

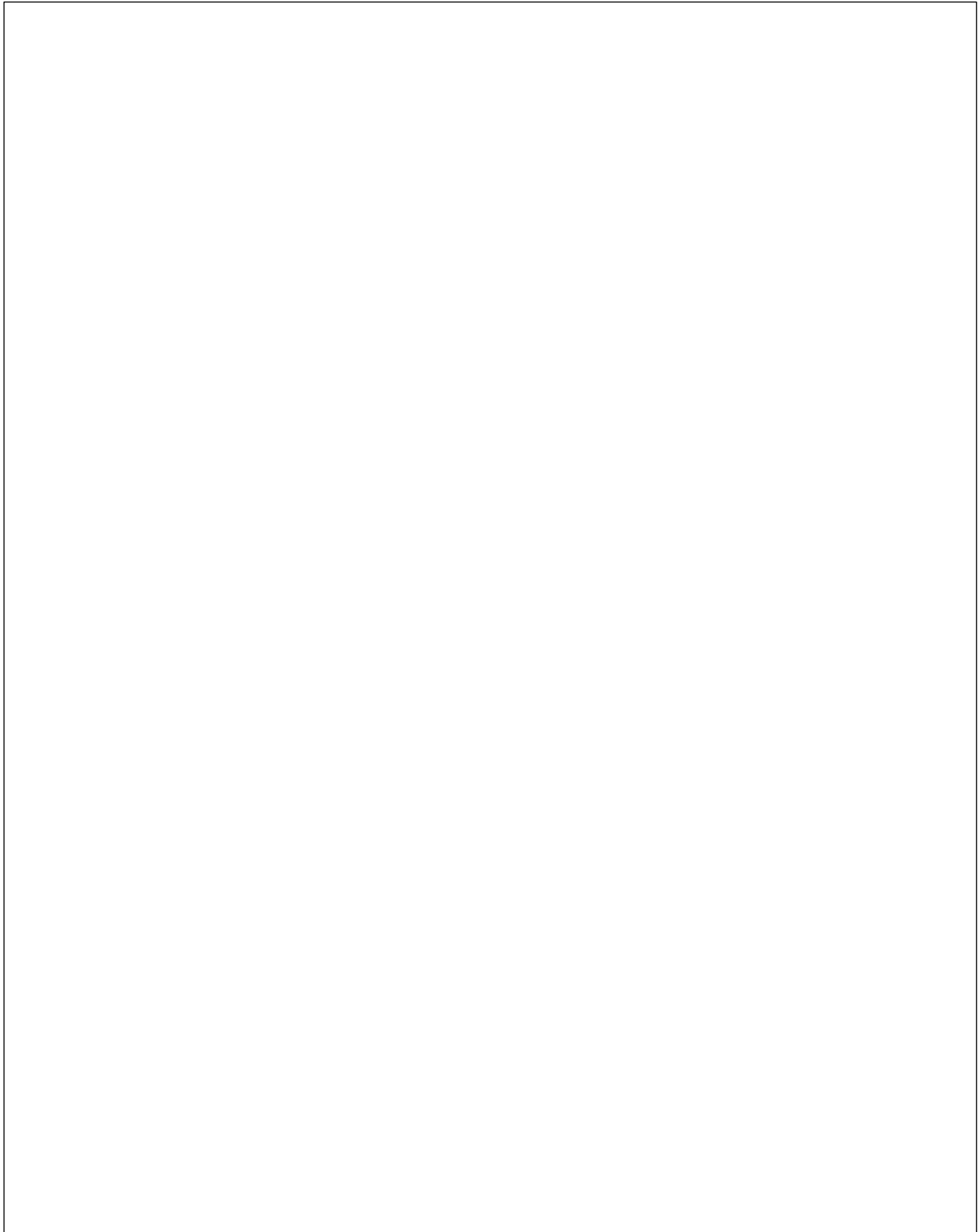
**DOCTOR OF MUSICAL ARTS: Composition (48 credits)**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Semester of Admission \_\_\_\_\_

	<i>Term</i>	<i>Grade</i>	<i>Credits</i>
<b>1. Major Area (30 credits)</b>			
a. Composition (12 credits)			
MUSC 816	_____	_____	3
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b. Composition-related courses (6 credits; may include courses such as MUSC 816, 717, 737; credit may not count toward Doctoral Minor or Other Studies)			
MUSC _____	_____	_____	3
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c. Dissertation Requirement (12 credits)			
MUSC 890 – Composition Recital (1 credit)	_____	_____	1
MUSC 897 – Document Preparation (1 credit)	_____	_____	1
MUSC 899 – Dissertation Preparation (10 credits)	_____	_____	_____
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<b>2. Doctoral Minor (12 credits)</b>			
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<b>3. Other Studies (6 credits; maximum of 4 credits of MUSC 734/735)</b>			
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- \_\_\_\_\_ Graduate Music Diagnostic Exam results required to register for classes
- \_\_\_\_\_ Written Doctoral Candidacy Exam
- \_\_\_\_\_ Program of Study submitted no later than end of the fourth semester
- \_\_\_\_\_ Foreign Language/Research Course                      \_\_\_\_\_ Doctoral Committees approved
- \_\_\_\_\_ Comprehensive Exam passed                                      \_\_\_\_\_ GPA >3.0
- \_\_\_\_\_ Document Defense (after passing foreign language, recitals, and comprehensive exam)
- \_\_\_\_\_ at least 1/2 of credit hours at 700 level exclusive of recital or dissertation credit
- \_\_\_\_\_ Residency: either 18 credits over three semesters or two consecutive full-time semesters

Notes:



Academic Bulletin: <https://academicbulletins.sc.edu/graduate/music/music-dma-composition/>

School of Music Graduate Handbook:

[https://sc.edu/study/colleges\\_schools/music/internal/current\\_students/gradhandbook.php](https://sc.edu/study/colleges_schools/music/internal/current_students/gradhandbook.php)

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