

**REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MASTER OF FINE ARTS IN DANCE**  
**WEITZENHOFFER COLLEGE OF FINE ARTS**  
**THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA**

Academic Year	General Requirements	Program
For Students Entering the Oklahoma State System for Higher Education Summer 2023 through Spring 2024	Minimum Total Hours (Thesis) ..... 58	Dance M265 Master of Fine Arts in Dance

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**Program Code: M265**

## Thesis option

Code	Title	Credit Hours
<b>Required Courses</b>		
<i>Introductory Course</i>		
DANC 5023	Introduction to Graduate Study in Dance	3
<i>Dance Technique According to Major</i>		
Choose 12 hours in one of the following:		12
DANC 5224	Graduate Ballet Technique or DANC 532 Graduate Modern Dance Technique	
<i>Performing Dance Company According to Major</i>		
Choose 8 hours in one of the following:		8
DANC 5292	Advanced Ballet Company Class or DANC 5392 Advanced Modern Dance Company Class	
DANC 5713	History of World Dance	3
DANC 5743	Dance History: Early Roots	3
DANC 5753	Dance History: Three Centuries of Development	3
<b>Core Courses</b>		
AMGT 5013	Overview of Arts Management and Administration	3
DANC 5322	Advanced Dance Improvisation	2
DANC 5613	Graduate Choreography	6
DANC 5813	Advanced Teaching of Dance	3
DANC 5913	Graduate Project in Dance	3
<b>Electives</b>		
Choose 3 hours in graduate level or graduate credit course outside of the major		3
Choose 3 hours from School of Dance electives or from other appropriate areas		3
<b>Thesis</b>		
DANC 5980	Research for Master's Thesis	3
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>58</b>

Credit transferred from other institutions must meet specific criteria and is subject to certain limitations.

Courses completed through correspondence study may *not* be applied to the master's degree.

To qualify for a graduate degree, students must achieve an overall grade point average of 3.0 or higher in the degree program coursework and in all resident graduate coursework attempted. A student must also have at least a 3.0 in all coursework (including undergraduate coursework if any).

Additional information for master's degree students may be found in the Graduate College Bulletin.

More information in the catalog: (<http://ou-public.courseleaf.com/weitzenhoffer-fine-arts/dance/dance-master-fine-arts-dance/>).

## General Requirements for all Master's Degrees

The master's degree requires the equivalent of *at least* two semesters of satisfactory graduate work and additional work as may be prescribed for the degree.

All coursework applied to the master's degree must carry graduate credit.

Master's degree programs which require a thesis consist of *at least* 30 credit hours.

All non-thesis master's degree programs require *at least* 30 credit hours.