

Master of Science in Arts Leadership

2026 Catalogue Year

Two-Year Course Plan

Total Number of Graduate Units Required for the Degree: 31

<u>Fall</u>	<u>Units</u>
ARTL 520 Arts Leadership Intensive	1
ARTL 500 Arts Leadership and Arts Entrepreneurship	2
ARTL 501 Executive Leadership in the Arts	2
Concentration Elective♦	4
Total Units:	9

<u>Spring</u>	<u>Units</u>
ARTL 502 Issues in the Arts and the Contemporary World	2
Concentration Elective♦	4
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Total Units:	8

<u>Fall</u>	<u>Units</u>
ARTL 503 Arts Organizations: Innovation and New Models	2
ARTL 510 Arts Leadership Practicum	2
Field Experience*	2
Concentration Elective♦	2
Total Units:	8

<u>Spring</u>	<u>Units</u>
ARTL 504 Arts and Community: Current Practice and New Visions	2
ARTL 510 Arts Leadership Practicum	2
Field Experience*	2
Total Units:	6

Refer to the 2025-2026 University of Southern California Catalogue for course descriptions.

*Field experience consists of 4 units of either the following courses:

MUSC 598 Organizational Internship	1-4 units
ARTL 512 Essentials of Orchestra Management	2 units
ARTL 590 Directed Research	1-4 units

♦12 units of concentration electives are required. Courses must be selected in consultation with and approved by the Arts Leadership Program Director. Some courses may require departmental clearance (D-clearance) or pre-requisites. Courses must be at the 400-699 level in order to receive graduate level credit for the degree. Courses must be at the 400-699 level in order to receive graduate level credit for the degree, but at least 2 units MUST be 500-level or higher.