



NEW PROGRAM PROPOSAL FORM

Sponsoring Institution(s): State Fair Community College

Program Title: Music

Degree/Certificate: Associate of Fine Arts

Options: N/A

Delivery Site(s): Sedalia

CIP Classification: 50.0101

*CIP code can be cross-referenced with programs offered in your region on MDHE's program inventory higher.mo.gov/ProgramInventory/search.jsp

Implementation Date: Fall 2016

Cooperative Partners: N/A

*If this is a collaborative program, form CL must be included with this proposal

AUTHORIZATION:

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STUDENT ENROLLMENT PROJECTIONS

Year	1	2	3	4	5
Full Time	45	46	47	48	50
Part Time	15	15	15	15	15
Total	60	61	62	63	65

Please provide a rationale regarding how student enrollment projections were calculated:

After a period of enrollment growth State Fair Community College has seen a slight enrollment decline the past 2 years. During this time interest in the Music program has remained consistent and we expect enrollment to grow slightly over the next few years.

Provide a rationale for proposing this program, including evidence of market demand and societal need supported by research:

Due to the strong student interest in Music at SFCC we have investigated the viability of offering an AFA degree with emphasis in Music. The curricular demands for additional Music courses make completing an Associate of Arts degree difficult for Music majors because of the number of necessary credit hours.

Additionally, this new degree is being added to simplify the transfer experience for a music student. The program specific courses are typically required courses for a four-year BFA degree in music. The degree would require no additional resources. The classes required are already being offered and classrooms are already available. Instructional resources are already in place.



PROGRAM STRUCTURE

A. Total credits required for graduation: 67

B. Residency requirements, if any: 15 credit hours

C. General education: Total credits: 42

Courses (specific courses OR distribution area and credits):

Course Number	Credits	Course Title
Communication	9	
American Institutions	3	
Social Sciences	3	
Behavioral Sciences	3	
Literature	3	
Fine Arts	6	
Humanities	3	
Mathematics	3	
Life & Physical Science	8	
Wellness	1	

D. Major requirements: Total credits: 25

Course Number	Credits	Course Title
MUS 100	3	Fundamentals of Music
MUS 105	1	Fundamentals of Aural Training
MUS 106	3	Music Theory I
MUS 109	1	Aural Training I
MUS 107	3	Music Theory II
MUS 110	1	Aural Training II
MUS 108	3	Music Theory III
MUS 111	1	Aural Training III
MUS 145	2	Beginning Piano Class I
MUS 146	2	Beginning Piano Class II
MUS	0	Concert and Recital Attendance
MUS Electives	5	Any other Music classes

E. Free elective credits: 0
 (Sum of C, D, and E should equal A.)

F. Requirements for thesis, internship or other capstone experience:
 N/A

G. Any unique features such as interdepartmental cooperation:
 N/A

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PROGRAM CHARACTERISTICS AND PERFORMANCE GOALS

Institution Name State Fair Community College
Program Name Associate of Fine Arts, Music
Date 8/20/15

(Although all of the following guidelines may not be applicable to the proposed program, please carefully consider the elements in each area and respond as completely as possible in the format below. Quantification of performance goals should be included wherever possible.)

1. Student Preparation

- Any special admissions procedures or student qualifications required for this program which exceed regular university admissions, standards, e.g., ACT score, completion of core curriculum, portfolio, personal interview, etc. Please note if no special preparation will be required.
No special preparation or qualifications which exceed regular college admissions is required.
- Characteristics of a specific population to be served, if applicable.
This degree will provide students with the first two years of study toward a Bachelor of Fine Arts at a four-year college or university

2. Faculty Characteristics

- Any special requirements (degree status, training, etc.) for assignment of teaching for this degree/certificate.
Faculty have a masters degree or higher in the discipline or subfield in which they teach. If a faculty member has a master's degree in a discipline other than that in which he or she is teaching, that faculty must have a minimum of 18 graduate hours in the discipline or subfield in which they teach.
- Estimated percentage of credit hours that will be assigned to full time faculty. Please use the term "full time faculty" (and not FTE) in your descriptions here.
Approximately 50% of the theatre courses are taught by full time faculty
- Expectations for professional activities, special student contact, teaching/learning innovation.
Faculty are expected to stay current in their discipline through a combination of conferences, workshops, courses, educational associations or other forms of approved professional development.

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3. Enrollment Projections

- Student FTE majoring in program by the end of five years.
50
- Percent of full time and part time enrollment by the end of five years.
75% full time, 25% part time

4. Student and Program Outcomes

- Number of graduates per annum at three and five years after implementation.
21 after three years, 26 after 5 years
- Special skills specific to the program.
NA
- Proportion of students who will achieve licensing, certification, or registration.
NA
- Performance on national and/or local assessments, e.g., percent of students scoring above the 50th percentile on normed tests; percent of students achieving minimal cut-scores on criterion-referenced tests. Include expected results on assessments of general education and on exit assessments in a particular discipline as well as the name of any nationally recognized assessments used.
50% of students will score at or above the 50th percentile on the exit exam.
- Placement rates in related fields, in other fields, unemployed.
NA - This degree is primarily for transfer students.
- Transfer rates, continuous study.
70 percent of graduates will go on for further study.

5. Program Accreditation

- Institutional plans for accreditation, if applicable, including accrediting agency and timeline. **If there are no plans to seek specialized accreditation, please provide a rationale.**
There are no plans to seek specialized accreditation for this program. State Fair Community College is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools.

6. Alumni and Employer Survey

- Expected satisfaction rates for alumni, *including timing and method of surveys*.
NA
- Expected satisfaction rates for employers, including timing and method of surveys.

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NA

7. Institutional Characteristics

- Characteristics demonstrating why your institution is particularly well-equipped to support the program.

State Fair Community College has several transfer agreements with area colleges and universities and we work closely with our transfer partners to ensure students have minimal issues when transferring. SFCC has recently implemented a navigator program which gives students a personal contact to help them efficiently plan their course schedule.