

Course Description

MUT2247 | Sight Singing and Ear Training 2 | 1.00 - 2.00 credits

Develops aural and visual skills by means of rhythmic, melodic and harmonic dictation and sight singing. Emphasis is on chromatic materials. Prerequisites: MUT 1242 for MUT 2246, MUT 2246 for MUT 2247; Corequisites: MUT 2116, MUT 2117.

Course Competencies

Competency 1: The student will demonstrate skill and technical proficiency with pitch by:

- 1. Using solfège (movable Do), sight-sing phrases from 4-20 measures in length, spanning an octave and a half
- 2. Singing chromatic and whole-tone scales, in addition to modes
- 3. Singing 7th chords in root position and inversion
- 4. Taking dictation of chromatic melodies outlining secondary harmonies and mode mixture
- 5. Aurally identify harmonic progressions employing mode mixture and chromatic predominant

Competency 2: The student will demonstrate skill and technical proficiency with rhythm by:

- 1. Performing excerpts from 4-20 measures in length containing any note/rest value
- 2. Taking dictation of excerpts from 4-20 measures in length containing any note/rest value
- Identifying duple borrowing in compound meters, and conversely, identifying triple borrowings in simple meters
- 4. Transcribing rhythms with advanced syncopation, employing dots, rests, and/or ties
- 5. Transcribing rhythms using metrical modulation (duple + triple borrowings)

Competency 3: The students must be able to examine and demonstrate working knowledge of the following concepts by:

- 1. Using solfège
- 2. Sing/Aurally identify all major/minor scales, intervals (compound), chromatic scale, whole-tone scale, triads, etc.
- 3. Simple/Compound Meters

Learning Outcomes

- Communicate effectively using listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills
- Solve problems using critical and creative thinking and scientific reasoning
- Formulate strategies to locate, evaluate, and apply information
- Demonstrate an appreciation for aesthetics and creative activities

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