

## **DEGREE CHECKLIST:**

### **MASTER OF MUSIC IN PIANO ACCOMPANYING AND CHAMBER MUSIC**

The Master of Music degree in Piano Accompanying and Chamber Music is intended for musicians who desire to pursue graduate study in the field of accompanying in order to continue the development of their creative skills. The goals of the Master of Music degree are to provide advanced training in a specific emphasis area, confer degrees to students who can communicate musical knowledge in oral and written form and prepare students for employment in the field of music.

#### **Major Studies:**

MUSAPV 618-22: Applied Ensemble Performance	8 credits
MUS 592K: Survey of Keyboard Chamber Music	2 credits
MUS 592G: Survey of Song Literature -- German Lied	3 credits
MUS 592F: Survey of Song Literature -- French Art Song	2 credits
MUS 592: Continuo Seminar	2 credits
MUS 692: Graduate Accompanying Recitals (4 required, at least 2 full)	4 credits

#### **Other Music Studies:**

THEORY: Two required from among the approved courses listed on page nine of this document 6 credits

HISTORY: Two required from among the approved courses listed on page eight of this document 6 credits

#### **Electives:**

None

**Total for the MM in Piano Accompanying and Chamber Music:** 33 credits

**Auditions:** Recorded performances and video tapes may be accepted in lieu of an on-campus audition for students who live too far from campus to audition in person but the faculty reserves the right to require an on-campus audition prior to any admission decision. While special audition appointments can be made, applicants should make every effort to attend one of the scheduled audition dates in December or February. Requests to schedule an audition may be made online at [http://www.umass.edu/music/admissions/audition\\_request\\_forms.html](http://www.umass.edu/music/admissions/audition_request_forms.html). Specific audition requirements may be found at <http://www.umass.edu/music/admissions/audition.html>. Questions about audition scheduling may be directed to:

Director of Admissions  
Department of Music & Dance  
273 Fine Arts Center East  
University of Massachusetts  
Amherst MA 01003-9330  
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