

## Senior Recital Guidelines

Students wishing to perform a full-length senior recital must pass a Recital Approval Audition, the parameter of which are described below. Students playing a full recital (491) must meet the following criteria:

- Students must **declare their intent** to play a full recital to their teacher in the **first semester of their junior year**, by filling out the appropriate “Senior Project Full Recital Intent Form.” At this point the student should be at the 300 level.
- **Competency for recital performance** will be decided by a jury vote during the student’s jury time in the student’s **junior year**. Students doing lecture-recitals or a non-recital option must register for and complete MUSC 491 (Senior Project). Students studying abroad or with other extenuating circumstances can request a variance from the Chair of the Department.
- Students will submit a **senior project form at the beginning of fall semester, senior year** that lists the repertoire to be performed. A full recital is usually comprised of 45 minutes of music. Students will normally have attained the 400 level by this time.
- Students preparing a recital during their senior year will **perform selections from their program during their jury time at the end of the semester previous to the recital**; (i.e., during the spring jury for a fall recital, and during a fall jury for a spring recital). These students will be scheduled for a 15 minute jury time. **The jury committee will vote to decide whether recital approval will be granted.**
- Students who are approved for a full-length recital for the final project will **take 2 credits of lessons each semester beginning in their junior year.**

## Senior Project: Full-Recital Intent Form

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This form is to be completed by any student wishing to fulfill their senior project requirement with a full-length recital. Please return a copy of this form to the Music Department Office upon completion.

### STUDENT INFORMATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Instrument: \_\_\_\_\_ Expected Date of Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_

Applied Instructor: \_\_\_\_\_

### STATEMENT OF INTENT

I intend to fulfill my Music senior project requirement with a full-length recital in the above listed instrument. I understand that in order to give a full-length recital, I will be required to file a Senior Project form with the Music Department and pass a Recital Approval Audition jury at the end of my spring semester. I agree to take 2 credits of lessons each semester until my senior recital in order to sufficiently prepare my recital repertoire.

Signature of student: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of applied instructor: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_