



INDEPENDENT STUDY AGREEMENT
BLAIR SCHOOL OF MUSIC | VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY

Student Name: _____ Commodore ID: _____
Semester/Year: _____

Approval to Enroll / Study Plan / Contract Agreement

Complete and return to Blair Associate Dean prior to 10th day of classes.

Select One Project:	Course Number	Course Description	Specify Credit:
<input type="checkbox"/>	MUSL 3850	Independent Study: Development and execution of a program of study in musicology or ethnomusicology under the direction of a member of the department. (variable credit, 1-3 credits)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	MPED 3870	Pedagogy Practicum: Principles and procedures of private teaching. Reading and research under the direction of a faculty sponsor, consistent with requirements for Independent Study. Practicum with private students. Consent of the faculty sponsor is required. [Variable credit: 1-2]	
<input type="checkbox"/>	MPED 3880	Pedagogy Internship: Focused experience in the teaching of performance under the direction of a faculty sponsor in that performance area (consent required). Involves a specific program of regular consultation between student and supervising teacher. Open only to students seeking concentration in pedagogy. Prerequisites (see Catalog). [Variable credit: 1-3]	
<input type="checkbox"/>	MUSO 3850	Independent Study: Development of a project or a program of reading under the direction of a faculty sponsor. (variable credit, 1-3 credits)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	MENT 3880	Music Internship (1 credit hour): Academic research and writing related to a co-requisite internship experience under the direction of a faculty sponsor. Prerequisite: 2.9 GPA, sophomore standing, and approval of project prospectus by faculty sponsor and by Associate Dean. Counts as music elective credit for B.Mus students. Suggested Grading Basis / Work Expectation: 50% Daily journal entries summarizing the day's work and reflecting on its place within the field 50% One longer reflective paper (6-10 pages)	1 CR
<input type="checkbox"/>	MENT 3881	Music Internship (3 credit hours): An extensive academic program of study related to a co-requisite internship experience under the direction of a faculty sponsor. Prerequisite: 2.9 GPA, sophomore standing, and approval of project prospectus by faculty sponsor and by Associate Dean. Suggested Grading Basis / Work Expectation: 10% summaries or assessments of a minimum of 4 scholarly articles or book chapters on a subject related to the internship 20% each: 2 short (3 page) position papers 30% One longer reflective paper (6-10 pages) 20% Daily journal entries summarizing the day's work and reflecting on its place within the field	3 CR
<input type="checkbox"/> Non Subsidized	MENT 3882	Summer Music Internship: Academic research and writing related to a co-requisite internship experience under the direction of a faculty sponsor. Prerequisite: 2.9 GPA, sophomore standing, and approval of project prospectus by faculty sponsor and by Associate Dean. Offered on a pass/fail basis only. Counts as free elective only for B.Mus students. Grading Basis / Work Expectation: 50% Daily journal entries summarizing the day's work and reflecting on its place within the field 50% One longer reflective paper (6-10 pages)	1 CR
<input type="checkbox"/> Subsidized section. See note.	MENT 3882	NOTE: Subsidized section requires approval from the Center for Student Professional Development: http://www.vanderbilt.edu/career/students/summerinternshipsubsidy.php	

Project Title:		
PROJECT STUDY PLAN	Attach a typed comprehensive overview of project. Include project objectives, goals, written assignments, expected readings, grading expectations, number and length of weekly meetings with sponsor, and any other pertinent information.	
Faculty Sponsor (print):		Signature/Date:
Academic Adviser (print):		Signature/Date:
Student Home School Associate Dean [for A&S, GPC, ENG students only]		Signature/Date:
Blair Associate Dean (print): (Must be received by 10th day of class)		Signature/Date:

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