

**GEORGE MASON UNIVERSITY**  
**COLLEGE OF VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS**  
**B.A. DEGREE IN DANCE (A300 Performing Arts Building, 703-993-1114)**  
[dance.gmu.edu](http://dance.gmu.edu)  
**2016-2017 CATALOG**

	<u>Department(s) &amp; Course #(s)</u>	<u>Completed/ Grade(s)</u>	<u>Needed</u>
<b><u>MASON CORE REQUIREMENTS (34)</u></b>			
a. Written Communication: ENGH 101 (100), ENGH 302 (C or better) (3,3)		_____	_____
b. Oral Communication: COMM 100 or 101 (please circle choice) (3)		_____	_____
c. Quantitative Reasoning (3)		_____	_____
d. Literature (3)	_____	_____	_____
e. Arts (satisfied by completion of major requirements)	_____	_____	_____
f. Western Civilization (3)		_____	_____
g. Social & Behavioral Science (3)	_____	_____	_____
h. Natural Science (4,3)	_____, _____	_____	_____
i. Global Understanding (satisfied by completion of major requirements)		_____	_____
j. Information Technology (3)	_____	_____	_____
k. Synthesis (3)	_____	_____	_____

Go to: <http://masoncore.gmu.edu/> to link to information on Mason Core requirements.

**MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (56 hours required)**

a. DANC 114 (Rhythmic Analysis) (3)	a. _____	_____
b. DANC 118 (World Dance) <b>or</b> DANC 318 (Global Perspectives: World Dance Forms) <b>or</b> DANC 418 (Global Dance Intensive) (3) (circle choice)	b. _____	_____
c. DANC 150 (Dance Improvisation) (3)	c. _____	_____
d. DANC 170 (Orientation to Dance Production) (1)	d. _____	_____
e. DANC 190 (First Year Seminar) (0)	e. _____	_____
f. DANC 210 (Dynamic Alignment) (3)	f. _____	_____
g. DANC 251 (Dance Composition I) (3)	g. _____	_____
h. DANC 252 (Dance Composition II) (3)	h. _____	_____
i. DANC 270 (Dance Production Lab) (1)	i. _____	_____
j. DANC 325/425 (Modern/Contemporary Dance III/IV) (9)	j. _____	_____
k. DANC 345/445 (Ballet III/IV) (6)	k. _____	_____
l. DANC 370 (Dance Performance) (2)	l. _____	_____
m. DANC 390 (Dance History: Pre-20th Century) (writing intensive course) (3)	m. _____	_____
n. DANC 391 (Dance History: 20 <sup>th</sup> Century) (writing intensive course) (3)	n. _____	_____
o. DANC 454 (Teaching Principles and Methods) (3)	o. _____	_____
p. Dance Electives. Chosen from the following (circle choices) (10): DANC 118 (3), 119 (3), 120 (1-3), 131 (3), 161 (3), 225 (3), 231 (3), 245 (3), 318 (3), 324 (1-3), 325 (1-3), 331 (3), 345 (1-3), 370 (1), 371 (1), 399 (1-3), 418 (1-3), 420 (1-3), 425 (1-3), 445 (1-3), 453 (3)		

**FOREIGN LANGUAGE, MINOR, DOUBLE MAJOR, or DOUBLE DEGREE (0-20)**

One of the following two options:

a. Foreign Language, through Intermediate level: Elementary level (0-6) _____, _____	_____	_____
Intermediate level (a foreign language course numbered 202, 209, or 210) _____, _____	_____	_____

**OR**

b. Minor Program, Double Major, or Double Degree (variable credits)		
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

**GENERAL ELECTIVES** (List courses)

_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
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**MINIMUM HOURS TO GRADUATE: 120**

**UPPER DIVISION HOURS (minimum 45):**

This planning form is intended to be used in consultation with your academic advisor and reflects the requirements for the 2016-2017 Catalog; the University Catalog is the official reference for program requirements.

## COURSE LISTS (DANCE, BA)

### Mason Core Requirements

Written Communication: ENGH 101 (or 100) and ENGH 302

Oral Communication: COMM 100 or COMM 101

Quantitative Reasoning: MATH 106, 108, 110, 111, 113, 115, 123 and 124, 125; SOCI 313; STAT 250. The Math Placement Test is required to take MATH 108, 113, 115, 123, and 125. See this web site for more information: [http://math.gmu.edu/placement\\_test.php](http://math.gmu.edu/placement_test.php)

Literature: ARAB 325; CHIN 310, 311, 325, 328; CLAS 250, 260, 340, 350, 360, 380; ENGH 201, 202, 203, 204; FREN 325, 329; FRLN 330; GERM 325; ITAL 320, 325; JAPA 340; KORE 311; PHIL 253; RELI 235; RUSS 325, 326, 327; SPAN 325

Arts: DANC 390

Western Civilization: HIST 100 or 125; transfer students may substitute: the following courses for HIST 100: HIST 101, 102, 301, 302, 304, 305, 306, 308, 309, 312, 314, 322, 388, 436, 480; and the following courses for HIST 125: HIST 202, 387.

Social and Behavioral Sciences: AFAM 200; ANTH 114, 120, 135, 363, 372, 396; BUS 100; CONF 101; CONS 410; CRIM 100; ECON 100, 103, 104, 105, 367; EDUC 203, 372; GGS 103; GOVT 101, 103, 367; HEAL 230; HIST 121, 122; LING 306; PSYC 100, 211, 231; SOCI 101, 352, 355; TOUR 311; WMST 200

Natural Sciences: ASTR 111/112, 113/114, 115; BIOL 103, 104; BIOL 213; CDS 101/102; CHEM 103,104,155,156; CHEM 211/213, 212/214, 251; CLIM 102, 111/112; EVPP 110,111; GEOL 101,102; GGS 121; PHYS 103,104; PHYS 111/112; PHYS 243/244, 245/246; PHYS 160/161, 260/261; 262/263

Non-lab: ANTH 135; ASTR 103, 302; BIOL 140; CHEM 101, 102, 201, 202; CLIM 101; EVPP 201; GEOL 134; GGS 102; NUTR 295; PHYS 106; PROV 301

Global Understanding: DANC 118 or DANC 418

Information Technology: **One of these courses**: ANTH 395, CDS 130, CS 100, GOVT 300, HIST 390, IT 104, MIS 303, MUSI 259 **or Course(s) from a) and one course from b)**: **a)** AVT 180; CS 112; PHYS 251; PSYC 300, 301, & 372 (all three must be taken and in sequence); SOCI 410 **b)** CDS 151, CEIE 409, CS 105, ENGR 107, IT 304, PHIL 112

Synthesis: ANTH 400; ARTH 394; AVT 385, 497, 498; BENG 492, 493; BINF 354; BIOL 301; BIS 490; BUS 498; CEIE 490; COMM 326, 362, 454; CONF 490; CONS 490, 491; CRIM 495; CS 306; DANC 490; ECE 492, 493; ECON 309; EDCI 490; EVPP 480; FAVS 352; FRLN 385; GAME 490; GCH 465; GEOL 420; GGS 303, 304; GOVT 490, 491; HAP 465; HDFS 400; HIST 300, 499; INTS 308; IT 492; LAS 499; MATH 400; MUSI 490; NURS 465; PHIL 309, 343, 377, 378, 379; PHYS 346; PROV 342; PSYC 405, 406, 427; RELI 490; RUSS 353; SOCI 377, 483; SOCW 375; SPAN 388; SYST 495; THR 440, 496

### Additional Requirements

Foreign Language: Demonstrated intermediate-level proficiency in one foreign language. See this web site for more information: <http://chss.gmu.edu/general-education/foreign-language-requirement> (EDSE 115, 116, and 219—ASL--may also be used)