MUSIC, MM: STRING PEDAGOGY

This concentration is designed for the music student who wishes to concentrate primarily on the pedagogy of his/her major performing string instrument. A student must successfully pass an audition at a satisfactory level of performance for admission to the program.

Applicant proposing concentration in Music Performance String Pedagogy must demonstrate outstanding performance skills. An on-site audition is required; in extreme cases, recorded examples of an applicant’s performance may be accepted in lieu of an in-person audition. Applicant should contact faculty in the appropriate performance area to inquire about specific audition repertoire and procedures.

While prospective students are not required to submit Graduate Record Examination (http://uwm.edu/graduateschool/admission/#gre) scores, they are strongly advised to take these tests before or early in their graduate work if they wish to be considered for a UWM Distinguished Graduate Student Fellowship or if they plan to continue their graduate work after completing a master’s degree at UWM.

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Minimum degree requirement is 34 graduate credits, all of which must be in specified music areas.

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### Performance

**Select one of the following (1 credit each for 2 semesters):**

- MUSPERF 541 Master Class in String Instruments, Violin
- MUSPERF 542 Master Class in String Instruments, Viola
- MUSPERF 543 Master Class in String Instruments, Violoncello
- MUSPERF 7XX String Instruments Violin/Viola/Cello (2 cr each for 4 semesters)

**Select the following for 1 credit each for 2 semesters:**

- MUSIC 782 Symphony Orchestra
- MUSIC 755 Advanced Instrumental Repertoire I: Strings
- MUSIC 756 Advanced Instrumental Repertoire II: Strings

### Pedagogy

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**Select one of the following:**

- MUSIC 720 Violin Pedagogy Level III
- MUSIC 721 Viola Pedagogy Level III
- MUSIC 724 Cello Pedagogy Level III
- MUSIC 829 Seminar: Historical Perspectives On Violin, Viola And Cello Pedagogy

### Program Requirements

#### Recital and Lecture Demonstration

The recital and lecture demonstration may be given at any time before the completion of the degree program.

The recital consists of two parts:

1. A performance of a minimum of 30-45 minutes of music that has been approved by the major teacher
2. A lecture totaling approximately 30 minutes to be given before, during, or after the recital, in which the candidate discusses one or more pieces to be performed on the recital program, with emphasis on pedagogical values of the piece(s), the difficulties, and how they are overcome

#### Comprehensive Examination

The student must pass final comprehensive examinations in both music history and music theory. This requirement normally follows successful completion of the recital requirement.

#### Ensemble Participation

The student is required to participate in an approved performing organization each semester in which the student is registered for music performance instruction in the major instrument; in two of these semesters the student must be enrolled in Symphony Orchestra for credit (see Performance Credits above).

#### Time Limit

The student must complete all degree requirements within five years of initial enrollment.