Jacobs School of Music Indiana University

Requirements for: Doctor of Music Percussion

	Credit Hours and Grade Average Required: Minimum Credit Hours. Minimum Graduate GPA. Solution of Credits earned in graduate theory and history & literature review courses, major ensemble, language proficiencies, or tool subjects are not applied to the minimum required hours for graduation. In understanding degree requirements. In questions of official policy the Jacobs School of Music		of Music Bulletin and official notices
supersede this document. Please consult the bulletin for additional details			
Music History & Literature and Music Theory Entrance Proficiencies		Major Field Requirements (36 Credits)	
All new students are required to show proficiency in Music History & Literature and Music Theory. The proficiencies may be satisfied in any of the following ways:		Applied Lessons D900	(3-8 credits per enrollment)
Students may take and pass the graduate entrance exams. Students must take the exams at the beginning of their first semester of enrollment; they may take them for a second time in their second semester. They may not take them again, nor may they take them after their second semester of enrollment. (Note that this includes summer sessions in which students are enrolled. Exams are ordinarily given in the week before classes begin each semester.)		I500 History/Literature M637 M638 F603	Masterclass (0 cr—concurrent with enrollment in D900, if applicable) 10 credits Seminar in Percussion History (3 cr) Percussion Ensemble Literature (3 cr) Seminar in Percussion Performance I
Students may enroll in and pass the graduate review courses listed below: M541 Music History Review for Graduate Students I—3 cr M542 Music History Review for Graduate Students II—3 cr			(2 cr) Seminar in Percussion Performance II (2 cr) 6 credits
T508 Written Theory Review for T509 Sight Singing Review for G T511 Aural Theory Review for G	raduate Students—3 cr	D601 D602 D603 D604	Percussion Recital I (1 cr) Percussion Recital II (1 cr) Percussion Recital III (2 cr) Percussion Recital IV (2 cr)
Students should begin enrolling in review courses from which they are not exempted by examination as soon as possible. <i>The review courses are not offered every semester.</i>		Final Project M620	2 credits Doctoral Final Project (var. credit—2 credits total)
Keyboard Proficiency Examination		Minor Field Requirements (2 minors x 12 credits each)	
All music graduate students must pass a keyboard proficiency examination. This exam is designed to ensure the student's ability to use the keyboard as a tool within the framework of professional activities, and the requirements vary according to level and area of music study. This exam may be repeated as many times as necessary to show proficiency. The exam is offered at the end of each term. Students may enroll in secondary piano lessons as preparation for the exam. Exam must be completed by the end of the 5 th semester of enrollment at the latest.		The Doctor of Music degree requires the first minor field to be selected from Music Education, Music History & Literature, or Music Theory. The second minor field may be a second formal minor, an individualized minor, or guided electives approved by the student's advisory committee chairperson and the director of graduate studies.	
		Tool Subjects	
	les Examination	Bibliography M520	2 credits Introduction to Music Bibliography (2 cr)
All Doctoral students must take the Styles exam in their first spring semester of enrollment. Students who pass the exam meet the requirement. Students who do not pass the exam may retake the exam once with permission of the director of graduate studies, if their score is within a range recommended by the Doctoral Styles Committee. Students who do not pass the exam must earn a grade of B or higher in T545 Introductory Analysis of Music Literature . This course may fall anywhere in the student's curriculum. This requirement must be completed before a student may begin qualifying examinations.		M539	
		Ensemble	
		Participation in a major and/or minor ensemble; assignment determined by the percussion faculty.	
		Qualifying Examinations	
		Students in a doctoral degree program are not considered candidates for the degree until they have passed the qualifying examinations (styles, major field, first minor field, second minor field [if applicable], and orals). Qualifying examinations are taken after all coursework and proficiencies have been completed.	

Student's Responsibility: Students have a threefold responsibility: 1) to know and satisfy the graduation requirements stated in the *Jacobs School of Music Bulletin*; 2) to know their academic standing based on the academic standards stated in the *JSoM Bulletin*; and 3) to know and observe all regulations and academic calendar deadlines as stated in the *Schedule of Classes*, the *JSoM Bulletin*, and the student handbooks. Faculty and staff advisors assist students in planning a program of study to meet degree requirements, but students are responsible for meeting all requirements for their respective degrees and all announced deadlines.