

2023-2024 Houghton University General Education Requirements – BMus

Student Name:	Year/Term	Sem Hours	Cumulative Hours	Sem LA credits	Cumulative LA credits
Major:					
Minor:					
BMus Advisor:					
General Education <i>*see page 2 for detailed course options</i>					
Biblical and Theological Studies 6 hrs	Transitions				0-1 hrs
(3) BIBL 101 Biblical Literature (LA)	(0/1) INTS 102 or 104 Transitions: Succeeding at Houghton University				
(3) THEL 209 Introduction to Christianity (LA)	Global Competence <i>(Choose <u>one</u> course in a world or Biblical language or in study of the contemporary global world*)</i>				3 hrs
Abstract and Quantitative Reasoning 2 hrs <i>Choose <u>one</u> course from the following*:</i>	(3)				
(2) STEM 140 Reason & Abstraction (LA)	Additional Electives				9 hrs
(2) MATH 181 Calculus I (LA)	<i>(Choose <u>nine hours</u> of additional electives* with <u>different prefixes</u>)</i> ()				
(3) DSCI 151 Data Science for Beginners (LA) or DSCI 152 Data Science Fundamentals (LA)	()				
Natural Science * 2 hrs <i>(choose <u>one</u> course from the following):</i>	()				
(2) STEM 141 Science as a Human Endeavor (LA)	()				
(2) STEM 142 Science and Society (LA)	<p style="font-size: 1.2em; margin: 0;"><i>Minimum 128 semester hours required for <u>graduation</u>.</i></p> <p style="font-size: 1.2em; margin: 0;"><u>Minimum Liberal Arts (LA) hours:</u> BMus – 32</p>				
Writing 3 hrs <i>(take <u>one</u>; if WRIT 101 is waived, choose a Writing-Enriched Course*)</i>					
(3) WRIT 101 Writing in the Liberal Arts (LA)					
(3) Writing-Enriched Course*:					
Integrated Humanities 6 hrs <i>(choose <u>two</u> courses from the following)</i>					
(3) HUM 101 The Ancient and Medieval World (LA)					
(3) HUM 102 The Early Modern World (LA)					
(3) HUM 201 The Late-Modern World (LA)					

Detailed Options

Abstract and Quantitative Reasoning Options:		
MATH course numbered 160 or higher		(LA)
Natural Science Options:		
<i>entire category met by completing a natural science major, minor, 16 hrs of lab science courses, at most half of category met by a standard lab science course or:</i>		
BIOL 207	Wildlife Behavior in East Africa	(LA)
Writing-Enriched Options:		
Both courses must be completed		
MHS 230/280	Music History and Lit 1 & 2	

Global Competence Options:		
Any SPAN/FREN/GERM/HEBR/GREK language course 3-4 credit language course taken while on study abroad		
ANTH/SOC 315	Human Ecology	(LA)
COMM/INCL 225	Intercultural Communication	(LA)
EDUC 240	Teaching in Urban America *	
ENGL 361	Contemporary World Literature	(LA)
ENST 201	Environment and Society	(LA)
ENST 330	God, Country and Climate Change	
GBS 201	Introduction to Global Studies	(LA)
HUM 150 & 151	Independent Language Learning I & II	
IDEV 338	Issues in Development	(LA)
INCL 210	Intercultural Competencies	(LA)
INCL/ANTH/SOC 243	Cultural Anthropology‡	(LA)
INCL/BADM 343	Multicultural Teams & Leadership	(LA)
LING 220	Introduction to Linguistics	(LA)
LING 312	Sociolinguistics	(LA)
MHS 256	Music & Global Cultures from a Christian Perspective^	(LA)
MISS 242	Missions and the Global Church	
POLS 230	Intro to International Relations	(LA)
POLS/HIST/HUM 247	Switzerland: A Case Study in European Politics and Culture	(LA)
PSY 318	Psychology of Race and Racism	(LA)
SOC/INCL/ANTH 350	Culture Change & Globalization	(LA)
‡Cultural Anthropology meets either a Social Science or a Global Competence requirement, not both		
*for Education majors and minors only		

BMus Additional Electives Options:		
Any ART prefix course without a pre-requisite		
Any ENGL prefix course without a pre-requisite		
Any HIST prefix course without a pre-requisite		
Any PHIL prefix course without a pre-requisite		
Any WRIT prefix course without a pre-requisite		
ANTH/INCL/SOC 243	Cultural Anthropology	(LA)
COMM 101	Presentational Speaking	(LA)
COMM 205	Intro to Communication Theory	(LA)
COMM 214	Introduction to Mass Media	(LA)
ECON 210	Principles of Microeconomics	(LA)
ECON 211	Principles of Macroeconomics	(LA)
POLS 205	In Search of Justice	(LA)
PSY 111	Introduction to Psychology	(LA)
SOC 101	Introduction to Sociology	(LA)

Requirements met by Honors:	
Science (Pre-2022) INTS 150/154/155/157	Mathematics, Natural Science, WRIT 101, ½ Social Science
Science (2022 – 2023 and After) INTS 150/154/155/180/181	Mathematics, Natural Science, ½ Social Science, Integrated Humanities
London INTS 170/171	THEL 209, Writing-Enriched, Integrated Humanities, ½ Social Science, Art and Music, ½ Global Competence