

UNIVERSITY of HOUSTON

KATHRINE G. McGOVERN COLLEGE OF THE ARTS

Moore School of Music

MASTER OF MUSIC IN MUSICOLOGY

PURPOSE: To provide advanced training in musicological research and writing for students pursuing a career in the college-level teaching of musicology, music literature, or music criticism.

MINIMUM ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS:

1. Bachelor's degree in music.
2. Minimum GPA of 3.00 for last 60 semester hours and 3.00 for all music hours. Minimum 3.25 GPA in all music literature and music history courses in undergraduate degree program.
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. Submission of two research papers, at least one of which should be from an undergraduate music history/literature class, providing evidence of appropriate ability in research and writing.

DEGREE PROGRAM:

COURSE NUMBER	COURSE NAME	CREDITS
MUSI 6300	Research Methods in Musicology	3
	Musicology electives	15
	Music theory elective	3
	Free graduate electives	6
MUSI 6399 & 7399	Master's Thesis	6

TOTAL CREDIT HOURS: 33

FOREIGN LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT: Students must demonstrate reading proficiency in French or German.

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

THESIS REQUIREMENT: Students must submit a master's thesis exhibiting original research in an area of musicology.