

BA (Hons) (Top-up) Music for the Creative Industries

Subject Area	Music
Course Type	Higher Education
Study Level	No formal qualification
Delivery Mode	Part-time
Location	Lister Building
Duration	2 Academic Year
Start Date	September 2024
Course Code	PPUB005

Course Summary

This is Level 6 Top-up programme designed to allow you to progress from a prior approved qualification to an honours level degree.

Develop your passion for music with our Music for the Creative Industries degree programme. Refine your skills and knowledge in music with the support and guidance from our lecturers – who are experts in their field. You will benefit from specialist equipment and trips and visits to relevant exhibitions and experiences, all helping you make the steps towards your future in a creative industry.

What You Will Learn

This programme underpins the development of your practical skills as a musician with key theories, context and the development of academic skills. The programme is intended to be predominantly practical in its assessment and delivery, but with key theories and contextual information delivered as part of the course programme to underpin these practices.

You will develop vocational skills that will help to learn in a more real world and vocational scenario. This could be through putting on a performance project or working with students from a different department to produce the piece of assessed work.

Modules

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- Creative Technology (20 credits)
- Independent Project (40 credits)
- Pre-production Professional Portfolio (20 credits)
- Advanced Musicianship (20 credits)

plus

- Teaching and Mentoring in the Creative Industries (option – 20 credits)

or

- Freelance Working and Self-Employment in the Creative Industries (option – 20 credits).

Entry Requirements

Entry to this course requires an HND qualification in Music or a related discipline or 120 credits at NQF Level 5, or equivalent. You should also be qualified to at least Grade 6 (or equivalent) on your primary instrument and you will be required to demonstrate this in an audition.

T Level qualifications are accepted, a T Level PASS with a minimum of a grade A*-C (equates to 96 UCAS points).

We also consider individual applicants who can demonstrate relevant learning, work/voluntary experience, using our Recognition of Prior Learning process.

Work Experience

The department has significant links and partnerships with many local venues and

organisations around the city – this has resulted in us being able to stage gigs and events in professional environments that will enrich your learning experience. The links established on the course have been invaluable in securing employment.

Progression

Successful completion of this course can lead to further study or employment in the music industry. Careers include:

- Performer
- Session Musician
- Live Sound Engineer
- Music Teacher
- Instrumental Tutor
- Songwriter/Composer
- Music Producer
- Studio Engineer

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