WHEATON COLLEGE
For Christ & His Kingdom

Christ at the Core General Education Requirements
Conservatory of Music (BM and BME degrees)
(2021-2022 Catalog)

Core Competencies (up to 6 hours)

- ❑ First Year Writing: ENGW 103
- ❑ Oral Communication: COMM 101 or 252 (2 hrs)

Note:
A competency exams is available for Oral Communicaiton.
Variations may occur when requirements are met through testing and/or transfer credit.

Shared Core (common courses) (18 hours)

- ❑ First Year Seminar: Enduring Questions (CORE 101, 4 hours)
- ❑ Old Testament (4 hrs) - BITH 211, ARCH 211, or BITH 221
- ❑ New Testament (4 hrs) - BITH 213, or ARCH 213
- ❑ Christian Thought: BITH 315
- ❑ Advanced Integrative Seminar (See Thematic Core requirements below to fulfill AIS)
- ❑ Senior Capstone (MUCS 494, 2 hours)
  (Exceptions: Elective Studies in Third World Studies will take HNGR 494; BME will take EDUC 494)

Note:
Shared Core courses are expected to be completed at Wheaton College. (Transfer students who have taken in-person courses at a residential Christian College may meet 2 of the BITH requirements with transfer credit.)

Thematic Core (common outcomes)

Fulfill the requirements below. One of the courses <u>must</u> be an Advanced Integrative Seminar (AIS), and it is advised to select double-tagged courses.

Category I (Choose one theme from this category)

- ❑ Diversity in the United States – DUS
- ❑ Global Perspectives – GP

Category II (Choose two themes from this category)

- ❑ Applied Abstract and Quantitative Reasoning - AAQR
- ❑ Historical Perspectives – HP
- ❑ Literary Explorations – LE
- ❑ Philosophical Investigations – PI
- ❑ Scientific Issues and Perspectives – SIP
- ❑ Scientific Practice – SP
- ❑ Social Inquiry – SI

Visual and Performing Arts (Choose one theme from this category) (2 hrs)

- ❑ Visual and Performing Arts – Art - VPAV
- ❑ Visual and Performing Arts – Theater – VPAT

Note:
No more than one theme may be met with transfer credit. Transfer courses will receive one tag only.
Some Wheaton courses will have more than one tag.
Up to 3 tags may be applied to meet both Thematic Core requirements and major requirements.

* For more details, see specific degree requirements: https://catalog.wheaton.edu/undergraduate/music/degree-programs/