

INTERNSHIPS



How does academic credit apply to internships?

- *Is an internship for credit required for your degree?* — **Yes**; 10 credits required (usually split over two semesters of enrollment)
- *What class credit do you receive for a qualified internship?* — **MU 487**
- *How many hours are required by the American Music Therapy Association?* — **1200 hours total**; up to 300 of which may be approved through pre-internship activity
- *Are there any other restrictions or requirements?* — **All foundations coursework completed before this capstone experience**

Who needs to be involved in an internship?

Intern/Student (aka YOU!)

You are responsible for applying for specific internship sites, completing the clinical training hours, and submitting assignments to the internship coordinator.

Experience Provider

This is the site and/or supervisor who you will be interning with.

Internship Coordinator

This is the departmental faculty/staff member who will coordinate internship paperwork.

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Internship Coordinator

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START SEARCH ONE YEAR BEFORE YOU PLAN TO COMPLETE YOUR INTERNSHIP



Where have other music therapy students interned?

- Pathway Hospice (Fort Collins, CO)
- Integrative Therapy of Northern Colorado
- Elevate Music Therapy (Northern Colorado)
- Metro Music Therapy, Inc
- Children's Mercy Kansas City
- Fulton County Schools (Roswell, GA)

students are not guaranteed acceptance to an internship in the state of Colorado

What are your next steps?

1

Review information on the Internship Information page in the Canvas Community

2

Meet with Internship Coordinator to review timeline, application materials, and potential internship sites.

3

Find an internship! Make sure you...
*Contact faculty about **letters of rec***
*Have your **resume** reviewed*
*Apply for **up to 4 sites** at a time*

4

Get final approval of internship site by Internship Coordinator and accept within 30 days of offer.

5

Register for MU 487 on RamWeb.



University Affiliated Sites



Internships on Handshake



Job/Internship Search Toolkit

