# DEGREE OF MASTER OF MUSIC (SEPTEMBER START) (MMus/PgDip/PgCert)

#### 56W300H8/56W300VX/56W300VZ

*Duration:* 12 months full-time or 24 months part-time (MMus); 4 months full-time (PgCert); 9 months full-time (PgDip).

Content: Candidates must undertake one of the following curricula:

#### FULL TIME ROUTE

#### 1. 60 CREDIT EXTENDED PROJECT OPTION:

Stage 1

PD5006 Getting Started at the University of Aberdeen (0 credit points) MU5022 Research Practices (30 credit points) + 1 elective from the list below (30 credit points)

MU5007 Renaissance Counterpoint (30 credit points)
MU5008 Vocalstration (30 credit points)
MU5016 Contemporary Issues in Aesthetics (30 credit points)
MU5017 Musicking (30 credit points)
MU5015 Current Issues in Music Education (30 credit points)
MU501Q Audience Development and Engagement Through Community Music (30 credit points)

#### Stage 2

All courses from Stage 1 plus

MU5523 Research Communications (30 credit points) + 1 Elective course from list below (30 credit points)

MU5503 Words and Music (30 credit points) MU5518 Advanced Sound Design for New Media (30 credit points) MU5526 Equality, Equity and Social Justice Through Music (30 credit points)

MU551N Global Music Modernism (30 credit points)

#### Stage 3

All courses from Stage 1 and 2 plus

MU5524 Extended Project (60 credit points)

#### 2. 120 CREDIT EXTENDED PROJECT OPTION:

Stage 1

PD5506 Getting Started at the University of Aberdeen (0 credit points) MU5022 Research Practices (30 credit points)

#### Stage 2

All courses from Stage 1 plus

MU5523 Research Communications (30 credit points)

*OR* 1 Elective courses from list below (30 credit points)

MU5503 Words and Music (30 credit points) MU5518 Advanced Sound Design for New Media (30 credit points) MU5526 Equality, Equity and Social Justice Through Music (30 credit points) MU551N Global Music Modernism (30 credit points)

#### Stage 3

All courses from Stage 1 and 2 plus

MU50EP Extended Project (120 credit points)

## PART TIME ROUTE

This route will run over two years. Students can take up to 120 credit points per academic year.

## **1. 60 CREDIT EXTENDED PROJECT OPTION:**

PD5006 must be taken in Year 1 and MU5524 must be taken in Year 2. The following courses are compulsory and can be taken in either Year 1 or Year 2:

MU5022 Research Practices (30 credit points) + 1 elective from the list below (30 credit points)

MU5007 Renaissance Counterpoint (30 credit points)
MU5008 Vocalstration (30 credit points)
MU5016 Contemporary Issues in Aesthetics (30 credit points)
MU5017 Musicking (30 credit points)
MU5015 Current Issues in Music Education (30 credit points)
MU501Q Audience Development and Engagement Through Community Music (30 credit points)

<u>Plus</u>

MU5523 Research Communications (30 credit points)

+ 1 Elective course from list below (30 credit points)

MU5503 Words and Music (30 credit points) MU5518 Advanced Sound Design for New Media (30 credit points) MU5526 Equality, Equity and Social Justice Through Music (30 credit points)

MU551N Global Music Modernism (30 credit points)

## 2. 120 CREDIT EXTENDED PROJECT OPTION:

MU50EP must be taken in Year 2. The following courses are compulsory and can be taken in either Year 1 or Year 2:

PD5506 Getting Started at the University of Aberdeen (0 credit points) MU5022 Research Practices (30 credit points)

<u>Plus</u> either MU5523 Research Communications (30 credit points)

OR

1 Elective courses from list below (30 credit points)

MU5503 Words and Music (30 credit points) MU5518 Advanced Sound Design for New Media (30 credit points) MU5526 Equality, Equity and Social Justice Through Music (30 credit points) MU551N Global Music Modernism (30 credit points)

Assessment: By research proposal (Music Research Skills), oral presentation and supporting documentation (Music Research Seminar Series) and project portfolio (negotiated) with accompanying commentary (Extended Project). For options: by most appropriate assessment mode for the subject area (essay, oral presentation, composition work, performance etc.)