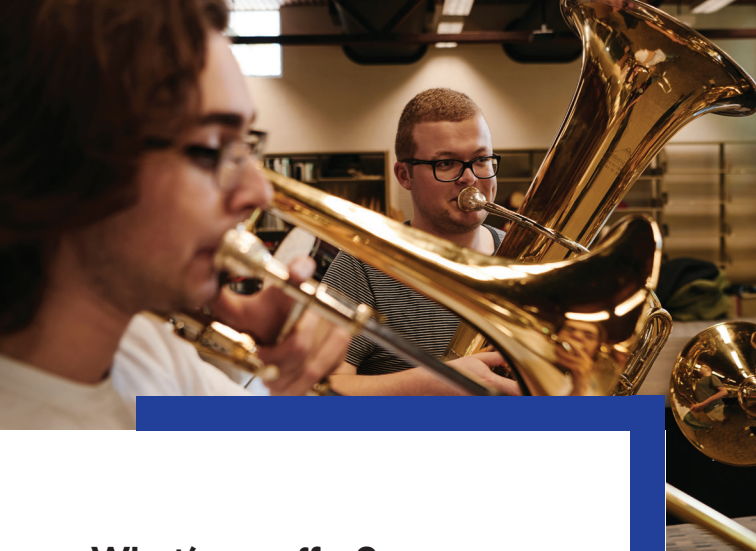




Music minors and elective units

Conservatorium
of Music



What's on offer?

Studying at UWA gives you options. You can take a minor, or take units that complement your major, suit your career goals, or are simply of personal interest.

UWA's Conservatorium of Music offers a number of stimulating and enjoyable units that accrue credit toward your degree. Whether or not you have studied music at secondary level, or can read music, you can enrich your degree by including music units in your study plan.

Music minors and elective units

Choose a four unit minor in Musicology, Applied Music or Digital Creativity or take individual units of music, including practical ensembles. You can choose from many areas (e.g. songwriting, musicology, electronic music, chamber ensembles) including practical music ensembles for beginners (ukulele, percussion, a diversity of choirs).

Applied Music

This minor combines practical performance studies with the study of music, within moving images, and popular music within a global perspective.

Musicology

This minor investigates the social and intellectual facets of music's composition, performance and reception, and how these contribute to musical meaning.

Digital Creativity

The Digital Creativity minor enables students to study emerging digital platforms used in arts, media and design.

Electives

Students studying other majors can enrol in Music units as electives.

Gain a unique global perspective on music as a social and cultural phenomenon in MUSC1350 Popular Music in Global Perspectives; or explore the significant roles played by women in all aspects of music throughout history in MUSC1351 Women in Music.

Our wide range of music units includes the popular Songwriting unit (designed for beginners) and topics in Musicology (History, Culture and Contexts), Music Language (Harmony and Aural) and Electronic Music.

For a full list of available units visit:

handbook.uwa.edu.au

Music ensemble units

Our Music Ensemble units have been specially designed to give you the opportunity to play in music ensembles, **whatever your skill level**. There are four different Music Ensemble units. Within these units you can enrol in a number of different ensemble options depending on your ability and experience.



‘The music ensemble units work to enhance and develop people coming from a variety of levels. Broadway Choir and percussion ensemble have made me more confident in performance, enhanced my rhythm and technique and challenged me to go out of my comfort zone with percussion solos and beatboxing. I would do it every semester if I could!’

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Ensembles for experienced musicians

By enrolling in one of our advanced ensembles, experienced performers can continue their musical journey whether or not they are taking a major in music.

Advanced ensembles provide the opportunity to perform celebrated repertoire with other talented musicians.

Advanced ensembles may include:

- Symphony Orchestra
- Wind Orchestra
- Guitar Ensemble
- Jazz Ensemble
- Brass Ensemble
- Flute Choir
- Con-Cantorum (vocal)

The required standard for each ensemble is available on our website.

Some ensembles may require an audition.



Ensembles for everyone

Do you love music but have never formally learned to play or sing?

Interested in music from other cultures or simply want to learn a new skill?

We offer a range of ensembles that are open to students of all abilities and musical backgrounds – no audition required!

Ensembles may include:

- Symphonic Chorus
- Percussion Ensembles
- Ukulele Ensemble
- Broadway Choir
- Drums and more
- Rock/Pop Guitar for beginners

Further information

For further details about music units and ensembles, including prerequisites and the required standard for our advanced ensembles visit:

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