Music Education Post-Baccalaureate Teacher Preparation Program Application for Admission

The attached Application Form serves as the cover page for the Music Post-Baccalaureate Teacher Preparation (Music PBTP) packet. Please submit the following materials **in one package**.

- 1. <u>Application Form</u> Use the form provided.
- 2. <u>Statement of Purpose</u> Applicants for the Music PBTP program must have a passion for both Music and for teaching. Be sure to address your passion and skills in music and share your view of yourself as an accomplished musician. Also describe your commitment to working with students in grades pre-K-12 as demonstrated by experiences you bring to this program. In addition, you may also wish to include your beliefs about the teaching/learning process. Your Statement of Purpose must be typed.
- Official Transcripts You must request one official transcript from each institution (college/university) you have attended. If you include these official transcripts in your packet, they must be in sealed envelopes as prepared by the institution. Another option is to have each institution send the transcripts directly to: Music Post-Baccalaureate Teacher Preparation Program, Attn. Dr. Patricia Riley, 304 Southwick Hall, 392 S. Prospect St., Burlington, VT 05405.
- 4. <u>Letters of Recommendation</u>- Submit a minimum of three (3) letters of recommendation in support of your application to the Music PBTP program. Letters should address aspects of the applicant's qualifications that are discussed in the statement of purpose, promise of professional development, general character, and potential as a music educator. Included should be the length of time and in what capacity the individual has known the applicant, as well as the telephone number and email address for follow-up contact if required by the Admissions Committee.
- <u>Audition</u> Passing a Level II audition is a requirement for this program. For information regarding auditioning for the Music Department, go to http://www.uvm.edu/~music/?Page=auditions.html
- <u>Submit all materials to</u> Music Post-Baccalaureate Teacher Preparation Program, Attn: Dr. Patricia Riley, 304 Southwick Hall, 392 S. Prospect St., Burlington, VT, 05405

To ensure proper handling, please place all application materials in a large manila envelope. The program and college reserve the right to request additional information.

Music Education Licensure Grades PreK-12

The Music Post-Baccalaureate Teacher Preparation Program (PBTP) is designed for individuals who have a bachelor's degree in music and who want to become licensed to teach in Vermont or elsewhere. The basic program fulfills the professional education requirements for state licensure.

All applicants to the Post-Baccalaureate Teacher Preparation (Post-Bac) Program must meet the following general entrance criteria:

- A bachelor's degree in music from an accredited institution of higher education.
- A general education background based on those studies known as liberal arts, which embrace the broad areas of the social and behavioral sciences, mathematics, biological, and physical sciences, the humanities, and the arts.
- A demonstrated commitment to working with children and young people and a passion to teach music.
- A minimum overall grade point average of 3.0 in undergraduate coursework.

The Music Education PBTP program is designed to serve students with an interest in Music and Education. Students in this licensure area take classes in both the Music Department and the College of Education and Social Services. Successful completion of the program leads to state licensure as a music educator in pre-kindergarten through grade 12.

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Music Post-Baccalaureate Teacher Professional Education Courses	Credit Hours
Professional Education (3 courses)	9
HDFS 005 - Human Development	
EDSP 005 - Issues Affecting Persons with Disabilities	
EDFS 203 - Social, Historical and Philosophical Foundations of Education	
Music and Music Education Courses	Credit Hours
MU 060 - Introduction to Music Technology	3
MU 076 – Brass Techniques	2
MU 077 – String Techniques	2
MU 078 – Woodwind Techniques	2
MU 079 – Percussion Techniques	2
MU 080 – Vocal Techniques	2
MU 085 - Introduction to Music Education	3
MU 159 – Theory and Practice of Jazz Improvisation 1	3
MU 181 – Conducting	3
MU 270 – General Music Methods	3
MU 271 - General Music Practicum	1
MU 272 – Choral Music Methods	2
MU 273 – Choral Music Practicum	1
MU 274 – Instrumental Music Methods	2
MU 275 – Instrumental Music Practicum	1
MU 281 – Advanced Conducting	3
MU 289 – Teaching Internship (Student Teaching) Seminar	1
MU 290 – Teaching Internship (Student Teaching)	11
Likely completed prior to enrollment in Music PBTP program:	
Four courses in Music Theory	(minimum) 12
Four courses in Aural Skills	(minimum) 4
Two courses in Music History	(minimum) 6
Nine semesters private lessons in a single primary instrument	(minimum)17
Two semesters of a single secondary instrument	(minimum) 4
Two semesters of Group Piano	(minimum) 2
Seven ensemble experiences	(minimum) 7
Senior Recital	1

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Full Name:							
Last	Last First Middle			Maiden			
Home/Permanent Address:							
E-mail Address:							
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List in chronological order all colleges and universities attended . Continue on separate sheet if necessary. ONE OFFICIAL transcript from each institution must be sent by the institution to: Music Post-Baccalaureate Teacher Preparation Program, Attn: Dr. Patricia Riley, 304 Southwick Hall, 392 S. Prospect St., Burlington, VT 05405							
Name of Institution	on		Dates Attended	Major (as listed on transcript)	Degree (as listed on transcript)		
Undergraduate				1 /	1 /		
Graduate							
List relevant pro	ofessional wor	k experience: (continue on separate	page if more room	is required)		
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Dates Name and Address of Employer			Position				

I understand that withholding information requested on this application or giving false information will make me ineligible for admission to the University or subject to dismissal. With this in mind, I certify that the above statements are correct and complete.

Signature

Date