

## **Yearly Program Study Plan; M.Mus. Performance; Organ (Thesis)**

### **Overview:**

It is possible for a student to complete the program in 3 terms, but most students choose to complete the program in 4 terms.

Please note that your performance exams are considered the equivalent of a thesis. You do not have to submit a written thesis.

**Complete program requirements can be found here:** <https://www.mcgill.ca/music/programs/mmus-organ/requirements-courses>.

### **Registration Confirmation:**

All students at the graduate level must confirm their registration every year. This is done by adding the following course in Minerva for each semester: REGN RCGR.

### **Additional required courses**

Please verify your letter of acceptance from uApply to see if you were assigned one or more undergraduate courses to be completed before completion of the master's degree, typically MUPD 560 Introduction to Research Methods and/or continuo.

### **Course load**

You should register for a minimum of 12 credits per term for the first three terms.

### **Practical instruction (lessons)**

Students must submit a Practical Instruction Request Form each year. You should have received an email from our Admissions Office about this, but if you have not submitted it yet, please do so immediately. The form can be found here: <https://www.mcgill.ca/music/2020-21-teacher-request-form>.

### **Program audit**

Students who have started the program after Fall 2017 can follow their program on myProgress: <https://www.mcgill.ca/gps/myprogress>.

## 1<sup>st</sup> year plan

Fall term	# credits	Winter term	# credits
REGN RCGR (Registration Confirmation Course Number)		REGN RCGR (Registration Confirmation Course Number)	
MUPD 560 Intro to Research Methods in Music (if assigned)	1	MUIN 621 Performance Tutorial 2	3
MUGS 605 Graduate Performance Colloquium	0	MUPG 272D2 Continuo (if assigned)	2
MUIN 620 Performance Tutorial 1	3	MUxx 6xx Seminar two*	3
MUPG 272D1 Continuo (if assigned)	2	MUxx xxx Ensemble(s) or complementary performance credits**	1-3
MUxx 6xx Seminar one*	3	MUPG 6xx Performance Exam Credits***	3 to 6
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\*Students must do three 3-credit graduate seminars at the 600-level for a total of 9 credits. One must have the prefix MUPP, the second must have a prefix of MUCO, MUGS, MUGT, MUHL MUPP or MUTH and 3 credits from MUHL 591D1/D2, MUTH 602, MUTH 603 or any other seminar of your choice. Please see the seminar offerings at: <https://www.mcgill.ca/music/programs/graduate-seminars>.

\*\*Audition required. See ensemble audition website at: <https://www.mcgill.ca/music/ensembles>.

\*\*\*Students must do 18 credits of exams. One must be a 9-credit exam (MUPG 600). The remaining credits can be another 9-credit exam or a combination of 3- and 6-credit exams. Please discuss your options with your teacher early in the academic year and register for the correct course number(s) before the add/drop deadline. If you are doing a 9-credit exam in the first year, please register for MUPG 600 D1/D2 option which splits the credits between both terms.

<https://www.mcgill.ca/music/programs/mmus-organ/performance-exams>.

## 2<sup>nd</sup> year plan

Fall term	# credits	Winter term	# credits
REGN RCGR (Registration Confirmation Course Number)		REGN RCGR (Registration Confirmation Course Number)***	
MUIN 622 or MUIN 622D1/D2 Performance Tutorial 2*	3		
MUxx 6xx Seminar three**	3		
MUxx xxx Ensemble(s) or complementary performance credits****	1-3		
MUPG 6xx Performance Exam Credits	3 to 9		

\*Second year performance students have the option of taking all 13 instrument lessons in the Fall term or split them between the Fall and Winter terms. Those who wish to split the lessons over the whole year should register for the D1/D2 option of the course.

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\*\*\*The M.Mus. Program is designed to be completed in 3 terms, but over 90% of students register for an extra term in order to complete the program. If you remain registered for an extra term, it is possible that you will not have any credits during the fourth term (if you have registered for all of your required courses), but you must confirm your registration (REGN RCGR course). Fees will be assessed at the “additional session” rate for the fourth term of studies.

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Note: All courses, including ensembles, extra to the program will be charged as “extra” at the per-credit rate in addition to the flat-rate graduate studies fees.