

Course: MU 1000- Rudiments of Music

Session: Winter 2010

Monday and Wednesday 2:30- 3:50 p.m. L123

Credit/Hours: 3(3-0-0) 45 Hours

Delivery Mode: Lecture; Moodle Assisted

Transfer: UA, UC*, UL*, AU, AF, CU, KUC

Prerequisite: No previous knowledge of music is required.

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Calendar The fundamentals of music theory are approached through aural and written training.

Description: Recommended as a Fine Arts option for Bachelor of Arts students.

Course Content:

The Rudiments of Music course will enable students to understand the language of music and decipher the basic symbols for musicianship. Through aural and printed exercises, it is expected that all students upon course completion will be able to:

- Notate and read musical sounds
- Define basic musical symbols, terms, key signatures, and time signatures
- Design and identify major and minor scales
- Recognize whole tones, blues, chromatic, octatonic and pentatonic scales
- Intervals and triads- major, minor, augmented and diminished and inversions
- Simple and compound meters- identify and add rests to passages
- Identification of cadences- perfect and plagal
- Identify key signatures of melodies and transposition to major and minor keys.

Evaluation: Term Assignments completed 25%

(Attendance/Participation 5%, Assignment 20%)

Section Quizzes 20%

Midterm Examination 25% Final Examination 30%

Timeline: If all assignments are handed in within the set deadline, the student will receive an additional

5% to their midterm mark at the end of term.

Required Wharram, Barbara; Wood, Kathleen, ed. Elementary Rudiments of Music Revised Edition.

Materials: The Frederick Harris Music Co., Limited, 2005

Pencil(s), eraser, manuscript paper

Please bring all of the above materials to each class

All of the above materials may be purchased through the bookstore on campus

Plagiarism Plagiarism involves submitting work (words, ideas, images, or data) in a course as if it were

your own work done expressly for that particular course when, in fact, it is not. While it is recognized that academic work often involves reference to ideas, data and conclusions of others, intellectual honesty requires that such references be explicitly and clearly noted.

Refer to page 49 of the GPRC 2009-2010 Calendar.

More than 20% (6 classes) absenteeism may constitute a failure except for medical or extenuating circumstances in which case a doctor's letter may be required. Attendance:

June 2009 Reviewed: