



### **Course Description**

#### **MUT2238 | Introduction to Jazz Keyboard Harmony | 1.00 credit**

Jazz harmonic progression as related to music arranging. Includes jazz harmonization of melodic lines, chord symbol interpretation and chord construction. Prerequisite: MVK 1111 or permission of instructor; corequisite: MUT2351. Special fee.

### **Course Competencies:**

**Competency 1:** The student will demonstrate technical proficiency of functional jazz harmony by:

1. Understanding and performing Diatonic Seventh Chords
2. Understanding and performing the modes of the major scale

**Competency 2:** The student will demonstrate the utilization of chord types by:

1. Understanding and performing 7<sup>th</sup> chords in root position and inversions
2. Understanding and performing 7<sup>th</sup> chords in the context of jazz compositions

**Competency 3:** The student will be able to apply techniques of harmonic analysis and basic compositional techniques by:

1. Composing various song types and song forms
2. Performing harmonic analysis on repertoire

**Competency 4:** The student will demonstrate knowledge and proficiency in jazz piano skills by:

1. Performing basic jazz standards
2. Demonstrating skills in improvisation, commensurate with the harmonic content presented in class

### **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