



Music Performance

The Music Performance path combines the theoretical, historical, and global exploration of music essential to all Northeastern’s music degrees with a special focus on performance activities – from lessons on an individual instrument and solo recitals, to ensembles and concerts, to the collaborative and multidisciplinary stage practices of theater. This path of study is complemented by many extracurricular performance opportunities, such as through campus a capella groups or Boston’s local music scene.

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Theory	Music in Context	Capstone	Recommended Music Electives	Recommended Non-Music Electives	Relevant Co-ops
MUSC 1201 Music Theory 1 MUSC 1202 Music Theory 2 Additional music theory elective (ex. MUSC 2208 Jazz Improvisation or MUSC 2303 Tonal Form)	Traditional – choose any offering Ethnomusicology – choose any offering Contemporary – choose any offering Creative – choose any offering	<i>MUSC 4xxx Music Research Capstone [new course]</i> Or MUST 4611 Music Technology Capstone/Senior Recital	MUSC 1142 Pop, Jazz, and Rock Singing MUSC 2150 Making a Musical: Analysis, Craft, and Creation MUSC 3337 Writing About Music MUSC 3410 Recital 1 MUSC 4622 Recital 2 Lessons Ensembles Additional courses from “Traditional,” “Ethnomusicology,” “Contemporary” or “Creative” categories	THTR 1130 Introduction to Acting <i>THTR 1500 Musical Theatre Performance 1: “Acting the Song” [new course]</i> THTR 1260 Movement for the Actor THTR 3570 Musical Theatre Performance 2	Experiential Co-op

About BA in Music paths:

- BA in Music students are not required to follow one path, but are encouraged to explore them and consult relevant path advisors as they discover their passions and the field’s possibilities.
- All paths assume that the student will take MUSC 1000 Music at Northeastern, and MUSC 1001 Music in Everyday Life.
- The number of music electives recommended may exceed the number of music electives required for the major (4).
- Recommended non-music electives do not count toward major requirements.

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