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New Course Request

USD	Music	
Institution	Division/Department	
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Institutional Approval Signature		Date

Section 1. Course Title and Description

Prefix & No.	Course Title	Credits
MUS 101	Introduction to Musical Studies	1

Course Description
<p>This course is designed to introduce students to the study of music and to prepare them for success during their collegiate and professional musical career and beyond. It will present students with the resources available on campus, both inside and outside the College of Fine Arts, as well as focusing on strategies that foster good study habits, practice routines, performance skills, musicians' health: mental, hearing and physical, time management, academic planning, goal setting, and music career exploration.</p>

Pre-requisites or Co-requisites N/A

Registration Restrictions N/A

Section 2. Review of Course

2.1. Will this be a unique or common course (place an "X" in the appropriate box)?

Unique Course

If the request is for a unique course, institutions must review the common course catalog in the system course database to determine if a comparable common course already exists. List the two closest course matches in the common course catalog and provide a brief narrative explaining why the proposed course differs from those listed. If a search of the common course catalog determines an existing common course exists, complete the Authority to Offer an Existing Course Form. Courses requested without an attempt to find comparable courses will not be reviewed.

Prefix & No.	Course Title	Credits
ASC 100	First Year Seminar – USD, DSU	1-3
MUS 119	First Year Seminar – SDSU	2
NURS 119	First Year Seminar – USD, SDSU	1-2

Provide explanation of differences between proposed course and existing system catalog courses below:

There are no comparable common course matches to this course in the Course Inventory Report. MUS 101 introduces students to the exploration of musical studies as well as USD campus resources and provides pathways to potential musical careers. ASC 100 is a general first year experience course. MUS 101 will focus on helping students learn strategies for academic success in the Music program by providing strategies for practice and performance, musician specific health and safety, and career assistance and planning with the music field. The MUS 119 course does not compare directly to the USD proposal for two reasons. The first is that USD does not share the same mission as SDSU. The description is specific to the land grant institution. In addition, the SDSU course is offered for two credits, while MUS 101 will

only be offered for one credit due to a different teaching plan and current number of credits within the degrees. NURS 119 is a discipline specific course for nursing that would not apply to music.

Section 3. Other Course Information

3.1. Are there instructional staffing impacts?

- No.** Schedule Management, explain below:
Music faculty will be reassigned to cover courses. The addition of this course does not change any faculty members load. Applied lessons will also be shifted to balance faculty loads.

3.2. Existing program(s) in which course will be offered (i.e., any current or pending majors, minors, certificates, etc.): BM: Music Education; BM: Music Performance; BMA: Musical Arts; Music Minor

3.3. Proposed instructional method by university (as defined by [AAC Guideline 5.4](#)): *If requesting an instructional method that is exempt from the [Section Size Guidelines](#), please provide a brief description of how the course is appropriate for the instructional method, as defined in AAC Guidelines.* R: Lecture

3.4. Proposed delivery method by university (as defined by [AAC Guideline 5.5](#)): 001 Face-to-face

3.5. Term change will be effective: Fall 2022

3.6. Can students repeat the course for additional credit?

- Yes, total credit limit: _____ No

3.7. Will grade for this course be limited to S/U (pass/fail)?

- Yes No

3.8. Will section enrollment be capped?

- Yes, max per section: _____ No

3.9. Will this course equate (i.e., be considered the same course for degree completion) with any other unique or common courses in the common course system database?

- Yes No

3.10. Is this prefix approved for your university?

- Yes No

Section 4. Department and Course Codes (Completed by University Academic Affairs)

4.1. University Department Code: Music

4.2. Banner Department Code: UMUS

4.3. Proposed [CIP Code](#): 50.0901

Is this a new CIP code for the university? Yes No