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

#### 56W30JH8/56W300VX/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

Stage 1

- PD5506 Getting Started at the University of Aberdeen (0 credit points)
- PD55C1 Critical Skills: Research and Dissemination (0 credit points)
- MU5523 Research Communications (30 credit points)

Plus one elective course from list below

- MU5518 Advanced Sound Design for New Media (30 credit points)
- MU5526 Equality, Equity and Social Justice through Music (30 credit points)
- MU5533 Music, Representation and Cultural Encounters (30 credit points)

Stage 2

MU5524 Extended Project (60 credit points)

Stage 3

- PD50C2 Critical Skills: Reading and Engagement (0 credit points)
- MU5022 Research Practices (30 credit points)

Plus one elective from the list below (30 credit points)

- MU5012 Orchestration (30 credit points)
- MU5015 Current Issues in Music Education (30 credit points)
- MU5016 Contemporary Issues in Aesthetics (30 credit points)

# PART TIME ROUTE

This route will run over 24 months. Students take 30 credit points in Year 1 (January to August) and 120 credit points in Year 2 (September to August) and 30 credit points in Year 3 (September to December). Students must complete 180 credits in total.

PD5506 and PD55C1 must be taken in Year 1 and MU5524 and PD50C2 must be taken in Year 2.

In Year 1:

# Second half-session courses (beginning in January)

# Select one elective course from list below (30 credit points)

MU5518 Advanced Sound Design for New Media (30 credit points)
MU5526 Equality, Equity and Social Justice through Music (30 credit points)
MU5533 Music, Representation and Cultural Encounters (30 credit points)

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In Year 2:

#### First half-session courses (beginning in September)

MU5022 Research Practices (30 credit points)

#### Second half-session courses (beginning in January)

MU5523 Research Communications (30 credit points) MU5524 Extended Project (60 credit points)

In Year 3:

#### First half-session courses (beginning in September)

Select one elective from the list below (30 credit points)

MU5012 Orchestration (30 credit points)

MU5015 Current Issues in Music Education (30 credit points)

MU5016 Contemporary Issues in Aesthetics (30 credit points)

Assessment: Assessment is by most appropriate mode for the subject area (e.g., essay, presentation, composition, performance, etc.) and we typically have more than one option within each course to cater to students on different study paths.