

MUSIC EDUCATION, PH.D.

Learning Outcomes

1. Candidates will be able to identify, describe, and compare advanced elements of quantitative and qualitative research methods, including procedures for data collection, analysis and research design.
2. Candidates will be able to identify and describe a pertinent research problem in music education, then develop and execute a research plan that includes a rationale, review of literature, methods for data collection, analysis, and interpretation of results, all of which will culminate in a completed dissertation.
3. Candidates will be able to demonstrate doctoral-level knowledge of music history, music theory, and compositional styles by identifying, describing, comparing, and contrasting musical works from the Antiquity through modern times.
4. Candidates will be able to identify, describe, and compare specific methods of teaching and predominant educational theories, as well as their use in modern music teaching settings.