

NEW Bachelor of Music Education/Bachelor of Music:

- semesters are 15 credit hours instead of 17.
- Program provides more flexibility for international experiences and other opportunities.
- Graduating recital is placed after intensive music study rather than internship
- Students emerge with 2 degrees

MUSIC OPEN HOUSE WEEK – NOVEMBER 21-25

Experience a day in the life of a UR Music Student

Meet faculty and current students, attend clinics and

workshops. There is no registration fee! Parents are welcome.

Audition Dates: February 11 & 28, March 18th.

Interdisciplinary Programs:

NEW! Certificate in MAP – 30 credit hour program: This program will allow students to meet early requirements of BA or BFA programs in MAP while earning a credential. This is ideal for distance students, exploratory students unsure of what they wish to pursue, someone prepping to audition for a highly competitive school in a specific program such as the National Theatre school.

NEW! BA Concentration in Pop Culture: This interdisciplinary program is comprised of pop culture courses from every discipline in Media, Art and Performance. Studying pop culture helps us determine about what is most important to most of us as a society. Courses like *Fashion and Hollywood*, *Pop Music*, *Musicals from Stage to Screen*, and *Horror and Mysticism on Film* will provide compelling material for that assessment. Note: A new minor in pop culture is also available.

Minor in Photography: A handful of students graduated with this minor in spring. Most were film students, one was visual arts. The courses in the minor are extremely popular with requests for overloads every semester. We are hoping to keep building this area (eventually a concentration) *The minor in photography is: Art History 222 Critical Histories of Photography; Film 205 Black and White Photography; Art 223 Digital Photography; Film 311 Advanced Photography; and a MAP 402 Theory and Photo-Based Practices. Students will develop an area of expertise that complements any Arts, MAP, or Science major such as Creative Writing or Journalism.*

BA Cultures of Display Concentration: Focuses on courses in Art History, collecting and display, along with curatorial studies. The course work prepares students for work or further studies towards careers in art galleries, museums, cultural Centres, collections management, and archives.

Creative Technologies: Courses that fuse technology and creative practice. New offerings this fall include The Electronic Voice and Digital Studio Tools. These are added to a suite of popular courses such as Building Gadgets, Tablet Orchestra, and Electronic composition. Program options include: a minor which is available in many programs. Jobs and innovations of the future – i.e. a beautifully designed dog collar with a camera embedded in it can stop FIFFI from chewing her owner’s beloved Italian shoes?

NOTE: We are planning a “*What is Creative Technologies?*” night for late October. Will keep you posted.

Value Add for MAP Students at the University of Regina

- **Well-Prepared Students:** MAP 001: Strategies for Success. Required non-credit seminar for all first year students. Eases transition, creates community, and reduces workload shock. There are fewer students on academic probation in term 2 than prior to the introduction of this program in 2013.
- **Career-Ready Graduates:** Our students continue to sign up for the UR Guarantee program, the **Arts Administration** minor and the **Professional Placement program (PFP)**
- **PFP** is an internship (3 to 15 credits) for senior students. They work and get mentored while earning credit towards their degree. This program continues to grow in popularity every year with more students and partners. Partnerships include: CTV, Globe Theatre, Sask Filmpool, City of Regina, Mackenzie Art Gallery, Per Sonatori Baroque Ensemble, Regina Symphony Orchestra, Sask Choral Federation.

Placement students have secured paid work at Per Sonatori, Sask Filmpool, City of Regina, and most recently a film student at CTV – before he could cross the stage at convocation! The current supervisor of placements at the City of Regina is our graduate and the first person we placed there back in 2013. Students have parlayed their placement experience into similar paid work with other organizations -three of them at the U of R and Luther College in the last 2 years.:

MAP Where Makers Meet. The Faculty of Media, Art, and Performance is the ultimate playground for the imagination. Students are provided with the latest technologies and tools to help bring their ideas to life. Our contemporary maker space allows artists to collaborate and innovate in new and exciting ways. Small class sizes give students the chance to work closely with professors, resulting in invaluable experiential learning opportunities.

Our students are exposed to highly creative environments, where skills are gained through technical hands-on learning combined with critical and theoretical study.

Our broad range of degree programs and graduate studies offers students the opportunity to pursue an education in Creative Technologies, Film, Music, Theatre, Visual Arts, as well as Interdisciplinary Studies. Immerse yourself in a culturally-rich environment, surrounded by internationally-experienced faculty and graduates.