

UNIVERSITY OF CALGARY FACULTY OF ARTS

SCHOOL OF CREATIVE AND PERFORMING ARTS - MUSIC MUSI 225 – Musicianship I Fall 2015 / Winter 2016

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Office Hours	MW 1:00-2:00, or by Appointment (Welling) / TBA
Day(s),Time(s) and	MWF 10:00-10:50, CH F214. Additional break-out room to be announced during first
Location of Class	week of classes.
Out of Class	
Activities	none
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Learning Resources:	1. Gary S. Karpinski, Manual for Ear Training and Sight Singing
Required Readings,	2. Gary S. Karpinski, Anthology for Sight Singing
Textbooks and	3. Manuscript Paper and Pencils
Materials	All of the above are required and available at the University Bookstore.
Prerequisites	Open only to students accepted as music majors and minors on the basis of the
	entrance audition or consent of the Division Chair, Music. This course meets for three
	hours per week during the Fall and Winter Terms.
Supplementary Fees	none
Course Description	Development of skills in rhythm, intonation and sight-singing. Performance of two-
	part contrapuntal exercises with diatonic modulation.
Course Overview	This course, together with "theory" courses, is designed to help the student musician
	who intends to make music a career by developing musical skills and an understanding
	of how music is put together. While theory courses focus on developing written skills,
	this course focuses on aural skills and the training of the ear. Students will acquire
	fluency in the use of solfège, sing and notate melodies and chord progressions, and
	develop keyboard harmony skills.
Course Learning	By the completion of this course, successful students will be able to:
Outcomes	1. Sing, at sight and with solfège, rhythms, melodies and chord progressions that utilize
	diatonic and some chromatic elements.
	2. Notate rhythms, melodies, rhythms and chord progressions that are played for you
	(primarily diatonic, but some chromatic materials may be present as well).
	3. Play basic progressions on keyboard instruments.
Course Schedule:	Details given in class and on D2L. Students can expect that there will be weekly
	dictation assignments and daily singing assignments.
Assessment	Class Preparation / Participation
Components	Value: 10% of final grade
	Due Date: always!
	Description: This is a "doing" class – you must be in class and participate to get the
	most out of it.
	In-Class Quizzes / Graded Assignments
	Value: 40% of final grade Late Assignments WILL NOT be accepted!!!
	Date: various; announced in class and on D2L
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Type: dictation, keyboard and singing assignments

Singing & Dictation Exams

Value: 50% of final grade

Date: various; announced in class and on D2L

Type: dictation and singing/keyboard exams; 4 times throughout the year

There will be no registrar-scheduled final exam for this course.

Assessment Expectations

Expectations for Writing:

Writing skills are important to academic study across all disciplines. Consequently, instructors may use their assessment of writing quality as a factor in the evaluation of student work. Please refer to the Undergraduate Calendar E.2 Writing Across the Curriculum policy for details.

Expectations for Attendance and Participation:

The content of this course cannot be learned from a textbook – the sills can only be acquired through diligent practice and class participation. Therefore, each absence in excess of three will result in a grade penalty (to be determined by the instructors). If there is a legitimate reason you cannot attend, it must be approved in advance. If you do miss a class, it is your responsibility to get the assigned homework and have it prepared for the class in which it is due.

Please refer to the Undergraduate Calendar E.3 Attendance for details.

Guidelines for Formatting Assignments

All assignments should be in pencil and on manuscript paper (no hand drawn staves!!).

Guidelines for Submitting Assignments

Assignments are due at the beginning of the class.

Late Assignments

Late Assignments WILL NOT be accepted!!

Criteria That Must Be Met To Pass

An overall grade of 50% is required to pass this course. A grade of C- is needed to continue on to MUSI 325.

Grading Scale

A numerical mark will be given for each course requirement, which will be averaged to determine the final grade according to the following scheme:

A: 95-100 A-: 90-94

B+: 85-89 B: 80-84 B-: 75-79

F: 0-49

For the course as a whole, letter grades should be understood as follows, as outlined in the section F.2 of the Undergraduate Calendar for 2015-2016:

Grade	GPA	Description
A+	4.00	Outstanding.
Α	4.00	Excellent-superior performance, showing comprehensive

	understanding of subject matter.
	A- 3.70
	B+ 3.30
	B 3.00 Good - clearly above average performance with knowledge
	of subject matter generally complete.
	B- 2.70
	C+ 2.30
	C 2.00 Satisfactory - basic understanding of the subject matter.
	C- 1.70 Receipt of a grade point average of 1.70 may not be
	sufficient for promotion or graduation. (See individual
	undergraduate faculty regulations.)
	D+ 1.30
	D 1.00 Minimal pass - marginal performance; generally insufficient
	preparation for subsequent courses in the same subject.
	F 0 Fail - unsatisfactory performance or failure to meet course
	requirements.
MIDTERM AND FINAL	Final examinations may be scheduled at any time during the examination period (11-22
EXAMINATION	December for Fall 2015 term; 16-27 April for Winter 2016 term); students should therefore
SCHEDULING	avoid making prior travel, employment, or other commitments for this period. If a student is
	unable to write an exam through no fault of his or her own for medical or other valid reasons,
	documentation must be provided and an opportunity to write the missed exam may be given.
	Students are encouraged to review all examination policies and procedures:
	<u>ucalgary.ca/registrar/exams/deferred_final</u>
DEFERRALS OF	It is possible to request a deferral of term work or final examinations for reasons of illness,
EXAMS/TERM WORK	accident, family or domestic affliction, or religious obligations. Please check with your advisor if
	any of these issues make it impossible for you to sit an exam or finish term work by stated
	deadlines. <u>ucalgary.ca/registrar/exams/deferred_final</u>
	ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar/current/g-6.html
	ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar/current/g-7.html
INTERNET AND	elearn.ucalgary.ca/category/d2l/
ELECTRONIC	ucalgary.ca/emergencyplan/emergency-instructions/uc-emergency-app
COMMUNCATION	The in-class use of computers may be approved by your Instructor. Cell phones and other
DEVICE	electronic communication devices should be silenced or turned off upon entering the
	classroom. If you violate the Instructor's policy regarding the use of electronic communication devices in the classroom, you may be asked to leave the classroom; repeated abuse may result
	in a charge of misconduct. No audio or video recording of any kind is allowed in class without
	explicit permission of the Instructor.
ACADEMIC INTEGRITY,	The University of Calgary is committed to the highest standards of academic integrity and
PLAGIARISM	honesty. Students are expected to be familiar with these standards regarding academic
	honesty and to uphold the policies of the University in this respect. Students are referred to the
	section on plagiarism in the University Calendar (ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar/current/k-2.html)
	and are reminded that plagiarism Using any source whatsoever without clearly documenting
	it—is an extremely serious academic offence. Consequences include failure on the assignment,
	failure in the course and possibly suspension or expulsion from the university. You must
	document not only direct quotations but also paraphrases and ideas where they appear in your
	text. A reference list at the end is insufficient by itself. Readers must be able to tell exactly
	where your words and ideas end and other people's words and ideas begin. This includes
	assignments submitted in non-traditional formats such as Web pages or visual media, and
	material taken from such sources. Please consult your instructor or the Student Success Centre
	(TFDL 3rd Floor) if you have any questions regarding how to document sources.
COPYRIGHT	It is the responsibility of students and professors to ensure that materials they post or
	distribute to others comply with the Copyright Act and the University's Fair Dealing Guidance
	for Students. Further copyright information for students is available on the Copyright Office
	web page (<u>library.ucalgary.ca/copyright</u>).
ACADEMIC	Students seeking an accommodation based on disability or medical concerns should contact
ACCOMMODATION	Student Accessibility Services (SAS); SAS will process the request and issue letters of

	assembled to be instructors. For additional information on support sortions and
	accommodation to instructors. For additional information on support services and
	accommodations for students with disabilities, visit www.ucalgary.ca/access/ . Students who
	require an accommodation in relation to their coursework based on a protected ground other
	than disability should communicate this need in writing to their Instructor.
	The full policy on Student Accommodations is available
	at http://www.ucalgary.ca/policies/files/policies/files/policies/student-accommodation-policy_0.pdf .
FOIP	<u>ucalgary.ca/secretariat/privacy</u>
STUDENT	ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar/current/k.html
MISCONDUCT	
ACADEMIC STANDING	ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar/current/f.html
SAFEWALK	220-5333 anytime. <u>ucalgary.ca/security/safewalk</u>
CAMPUS SECURITY	220-5333. Help phones: located throughout campus, parking lots, and elevators. They connect
	directly to Campus Security; in case of emergency, press the red button.
EMERGENCY	Assembly points for emergencies have been identified across campus. The primary assembly
EVACUATION	point for Craigie Hall is the Professional Faculties Food Court. For more information, see the
	University of Calgary's Emergency Management website:
	<u>ucalgary.ca/emergencyplan/assemblypoints</u>
FACULTY OF ARTS	For academic advising, visit the Arts Students' Centre (ASC) for answers about course
PROGRAM ADVISING	registration, graduation checks, and the 'big picture' on programs and majors. Drop in at
AND STUDENT	SS102, email us at ascarts@ucalgary.ca or call us at 403-220-3580. You can also visit the
INFORMATION	Faculty of Arts website at arts.ucalgary.ca/undergraduate which has detailed information on
RESOURCES	common academic concerns.
	• For academic success support, such as writing support, peer support, success seminars, and
	learning support, visit the Student Success Centre on the third floor of the Taylor Family
	Digital Library (TFDL), email them at success@ucalgary.ca or visit their website at
	ucalgary.ca/ssc/ for more information or to book an appointment.
	• For enrolment assistance, including registration (add/drop/swap) changes, paying fees, and
	navigating your Student Centre, contact Enrolment Services at 403-210-ROCK [7625], by
	email at <u>futurestudents@ucalgary.ca</u> or visit them at the MacKimmie Block 117.
COURSE OUTLINES FOR	It is possible that you will be asked for copies of this outline for credit transfers to other
TRANSFER CREDIT	institutions or for proof of work done. It is the student's responsibility to keep these outlines
TRANSFER CREDIT	and provide them to employers or other universities when requested. Please ensure that
	outlines of all the courses you take are kept in a safe place for your future reference.
	Departments/Programs do not guarantee that they will provide copies.
LETTER OF PERMISSION	If you wish to study at another institution while registered at the U of C, you must have a letter
LLITER OF PERIVISSION	of permission. You can submit your request through your Student Centre at MyUofC. Students
	must have the Letter of Permission before they take the course at another school. Failure to
	prepare may result in no credit awarded and could result in suspension from the faculty.
CTUDENT LINION	Student Union: su.ucalgary.ca/about/who-we-are/elected-officials/
STUDENT UNION	
CONTACT	Faculty of Arts reps: <u>arts1@su.ucalgary.ca</u> ; <u>arts2@su.ucalgary.ca</u> ; <u>arts3@su.ucalgary.ca</u> ; arts4@su.ucalgary.ca
STUDENT	
OMBUDSPERSON	Graduate Student's Association: gsa.ucalgary.ca/executive
LINDEDCDARULATE	Student Ombudsman: <u>su.ucalgary.ca/page/quality-education/academic-services/student-rights</u>
UNDERGRADUATE	DUS: Drama Undergraduate Society, CHC 005 <u>uofcdus@gmail.com</u>
ASSOCIATIONS	MUS: Music Undergraduate Society, CHF 219 <u>undmusic@ucalgary.ca</u>