

CULTURALLY RELEVANT AND SUSTAINING MUSIC EDUCATION

GRADUATE CERTIFICATE
DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC
COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS

DELIVERY METHOD

Online, Onsite, Hybrid
(courses vary)

START TERMS

Spring and Summer

COMPLETION TIME

Less than a year

NUMBER OF CREDITS

9 credits

ABOUT THE PROGRAM

The program provides music educators with the knowledgebase and skills to create a more culturally relevant and sustaining learning environment for students through focused study in courses designed to meet the needs of today's diverse music spaces.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

- Learn with faculty who have knowledge and expertise in course content
- Experience courses designed to help you build the knowledge and skills to create atmospheres of belonging for all students in your music classes
- Varied course modalities among the courses are designed with the busy professionals in mind
- Quickly earn a graduate credential to enhance your resume

CURRICULUM GUIDE

Choose 3 of the 5 classes listed:

MUSI 556:	Culturally Responsive Teaching in the Choral Arts	3
MUSI 557	Music Education for Diverse Learners	3
MUSI 656	Social Emotional Learning in Music Education	3
MUSI 657	Popular Music Pedagogy	3
MUSI 658	Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion in Wind Band Literature	3
Total Hours		9

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

All applicants must submit the following materials along with a completed online graduate application and a non-refundable application fee:

1. Official undergraduate degree transcript(s).

TUITION

Information on current tuition can be found on the main Graduate Admissions website at www.sru.edu/graduate. No financial aid is available for this program.

The educational policies and procedures are continually being reviewed and changed in keeping with the mission of the university. Consequently, this document cannot be considered binding and is intended to be used as only an informational guide. Students are responsible for being informed of official policies and regulations for meeting all appropriate requirements.

Earn a credential
in less than one year and
strengthen your knowledge
and skills in teaching
in culturally relevant
and sustaining ways
with this certificate.

FOR QUESTIONS ABOUT ACADEMICS AND COURSE SCHEDULING:

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