



MEMORANDUM

To: Julio Frenk, President

From: Linda L. Neider
Chair, Faculty Senate

Date: January 29, 2021

Subject: Faculty Senate Legislation #2020-46(B) –Program Name Change and Plan Code Update for the Media Writing and Production TO Media Scoring and Production for the Minor in Music, Frost School of Music, Department of Music, Media and Industry


The Faculty Senate, at its January 27, 2021 meeting, had no objections to the approval of a program name change and plan code update for the Media Writing and Production *to* Media Scoring and Production for the Minor in Music in the Frost School of Music, Department of Music, Media and Industry. This change is based on a recommendation from the NASM and is following the request for a name change for the Major in Music.

This legislation is now forwarded to you for your action.

LLN/va/rh

cc: Jeffrey Duerk, Executive Vice President and Provost
Shelton Berg, Dean, Frost School of Music
Shannon de l’Etoile, Associate Dean, Graduate Studies
Steven Moore, Professor of Professional Practice, Associate Dean of Undergraduate Studies
Carlos Rivera, Program Director, Media Writing and Production

CAPSULE: Faculty Senate Legislation #2020-46(B) –Program Name Change and Plan Code Update for the Media Writing and Production TO Media Scoring and Production for the Minor in Music, Frost School of Music, Department of Music, Media and Industry

APPROVED:  DATE: 2/17/21
(President's Signature)

OFFICE OR INDIVIDUAL TO IMPLEMENT: Shelton Berg, Dean, Frost School of Music_

EFFECTIVE DATE OF LEGISLATION: IMMEDIATELY
(Pending any further Board of Trustees approval)

NOT APPROVED AND REFERRED TO: _____

REMARKS (IF NOT APPROVED): _____

Program Change Request

Date Submitted: 09/02/20 11:10 am

Viewing: **Minor in Media Scoring** ~~Writing and~~
Production : MWPD_MN

Last approved: 02/20/20 9:17 am

Last edit: 10/28/20 4:43 pm

Changes proposed by: Eva Alonso (eva.alonso)

Catalog Pages Using
this Program

[Minor in Media Writing and Production](#)

In Workflow

1. **PG University Accreditation**
2. **PG FS Office for UCC**
3. **PG University Curriculum Committee**
4. **PG FS Office for GWC**
5. PG FS GWC
6. PG Faculty Senate
7. PG FS Office for President
8. PG Registrar

Approval Path

1. 10/28/20 4:44 pm
Patty Murphy
(pxm491): Approved for PG University Accreditation
2. 10/29/20 10:29 am
Robyn Hardeman
(rhardeman): Approved for PG FS Office for UCC
3. 11/06/20 5:32 am
David Chin (dchin1): Approved for PG University Curriculum Committee

History

1. Feb 19, 2020 by
Jenny Vargas
(j.zwanziger)
2. Feb 20, 2020 by
Jenny Vargas
(j.zwanziger)

Please list the authors of this proposal including name, rank/title, program/department, and school.

Proposer(s) Name

Dr. Steven Moore, Professor of Professional Practice, Associate Dean of Undergraduate Studies,
Department of Music Education, Frost School of Music

Change Type All Other Changes

**Provide a brief
summary of the
change**

The Frost School of Music is requesting that the name of the Media Writing and Production minor to be changed to Media Scoring and Production and the plan code be updated to MSPD_MN.

No curriculum changes will be made. This change is based on the recommendation from NASM (National Association of Schools of Music) during the last self-study. The proposal was approved by the Frost Undergraduate Curriculum Committee in December 2019 and the Frost School Council in April 2020.

Career Undergraduate

Academic Structure

School/ College	Department
Frost School of Music	Music,Media & Industry

Plan Type Minor

Who can take this program? Any Students in this
College/School

Proposed Plan Code MSPD_MN

Plan Name Minor in Media **Scoring Writing** and Production

Will there be any subcomponents within the program such as concentrations, specializations, thesis/non-thesis options, or tracks?

No

Effective Term Fall 2021

First Term Valid Fall 2021

Program Instruction Mode In Person

Where is the program offered?

Location	Please provide the % of instruction at each location.
Coral Gables Campus	100

Total Credits 15

Areas of Knowledge

Arts & Humanities

To Be Published in the Academic Bulletin

Program Overview

(Portfolio Required - Music Majors Only)

A minor in Media **Scoring Writing** and Production is intended for students who are pursuing majors in other fields within the Frost School of Music. The curriculum in Media **Scoring Writing** and Production is designed for those students intending to pursue a career as a writer and/or producer, as well as pursuing a graduate degree in Media Writing and Production. Students interested in this minor are required to submit a writing/production portfolio to the program director for approval before declaring the minor. This minor fulfills the Arts & Humanities Area of Knowledge.

Curriculum Requirements

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Required MSP Minor Courses

MMI 261	Media Writing I: Music for Media	3
MMI 281	Production I: Recording and Production Techniques	3

Choose either a Media Writing Emphasis or a Production Emphasis 9

Media Writing Emphasis

Choose 9 credits from the following:

MMI 260	Virtual Orchestration
MMI 262	Media Writing II: Video Game Scoring
MMI 363	Media Writing III: Film Scoring Foundations

MMI 364 Media Writing IV: Film Scoring Extensions

Production Emphasis

Choose 9 credits from the following:

MMI 280 Synthestration

MMI 282 Production II: Audio Processing and Critical Listening

MMI 383 Production III: Audio Editing

MMI 384 Production IV : Mixing and Mastering

Total Credit Hours

15

Rationale

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Minor name change is based on recommendation from NASM and following the request for major name change.

Market Demand

Relationship to Other Programs

Library Resources Available and Needed to Support the Program

Laboratory Facilities, Equipment, and Space Available and Needed to Support the Program

Other Resources Available or Needed to Support the Program

Curriculum

Program Curriculum

Upload Syllabi for Any New Courses

CIP Code

Proposed CIP Code

Faculty

Program Directors

Upload CV(s)

Program Faculty

Documents

Attach Supporting Documentation

[MWP Minor Supporting Documentation.pdf](#)

Reviewer

Comments

Patty Murphy (pxm491) (10/28/20 4:44 pm): The proposed change does not represent a significant departure from the currently approved program. Therefore notification to or approval from SACSCOC is not required.

Robyn Hardeman (rhardeman) (10/29/20 10:29 am): Sent to UCC for review at their 11/5/2020 meeting.

David Chin (dchin1) (11/06/20 5:32 am): On 11/5/20 the University Curriculum Committee voted to support this proposal as submitted.

Robyn Hardeman (rhardeman) (12/08/20 2:39 pm): The School Council chair confirmed that the School Council has approved this. To be added to the 1/20/21 GWC agenda.

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