UNIVERSITY of **HOUSTON**

KATHRINE G. McGOVERN COLLEGE OF THE ARTS

Moores School of Music

MASTER OF MUSIC IN MUSIC EDUCATION

PURPOSE: To strengthen the pedagogical skills and broaden the musical knowledge of the music teacher.

MINIMUM ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS:

- 1. Bachelor's degree in music, or Bachelor's degree with Texas music teacher's certification.
- 2. Minimum GPA of 3.00 for last 60 semester hours and 3.00 for all music hours.
- 3. Submission of Graduate Record Examination General Test scores.
- 4. Submission of TOEFL or IELTS scores (as applicable) that meet University of Houston minimum standards.
- 5. Applications should include: three letters of recommendation, a current *curriculum vitae*, copy of a teaching certification or certification plan, statement of purpose, statement of teaching philosophy, and a 20-30 minute video in lieu of a live audition.

DEGREE PROGRAM:

Course number	Course name	CREDITS
MUSI 6300	Research Methods in Musicology	3
MUED 6301	Introduction to Music Education Research	3
MUED 6310	Curriculum & Assessment	3
MUED 6315	Teaching & Learning Theories	3
	Music Education Specialization: Course plan to be designed by student and Coordinator of Music Education.	12
	Music history/literature or theory electives	6
MUED 7399	Music Education Final Project	3

TOTAL CREDIT HOURS: 33

COMPREHENSIVE EXAMINATION REQUIREMENT: Students must pass a comprehensive examination in the last semester of study.

FINAL PROJECT REQUIREMENT: Students must submit a final project in music education research through MUED 7399. Projects generally emerge from coursework and result in either a research paper or pedagogical presentation.