The jazz program offers courses in jazz improvisation, composition and arranging, history, and ensembles.

**Program of Study**

- Jazz Studies Major [link](https://catalogs.northwestern.edu/undergraduate/music/jazz/jazz-studies-major)

**JAZZ_ST 162-0 Applied Jazz for Music Majors (1 Unit)**

**JAZZ_ST 210-1 Jazz History I (1 Unit)** The origins of jazz, its performers, and their contributions. Includes a look at contemporaneous social conditions during its development.

**JAZZ_ST 210-2 Jazz History II (1 Unit)** The origins of jazz, its performers, and their contributions. Includes a look at contemporaneous social conditions during its development.

**JAZZ_ST 236-1 Jazz Improvisation I (0.5 Unit)** The language of jazz. Focus is on melodic development and ear training via repertoire and solos of jazz's most influential figures.

**JAZZ_ST 236-2 Jazz Improvisation II (0.5 Unit)** The language of jazz. Focus is on melodic development and ear training via repertoire and solos of jazz's most influential figures.

**JAZZ_ST 236-3 Jazz Improvisation III (0.5 Unit)** The language of jazz. Focus is on melodic development and ear training via repertoire and solos of jazz's most influential figures.

**JAZZ_ST 262-0 Applied Jazz for Music Majors (1 Unit)**

**JAZZ_ST 237-0 Junior Recital (0 Unit)**

**JAZZ_ST 377-0 Jazz Orchestra for Music Majors (0.5 Unit)**

**JAZZ_ST 380-0 Senior Recital (0 Unit)**

**JAZZ_ST 391-0 Small Ensemble (0.5 Unit)**

**JAZZ_ST 399-0 Independent Study (0.5-1 Unit)**