

Effective for undergraduates accepted into the ALP program in Spring 2004 and graduates in Fall 2004, the following are the requirements to receive the ALP certificate (minimum 6 credits required):

Required course all students

(Fall or Spring) Trends in American Music Presentation & Teaching 1 credit

One of the following 2 courses

(Fall) Career Skills for the 21st Century 2 credits

OR (Spring) Entrepreneurship in Music 1 credit

Required internship

ALP Internship 2 credit requirement (1 per semester)

Local internships during the school year require a commitment for Fall & Spring, 1 credit per semester. In special cases, a summer internship may be allowed (1 credit). No more than 2 internship credits can be used towards the 6 credit certificate requirement. Graduate students have the option of taking the internship tuition free (does not count toward your elective degree requirement) or paying for the internship (may count towards your elective degree requirement if your academic advisor has approved). With either option the course will count towards your ALP certificate requirement.

Electives

Any other ALC course to meet or exceed the 6 credit certificate requirement

ALP Certificate candidates are encouraged to take as many ALP courses as their schedule and time will permit.

All graduate students can take ALP courses for free by registering at the 400 level. (400 level courses will not count towards your degree or Diploma or Certificate requirements, however, you are expected to do the work and you will receive a grade). If MM/MA students wish to take these courses for degree credit (unspecified elective) they should register for the 200 level and will be charged the normal credit fee. If DMA/PhD students wish to take these courses for degree credit they should consult their advisor (500 level courses will be created as needed for specific courses).

Certificate Requirements for students who entered the program prior to Spring semester 2004: completion of 6 credits in any ALP courses, no more than 2 internships credits to be used towards the 6 credit certificate requirement.