# DOCTORAL DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

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## DOCTOR of MUSICAL ARTS

**MAJOR:** Conducting  
**CONCENTRATION:** Choral Conducting  
Program effective **Fall 2022**

## COURSEWORK REQUIREMENTS

- Master’s degree or equivalent ................................................................. 32 hours

**Core Coursework**

- Music Theory (excluding MUTH 5811, MUTH 5821, and Music Technology courses) ....................................... 9 hours
- Enrollment in three semesters, as advised, of:
  - GDMA 6042  Graduate Recital – Doctor of Musical Arts Degree, and/or
  - LDMA 6052  Graduate Lecture/Chamber Recital – Doctor of Musical Arts Degree .............................. 6 hours
  - Total ........................................................................................................... 15 hours

**Choral Conducting Area of Concentration**

- MUTE 6252  Choral Conducting ................................................................. 8 hours
  - No more than the required 8 hours may be applied to the degree.
- MUTE 6152  Choral Score Studies ............................................................... 8 hours
  - No more than the required 8 hours may be applied to the degree.
- Musicology/Music Literature ...................................................................... 9 hours
  - No coursework taken to remediate deficiencies in Musicology determined by the student’s score on the Preliminary Exam may be used to fulfill this requirement. It may, however, be used as elective credit, providing it is at the 5000 or 6000 level.
- Electives, as approved by graduate liaison and program advisor ................ 12 hours
  - Total ........................................................................................................... 37 hours

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- MUS 6880  Doctor of Musical Arts Project .................................................. 6 hours
  - No more than the required 6 hours may be applied to the degree.

- **TOTAL** .................................................................................................... 90 hours