyboard skills, these classes are closely tied to the Music Theory Musicianship Labs. This enables the student to experience his/her theory studies from another perspective. Freshman music majors and minors with a piano emphasis (i.e. primary instrument is piano), or major who have had a great deal of piano background (as determined by the Piano Faculty), are advised to begin their piano studies in the applied music setting (taking Private Instruction or Functional Piano).

The results of each student's Piano Proficiency exam are kept on file in the School of Music office. Each student will be notified of his/her results every time the exam is taken. It is the student's responsibility to see that the Piano Proficiency requirements are fulfilled as soon as possible. Additional portions of the exam may be taken during any semester in which the student feels ready.

## PIANO PROFICIENCY REQUIREMENTS (15 points total)

## I. Technical Skills (10 points)

- **A. Scales (4 points total):** Major and Harmonic Minor Scales in 2 octaves. These must be played ascending and descending, hands together, in quarter notes with a steady tempo of 60 BPM or faster
- **B.** Arpeggios (4 points total): Major and Minor Triads in 2 octaves. These must be played ascending and descending, hands together, in quarter notes with a steady tempo of 60 BPM or faster.
- **C. Chords (2 points total):** Primary Progression (I-IV-I-V7-I) in all major keys, root position.

## II. Functional Skills (5 points)

- **A. Solo Repertoire (1 point):** Play one keyboard composition (that must be approved by the instructor prior to taking the exam). Examples of repertoire include, but are not limited to the following:
  - 1. Bach: pieces from the Notebook for Anna Magdalena Bach
  - 2. Clementi, Kuhlau, Haydn, Mozart: Sonatinas
  - 3. Beethoven: Bagatelles, Dances, Ecosaisses
  - 4. Schumann: Kinderscenen
  - 5. Grieg: Lyric Pieces
  - 7. Bartók: Mikrokosmos IV, V, or VI
  - 8. Mendelssohn: Songs without Words
  - 9. Chopin: Mazurkas, Preludes
- **B.** Harmonization (1 point): Harmonize a simple melody using chords and/or figures given in the score (from Packet).

## C. Transposition (1 point):

- 1. Voice/Piano emphasis: Transpose a simple vocal line up or down at least a major third (from Packet).
- 2. Instrumental emphasis: Play a transposing instrument at actual pitch (from Packet).

#### D. Score-Reading (1 point):

- 1. Voice/Piano emphasis: Read a three-part vocal score and play all parts simultaneously (from Packet).
- 2. Instrumental emphasis: Read a three-part string score and play all parts simultaneously (from Packet).
- **E. Sight-Reading (1 point):** Sight-read a simple piece, hands together.

#### **ENSEMBLES**

For all music majors and minors, participation in a Major Ensemble is required each semester. Participation in additional ensembles may be required for specific major concentrations and for students receiving a music scholarship. The Collinsworth School of Music offers a variety of vocal and instrumental performance opportunities. While some of these groups perform at oncampus events, the majority of performances take place at local churches, schools and other venues in Southern California. Most of the groups tour at least once a year in areas such as California, Nevada, Arizona, Texas, Montana, Colorado, Oregon, Washington and more.

In order to preserve the experience and excellence of School of Music performances, students are requested to refrain from posting performance media without written approval from School of Music faculty.

- \*University Choir and Orchestra (MUS 090): Premier large ensemble of over 140 singers and instrumentalists which performs numerous concerts in the local area and on tours throughout the United States. Repertoire includes gospel music, hymn arrangements, and standard classical sacred anthems.
- \*Male Chorale (MUS 092): This ensemble's repertoire features hymns, anthems, spirituals, contemporary, and gospel music for a wide audience. Members of the Male Chorale have many performance opportunities throughout the year culminating in a two-week concert tour in May.
- \*Women's Choir (MUS 091): This ensemble's varied repertoire includes contemporary Christian choral anthems, worship songs, spirituals, gospel music, and the classics. Members of the Women's Choir have many performance opportunities throughout the year culminating in a two-week concert tour in May.
- \*New Song (MUS 094): This choir of women's voices performs a varied repertoire including contemporary Christian choral anthems, worship songs, spirituals, gospel music, and the classics. Members of New Song have many performance opportunities throughout the year culminating in a two-week concert tour in May.
- \*Concert Band (MUS 097): The CBU Concert Band is an ensemble for experienced instrumentalists to hone their individual skills and talents while developing as an ensemble. The band performs works ranging from the standard concert band repertoire to exciting new pieces by the finest young composers to seasonal music and traditional marches. The band performs for a variety of university and community events, local high schools and churches, and gives a concert tour during Spring Break.

<sup>\*</sup>Major Ensembles

**Choral Union (MUS 098):** Comprised of music majors, minors, and scholarship recipients. A public performance of major choral works with orchestra is given each semester. This course is offered for 0 units in the Fall and 1 unit in the Spring. Enrollment is required for all music majors, music minors, and recipients of an annual music scholarship of \$3,000 or more.

Jazz Band (MUS 096): The CBU Jazz Band is in the standard "big band" format (saxes, trumpets, trombones, and rhythm) and performs all traditional and modern jazz styles. The Jazz Band plays great new arrangements in addition to original charts from the best jazz composers for big band, ranging from Duke Ellington to Gordon Goodwin. Students will have the opportunity to develop their improvisation skills. The Jazz Band often features a vocalist.

**Symphony Orchestra** (MUS 099): Symphony Orchestra is open by audition. The group will rehearse and perform the finest examples of orchestral literature, ranging from the 18<sup>th</sup> century to the present. A uniform fee is required.

*Chamber Ensemble (Strings) (MUS 095A):* This ensemble of 9-20 players is dedicated to performing Classical literature primarily for string instruments.

Experiences in Chamber Singing (a.k.a. Chamber Singers) (MUS 093): This 16- to 24-voice vocal ensemble will explore Classical repertoire from all musical eras appropriate for a smaller choir from madrigals to contemporary works and vocal jazz.

**Pep Band:** This powerful group of musicians provides fun, energetic entertainment while elevating our university spirit and supporting our athletic teams at home games, Homecoming events and more. Not offered for credit.

**Small Groups:** Vocal ensembles ranging from six to ten members who perform in local churches and other venues several times each month. These student-led ensembles focus on contemporary sacred songs and a commitment to ministering through music. Each summer, these students travel across the United States on an 8-week concert tour, representing California Baptist University and the School of Music as they sing and minister in churches, schools, and summer camps. Not offered for credit.

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