

## Graduate Double Degree (Master's only)

The School of Music and the Information School offer a double degree program for Master's students. Students will fully complete both degrees with some overlap (see below). Any Master's degree in the School of Music may be combined with the iSchool degree. You can review UW-Madison's policy on double degrees here: <https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1205>

### Admission Requirements

Applicants apply separately to each program. If you are accepted into both programs, you may pursue the double degree.

- iSchool admissions: <https://ischool.wisc.edu/current-students/masters-degree-program/admissions/>
- School of Music admissions: <https://music.wisc.edu/graduate-admissions>

### Program Requirements

To fulfill the requirements for the double degree, students must:

- Fulfill the requirements for the iSchool master's degree. Students may apply 9 credits from the School of Music to the iSchool degree. While the iSchool master's degree is typically 42 credits, the 9-credit allowance from the School of Music reduces the iSchool degree to 33 credits. There can be no more than 25% overlap (of the total credits for the program with the lowest credit requirement).
- Fulfill the requirements for the School of Music master's degree. The School of Music offers multiple degrees and areas of study. The requirements for the degree vary depending upon the area of study. When an area of study offers elective credits, students may use iSchool courses to fulfill their electives. For example, the M.A. in Music History requires 7 credits of electives, which can be fulfilled by 7 credits from iSchool.
- While fulfilling the requirements for each degree, students must take the following courses:
  - LIS or MUS 619: Music Research Methods and Materials
  - Music Librarianship (course under development)
  - LIS 620: Field Project in Library and Information Agencies at Mills Music Library or other music or music-related library
- Some School of Music degrees require French or German at the intermediate level. Students in programs that do not have this requirement should consider attaining it.

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