VPA

1st Year - 1st Semester

Curriculum

- Core: 1701/1702

- Travel: FA 2663 (FA 3663)

- Practice - Practicum

  - 1601/1602

  - 2660/2661/2662

  - 3660/3661/3662

Curriculum

- Attend Shows

- Join Clubs

  - AES, USITT, SLS

- Work on Campus

  - Rozsa, IT

  - Work Study

  - https://www.mtu.edu/career/students/jobs-intern/handshake/

- Get Internships

Who is responsible for your schedule?

You

Travel

- FA 2663/FA 3663

- See things beyond Michigan Tech (avoid tunnel vision)

- This semester FA 2663 - KC/ACTF

- http://www.kcactf3.org

- January 8-13 - Madison, WI

Practicum - Practice

- Hands-on part of the curriculum

- Sound: 1601 - 1602 - 2662 - 3662

- Visual: 2661 - 3661

- Acting: 2660 - 3660

Shows

- Go to them!!!

- VPA shows are free. Usher or work Rozsa crew to see touring shows.

- http://www.mtu.edu/vpa/events/

- https://rozsa.tickets.mtu.edu/Online/default.asp

General Education

- http://www.mtu.edu/registrar/

- UN 1015 Composition

- UN 1025 Global Issues or One 3000 level or higher language class

- Critical and Creative Thinking

- Social Responsibility & Ethical Reasoning

General Education 2

- http://www.mtu.edu/registrar/

- 12 Credits of HASS (Humanities, Arts, Social Sciences)

- 16 Credits of STEM (Lab Science)

- 3 Credits of Co-curricular

Class Selection

- Ask around to find the best teachers

- Go the bookstore and browse the books

- Trace the pre-reqs of the advanced class you want.

Computer Labs

- HDMZ
- CAML
- Library
- Others

Resources

- http://wiki.vpa.mtu.edu/

- vpa.students-l and vpa.sound-l e-mail lists

- Facebook:

  - http://www.facebook.com/groups/118898348144817/

  - MTU VPA Students and Alumni

Resources

- Writing Center

- Learning Centers

- Counseling Services

How Many Credits

- 12 credit minimum for Full Time Status

  - Can allow more focused and in-depth work

  - If done regularly will require 5 years to graduate

- Above 18 requires special overload permission

  - Not recommended

- 15 is normal progress

Most important

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Sound Students

- Music Lesson

- Design or Technology?

- Music Theory/Basic Musicianship

- Technology Focus