

UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO-BOULDER
COLLEGE OF MUSIC

**PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATE IN
STRING QUARTET PERFORMANCE**

Program Supervisor: Prof. Erika Eckert

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| CATEGORY I--REQUIREMENTS IN MAJOR AREA: STRING PERFORMANCE | <i>credit hours</i> |
| Applied String Instruction (PMUS 6 __ 6) Two semesters for one year. Registration for applied study is for two credit hours per semester, entitling each member of the quartet to one hour of private lessons per week. | 4 |
| Thesis (TMUS 6956 twice and TMUS 6957 twice) Chamber music recitals. This four-recital requirement entitles the quartet to one hour of coaching per week. The string faculty will decide if one of these recitals should be a solo recital. | 8 |
| Symphony Orchestra (EMUS 5327) Two fall semesters as principals in the Chamber Orchestra (1 cr. each) | 2 |
| CATEGORY II--OTHER REQUIREMENTS IN MUSIC | 2 |
| Entrepreneurship --Selections from the following: * Building Your Music Career (MUSC 5918) The Entrepreneurial Artist (MUSC 5988) Arts Administration & Management (MUSC 5978) | |
| ELECTIVES Additional credits in the College of Music at the 4000- or 5000-level. ** | 4 |
| Total | <hr/> 20 |

* A maximum of two credits at the 4000-level may be taken in fulfillment of the certificate requirements.

** Students who wish to take academic classes at the 5000-level or above will be required to pass the appropriate Preliminary Examinations.

The Professional Certificate in String Quartet Performance is a graduate program for pre-professional quartets who exhibit the potential for a national and/or international performing career. An earned baccalaureate degree in performance is the minimum requirement for admission into this program.