

**2008 2009 TRANSFER GUIDE
MUSIC, BM: COMPOSITION
UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN COLORADO**

Section I: Degree/Program Requirements

A. Institutional graduation requirements for this degree program.

The graduation requirement for a transfer student pursuing Music: Composition will be no different than the graduation requirements for a native student, including the minimum number of semester hours required for graduation requirements. Specifically, the student must complete the following requirements:

- Complete at least 120 credit hours and
- Successfully complete the required credit hours in the major and
- Submit an application and complete successfully complete an audition to the School of Music and
- MUS 100 Recitals, Concerts and Productions must be taken each semester in residence and
- Individual Performance and Major Musical Organizations during each semester in residence must be completed and
- 6 semesters of piano are required. Levels are determined by advisement and
- Earn at least a 2.00 GPA in courses completed at UNC.

B. Required courses in Major, including pre-requisites and required Support courses in the chart below.

COMMUNITY COLLEGE REQUIRED COURSES: Required courses to be taken as part of AA/AS degree to guarantee the completion of a baccalaureate degree in 60 additional credits after transfer. They are as follow:						
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UNC Course Number	UNC Course Name	UNC CH	CC Course Number	CC Course Name	CC CH	
Required Major Courses		61				
MUS 100	Recitals, Concepts and Productions	0				
MUS 113	Music Theory I	2	MUS 110	Music Theory I	3	
MUS 114	Aural Skills and sight Singing I	2	MUS 110	Music Theory I		
MUS 115	Music Theory II	2	MUS 111	Music Theory II	3	
MUS 116	Aural Skills and Sight Singing II	2	MUS 111	Music Theory II		
MUS 143	Musical Styles and Context	3	MUS 121	Introduction to Music History II	3	
MUS 213	Music Theory III	2				
MUS 214	Aural Skills and Sight Singing III	1				
MUS 215	Music Theory IV	2				
MUS 216	Aural Skills and Sight Singing IV	1				
MUS 277	Individual Instruction in Composition	8				
MUS 301	18 th Century Counterpoint	2				
MUS 302	Form and Analysis	2				
MUS 303	Instrumentation	2				
MUS 319	Instrumental Techniques and Conducting	1				
MUS 323	Choral Techniques and Conducting	2				
MUS 403	Acoustics of Music	2				
MUS 422	Directed Studies in Music (Form & Analysis)	3				
MUS 422	Directed Studies in Music (Electronic Music)	3				

	MUS 422	Directed Studies in Music (Pedagogy of Theory)	3		
	MUS 477	Individual Instruction in Composition	8		
	Major Musical Organization		8		
Major Elective Credits			19		
<i>Select elective credits in consultation with advisor</i>			11		
<i>Select 8 credits of the following courses</i>			8		
	MUS 160	Beginning Class Piano I	1		
	MUS 161	Beginning Class Piano II	1		
	MUS 260	Intermediate Class Piano I	1		
	MUS 261	Intermediate Class Piano II	1		
	MUS 271	Individual Performance in Piano	2-4		
	MUS 471	Individual Performance in Piano	2-4		
Required Supporting Credits			6		
	MUS 243	History of Music I	3		
	MUS 244	History of Music II	3		
TOTAL MAJOR REQUIREMENTS			86		
GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS beyond AA degree			86		
ASSOCIATE OF ARTS DEGREE			60		
TOTAL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS			146		

Section II: Transfer of Credit

- A. Grade Eligibility.
Only academic courses with a letter grade of C or better are transferable. The four-year institution will accept and count toward meeting graduation requirements all state guaranteed general education courses that have a grade of C or better.
- B. UNC accepts some scores of 3 and accepts scores of 4 and above on Advanced Placement tests and scores of 4 and above earned on International Baccalaureate tests.
<http://www.unco.edu/admissions/advanced-placement.asp>
<http://www.unco.edu/admissions/international-baccalaureate.asp>
- C. UNC will accept all approved credits earned with ten years of transfer. Courses earned more than ten years earlier may be evaluated on an individual basis.
- D. UNC may apply state guaranteed general education (gtP) courses toward the major or other graduation requirements if that facilitates the student's graduation more effectively.

Section III: Appeal Process

- A. Institutional Appeal Process
Students who follow this agreement shall have the right to appeal a transfer decision that appears to be inconsistent with the terms and courses listed in this agreement. Appeals pertaining to this 2008-2009 Transfer Guide should be filed with the institution. A student may file an appeal that pertains to state guaranteed general education courses directly to Admissions: Leta.Naber@unco.edu or Barbara.Nelson@unco.edu
- B. State Appeal
For information on the student appeal process, refer to Student Appeal Policy at <http://highered.colorado.gov/Publications/Policies/Current/i-partt.pdf>

