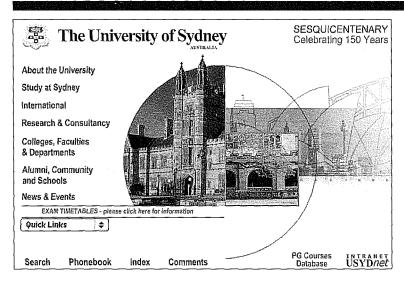


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Semester 1 lectures begin	Monday 26 February	Semester 1 units of study		
Easter recess		Last day for withdrawal	Friday 30 March	
Last day of lectures	Thursday 12 April	Last day to discontinue without failure (DNF		
Lectures resume	Monday 23 April	Last day to discontinue (Discontinued –Fail)	Friday 8 June	
Study vacation: 1 week beginning	Monday 11 June	Semester 2 units of study		
Examinations commence	Monday 18 June	Last day for withdrawal	Thursday 30 August	
Semester 1 ends	Saturday 30 June	Last day to discontinue without failure (DNF)	Friday 7 September	
Semester 2 lectures begin	Monday 23 July	Last day to discontinue (DiscontinuedFail)	Friday 2 November	
Mid-semester recess		Full Year units of study	•	
Last day of lectures	Friday 21 September	Last day for withdrawal	Friday 30 March	
Lectures resume	Monday 1 October	Last day to discontinue without failure (DNF)	Friday 27 July	
Study vacation: 1 week beginning	Monday 5 November	Last day to discontinue (DiscontinuedFail)	Friday 2 November	
Examinations commence	Monday 12 November	,	•	
Semester 2 ends	Saturday 1 December			

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# February Semester 2001

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Week	Beginning	All tertiary awards	Conservatorium Access Centre	Conservatorium High School
	22 Jan	Undergraduate enrolments 24 Jan		
	29 Jan	Postgraduate enrolments & failed pre-en	rolments 29 Jan	Term 1 commences
	5 Feb			
	12 Feb	16 Feb International enrolments	Introducing Music commences 17 Feb	
1	19 Feb	Individual lessons commence	Youth Access Programs (YAP & JAP) Semester 1 commences, Community & Jazz Access Programs (C Term 1 commences	CJAP)
2	26 Feb	Academic classes & ensemble activities	commence	
3	5 Mar	Sinfonia auditions 5 & 6 Mar		
4	12 Mar			
5	19 Mar			
6	26 Mar	HECS Census date 31 Mar Sinfonia evening concerts 26,27 Mar		
7	2 Apr	Special Projects Week 1 *, SCSO Concerts 7 & 8 Apr		
8	9 Apr	Good Friday 13 Apr	YAP holidays 9-27 Apr	Term 1 ends 12 Apr
	16 Apr	Easter Monday 16 Apr Non-teaching period		School holidays
9	23 Apr	Teaching recommences Mid-semester assessment/technical exan for DipMus & BMus(Hons) Recital application forms due 23 Apr Anzac Day 25 Apr	ns	School holidays
10	30 Apr		YAP lessons recommence	Term 2 commences
11	7 May		CJAP Term 1 concludes	
12	14 May			
13	21 May		Introduction to Music concludes 26 Mag	y
14	28 May	Academic classes & ensemble activities conclude	CJAP Term 2 commences	
15	4 Jun	Study Week Recitals commence Individual lessons conclude		
16	11 Jun	Queens Birthday 11 Jun Practical examinations Recitals continue		
17	18 Jun	Written examinations Recitals continue	YAP Semester 1 concludes 23 Jun	Level examinations (technical
18	25 Jun	Non-teaching period Deferred recitalsf		
	2 Jul	Non-teaching period AVCC Common week		Term 2 ends Friday 6 Jul
	9 Jul	Non-teaching period	Winter Festival CJAP holidays 9-20 Jul	School holidays
		12 weeks lecture & ensemble activities 12 weeks individual lessons (Minor level) 14 weeks individual lessons (Major level)	14 weeks academic lessons YAP 14 weeks individual lessons YAP 10 weeks lessons (3 terms/year) CJAP	16 weeks practical lessons

<sup>\*</sup> During each Special Projects Week there will be a cessation of normal lessons and classes for tertiary students. t Deferral of recitals is subject to *written* approval. See Rule 5.4 in Chapter 4 of the Handbook.

# July Semester 2001

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Week	Beginning	All tertiary awards	Conservatorium Access Centre	Conservatorium High School
1	16 Jul	Individual lessons commence		School holidays
2	23 Jul	Academic classes incl. BMus(MusEd) & ensemble activities commence Sinfonia tour 24-27 Jul	Youth Access Semester 2 commences	Term 3 commences
3	30 Jul			
4	6 Aug			
5	13 Aug	BMus(MusEd) 3 & 4 begin 7 week practicum	CJAP Term 2 concludes	
6	20 Aug	Special Projects Week 2* (TBC) SCSO Concert 25 & 26 Aug BMus(MusEd) 2 begin Monday practicu Courses & Careers Day 25 Aug	Courses & Careers Day 25 Aug	Trial examinations 20 & 21 Aug
7	27 Aug	Special Projects Week 3* SCSO Concert 1 & 2 Sept HECS Census date 31 Aug		
8	3 Sep			
9	10 Sep	Recital application forms due 10 Sep	CJAP Term 3 commences	
10	17 Sep			
11	24 Sep	Last week of BMus(MusEd) 3 & 4 Practicum	Youth Access holidays 24 Sep - 13 Oct	Term 3 ends 28 Sep
	1 Oct	Labour Day 1 Oct Non-teaching period		School holidays
12	8 Oct	Lessons & classes recommence		School holidays
13	15 Oct	BMus(MusEd) 3 & 4 recommence classes	YAP lessons recommence	Term 4 commences
14	22 Oct			
15	29 Oct	Public performance exams (recitals and concertos) commence. Academic classes and ensemble activities conclude. BMus(MusEd) 2 Monday practicum concludes		
16	5 Nov	Study Week Individual lessons conclude Recitals continue		Level examinations
17	12 Nov	Written examinations Recitals continue		
18	19 Nov	Practical examinations Recitals continue	YAP Semester 2 concludes	
19	26 Nov	BMus(MusEd) 2 begin two week practicum Deferred recitalsf	CJAP Term 3 concludes	
20	3 Dec	Auditions		
	10 Dec			
	17 Dec			Term 4 ends 20 December
		12 weeks lecture & ensemble activities 12 weeks individual lessons (Minor level) 14 weeks individual lessons (Major Level)	14 weeks academic lessons YAP 14 weeks individual lessons YAP 10 weeks lessons (3 terms/year) CJAP	16 weeks practical lessons

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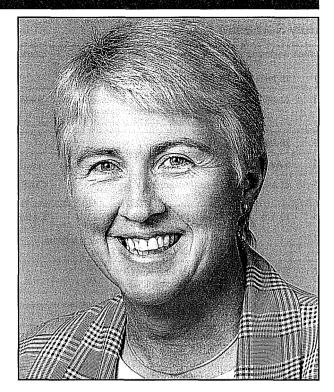
# Message from the Principal

Welcome to the Sydney Conservatorium of Music. I trust that your experience of studying at the Conservatorium will be highly rewarding.

As a student of the Conservatorium in the 2001 academic year, you will be amongst the first to experience the benefits of studying within the newly completed complex at the site of the Conservatorium's historic home in Macquarie Street. This long awaited redevelopment will finally see the Conservatorium united on one campus, with state-of-the-art facilities to rival the best in the world. Set within the city's cultural precinct, the Conservatorium will house a concert hall, two recital halls, an opera teaching and performance centre with flexible seating and staging configurations, a music technology suite, a library and resource centre, and numerous practice and teaching studios. The rich traditions of the Conservatorium, as one of the oldest music schools in Australia, will finally be complemented by exceptional teaching, research and performance facilities.

Upon graduation from the Sydney Conservatorium of Music, you will join its distinguished alumni, many of whom have established exceptional careers in Australia and around the world. The Conservatorium's alumni include conductors Richard Bonynge and Simone Young, violinists Richard Tognetti and John Harding, cellists Nathan Waks and David Pereira, pianists Roger Woodward and Michael Kieran Harvey, jazz virtuoso James Morrison, composers Gerard Brophy, Elena Kats-Chernin and Michael Smetanin and countless others.

The Conservatorium has for several years now forged and maintained close links with major performance organisations which directly provide students with valuable opportunities to establish personal contact with the leaders of the profession. The SSO Sinfonia Project for instance, sees students, selected through audition, working with members of the Sydney Symphony Orchestra in a series of education and regional touring programs throughout the year. Many members of the Sydney Symphony Orchestra also teach at the Conservatorium. As well as these important associations, the Conservatorium boasts regular visits by international guest artists for masterclasses and other teaching and conducting sessions. The Conservatorium also has in place international student exchange agreements with highly regarded music institutions such as the Royal Academy of Music in London, and the Hochshule fur Musik in Dermoid, Germany.



This handbook offers general information about all the courses and units of study available at undergraduate and postgraduate level, and the regulations which govern progress through those courses and units. More detailed information is always available through the relevant Chair of Unit, or through the Conservatorium Student Administration Office, which has staff available to assist you with planning your studies, and with any difficulties you may encounter along the way.

Our outstanding academic staff will ensure you receive teaching of the highest quality and a range of support is available to you through the assistance of the Conservatorium administrative staff, and through the extensive resources of The University of Sydney. You are also welcome to meet with the at any stage to discuss your plans and ambitions, your progress or any problems.

I wish you every success for your studies in 2001.

Professor Sharman Pretty, Principal

# **CHAPTER 1**

# Profile of the Sydney Conservatorium

The Sydney Conservatorium of Music, established in 1916, is one of the oldest music schools in Australia.

# Mission of the Sydney Conservatorium of Music

The mission of the Sydney Conservatorium of Music is to sustain and develop the study and practice of music and to serve the music profession and the music and wider community through performance, composition and research, and through the initial and continuing education and training of performers, musicologists, composers and music educators.

Three guiding values underlie the Conservatorium's teaching programs:

- 1. teaching and learning of the highest quality;
- flexibility of course structure to cater for individual differences and interests; and
- 3. student autonomy so that students become self-reliant learners and musicians.

# List of awards

The Conservatorium offers a range of undergraduate and postgraduate courses. These are:

Associate Diploma in Jazz Studies ADJS

- Two years full-time

Diploma of Music DipMus

- Three years full-time

# Diploma of Opera DipOp

- Three years full-time

# Bachelor of Music (Composition) BMus(Comp)

- Four years full-time

# Bachelor of Music (Music Education) BMus(MusEd)

- Four years full-time

# Bachelor of Music (Musicology) BMus(Musicol)

- Four years full-time

# Bachelor of Music (Performance) BMus(Perf)

- Four years full-time

# **Bachelor of Music Studies** BMusStudies

- Three years full-time

# Graduate Diploma in Music (Accompaniment)

GradDipMus(Accomp)

One year full-time

## **Graduate Diploma in Music (Performance)**

GradDipMus(Perf)

- One year full-time

# Graduate Diploma in Music (Opera) GradDipMus(Opera)

- One year full-time

# Master of Performance MPerf

- Two years full-time

# Master of Performance (Opera) MPerfOp

- Two years full-time

# Master of Music (Composition) MMus(Comp)

- Two years full-time

# Master of Music (Music Education) MMus(MusEd)

- Two years full-time

# Master of Music (Musicology) MMus(Musicol)

- Two years full-time

# Master of Music (Performance) MMus(Perf)

- Two years full-time

# Doctor of Philosophy PhD

- Three years full-time

## **Disclaimer**

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Strings Unit Vocal Studies Unit Woodwind Unit

Conservatorium Access Centre.

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Composition Unit
General Studies Unit
Music Education Unit
Musicology Unit
Electronic Music Studio
Piano Laboratory
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Computer Laboratories

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#### CHAPTER 3

# Student information

# Introduction

All students enrolled at the Conservatorium are expected to abide by the regulations as outlined in this Handbook and any other regulation that may from time to time be issued by the Principal. Students are also required to abide by all reasonable requests made by staff of the Conservatorium.

Notwithstanding any of the regulations of the Conservatorium set out in this Handbook, the College Board may vary any requirement.

#### Accommodation

Students are advised to contact the Student Housing Office on the Camperdown campus, phone (02) 9351 3312, for assistance in Finding accommodation. Crisis accommodation can be arranged with assistance from the Counselling Service at the Camperdown campus, phone (02) 9351 2228.

# Anti-harassment policy

The Conservatorium believes that all students and staff have the right to be treated fairly and with respect and acknowledges that sexual harassment, a form of sex discrimination, is unlawful under Federal and State legislation. The Conservatorium is committed to the principles of the University of Sydney Equal Opportunity and Anti-Discrimination Policies. Further information can be obtained from the Student Administration Office or the Counselling Service.

## Change of address

Students are required to notify the Conservatorium of any change in their postal address as soon as possible. The Conservatorium cannot accept responsibility if official communications fail to reach a student who has not formally notified the Student Administration Office of a change of address

Appropriate forms are available at the Student Administration Office.

# Concert practice

All students are required to participate in and attend Concert Practice. Programs must be presented by the due date on an appropriate form that can be obtained from the Student Administration Office.

# Conservatorium Library

The Library will be located on Level 1 of 109 Pitt Street until occupancy of the redeveloped Conservatorium facilities in Macquarie Street in mid-2001.

Library hours during semester are Monday to Friday 8 am to 6 pm. Variations to Library hours will be announced on noticeboards.

Many Conservatorium students are eligible to borrow from other libraries, for example, Fisher Library on the main campus of the University of Sydney. Closed reserve allows students to borrow texts and recommended works for short periods in the Library or overnight. Overnight loans are released from 4 pm and must be returned by 9 am the next morning. Failure to do this will result in a fine of \$2.50 per item per hour.

# Conservatorium Students' Association (CSA)

The Conservatorium Students' Association represents the student body. Its aim is to promote student morale and to encourage communication amongst and between students and staff. It also acts as a liaison organisation between

Conservatorium students and the University of Sydney student organisations.

The Student Council meets monthly to consider student needs and requirements. The Executive Committee of the Association meets weekly. The CSA Annual General Meeting is held in September each year when office bearers, year and course representatives are elected.

The CSA presently has a common room and an office on the 5th floor of 109 Pitt Street. An Administrative Assistant is available on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays to assist with student matters, phone (02) 9230 3777. This position is provided courtesy of the Students' Representative Council (SRC).

#### Enrolment

#### Enrolment dates

All currently enrolled students, including International students, complete a pre-enrolment form in October that will establish their enrolment record for the following year provided they successfully complete all current year units of study. These students will receive an invoice from the University for their fees in January.

All commencing postgraduate students and re-enrolling students whose pre-enrolment was not successful will enrol in person at the Conservatorium at ATP on Monday 29 January 2001.

All commencing undergraduate students will enrol at the Conservatorium at ATP on Wednesday 24 January 2001.

All students enrolling in January must pay all compulsory subscriptions, and HECS where they are electing to pay this up front, by selected credit card, money order or cheque on the actual day of enrolment.

#### Late enrolment fine

Students who fail to pre-enrol, or who miss their scheduled in person enrolment session, will be fined \$100.

#### Enrolment for international students

Currently enrolled International students will pre-enrol in October.

# Enrolment by proxy

If a student is unable to attend their scheduled enrolment session, they must arrange for someone else to enrol for them. Proxy enrolment guidelines and authorisation forms are available from the Student Administration Office or the Student Centre (Sydney University Camperdown campus). Completion of the form allows the student to authorise someone else (in most cases a parent, partner or friend) to enrol for them. The person who is enrolling on behalf of a student must produce the signed authorisation form at the time of enrolment and may also need to quote the student's tax file number if they are deferring their HECS liability. The student should also supply their proxy with complete and correct information regarding the units of study in which they wish to enrol.

# Fees for non-award courses

Tuition fees are payable by students enrolled in non-award units of study. Tuition fees are calculated on a semester basis. All fees are payable in advance.

## Financial assistance to students

Full-time students enrolled in approved advanced education courses are eligible to apply for means-tested financial assistance under AUSTUDY. Living allowances are available at three different rates: the *independent, dependent away from home* and *dependent at home* rates.

#### Graduation

# **Graduation** checks

All students enrolled in the final year of their course are strongly advised to request a graduation check from the Student Administration Office in the period between enrolment and the first three weeks of the first semester. A graduation check will ensure that students have met all the requirements for the award in which they are enrolled and allay anxiety regarding eligibility for graduation.

#### Graduation ceremony

The graduation ceremony will be held towards the end of first semester in 2001. A graduation ceremony invitation package, including details about the ceremony, guest tickets and academic dress will be sent to the graduand's permanent address about three weeks prior to the ceremony. Students must ensure that the University has the correct address to which the graduation invitation should be sent. Three guest tickets will be included in the invitation package.

Unfortunately no extra tickets will be available.

#### Graduating in absentia

It is possible to graduate without attending the ceremony. This is called graduating in absentia. Graduands who wish to graduate in absentia are asked to inform the Graduations Unit in writing as soon as possible after examination results are known and no later than two weeks before their graduation ceremony. If a student elects to graduate in absentia, their testamur and two copies of their academic record will be mailed to them as soon as possible after their award has been conferred. Please note that a decision to graduate in absentia will preclude a student from attending a subsequent graduation

If a student has been assigned a graduation ceremony and does not attend the ceremony the student will automatically graduate in absentia and will receive their testamur and academic record in the post.

# Graduand debtors

Graduands with outstanding loans and/or library fines will not be allowed to graduate until the debt has been paid. Please ensure that these debts are finalised one month before the graduation ceremony. For information concerning repayment of debts please phone (02) 9230 3772 (Finance Office) or (02) 9230 3709 (Library Fines).

#### Handbook fee

A charge is levied for the Conservatorium Handbook, which should be purchased annually by all new undergraduate and postgraduate students.

#### Higher Education Contribution Scheme (HECS)

A twenty-five per cent (25%) discount will apply for eligible students who elect to pay their HECS liability up front.

If a student intends to continue under their present HECS payment option (Deferred Liability, Up-front Payment or Upfront with Safety Net) they will not be required to complete a new payment option form at re-enrolment. If a student does intend to change their option at re-enrolment and is deferring their HECS liability they will be required to complete a payment option form and state their tax file number.

If a student selects the up-front payment option at enrolment, the amount will be calculated and included in the sum that must be paid on the day of enrolment.

Students who elect to meet their second semester liability with an up-front payment, will be posted an invoice in early August 2001. Payment must be submitted to the University by the due date on the invoice.

#### Higher Education Contribution Scheme (HECS) exemption scholarships

The University of Sydney anticipates that students in the following categories may qualify for a HECS Exemption Scholarship in 2001:

- All students holding an Australian Postgraduate Award (APA).
- Full-time and part-time PhD candidates up to and including their sixth semester of candidature.
- Full-time and part-time candidates undertaking a Masters degree by research up to and including their second effective full-time year of candidature.

# Hiring of instruments

The Conservatorium has a limited stock of string instruments for loan to enrolled students. Application forms are available from the Student Administration Office. Hirers are liable for the cost of lost or damaged instruments, as well as incidental items such as strings.

#### Late fee

If a student cannot enrol at the scheduled enrolment session, he or she should contact the Student Administration Office to seek permission to enrol late. A late fee of \$100 may be charged when a student is permitted to enrol outside the schedule for their course and year of candidature.

#### **Noticeboards**

An official Conservatorium noticeboard with information relevant to enrolled students will be located near the Student Administration Office in the redeveloped facility in Macquarie Street. All students must regularly check the noticeboards for announcements.

#### Official correspondence

In the first instance all official correspondence should be addressed to the Manager, Student Administration.

# Performance examinations

The Conservatorium requires all public performance examination programs to be approved. Each smdent must complete an Application for Recital Examination Program Approval when preparing for their performance examinations, and must submit this six (6) weeks prior to the examination.

#### Practice facilities

There are currently practice studios at both campus locations. On occupancy of the redeveloped facility in Macquarie Street, students will be informed of the policy and procedures for gaining access to the greatly increased number of practice

# Public performances

Students may take part in performances outside the Conservatorium but in no case can an absence conflict with rehearsals, concerts or any teaching activity without the prior approval of the Assistant Principal. The appropriate approval form can be obtained from Student Administration and must be lodged at least four weeks in advance.

# Scholarships

The Conservatorium is pleased to offer a number of scholarships to students undertaking tertiary study.

Unless specifically noted otherwise, the award of all merit determined scholarships will be based on the results obtained in auditions for entry to Conservatorium tertiary programs or, for currently enrolled students, from end of year examinations and assessment.

Students or prospective students wishing to be considered for the award of a scholarship on the basis of financial need, should submit a separate Application for Scholarship form to the Student Administration Office. These applicants should be prepared to submit confidential information about their financial circumstances to assist the Conservatorium in awarding scholarships. The applications forms will be available from 1 November and should be submitted by 3 December 2000

Details about the major scholarships available for tertiary students, including an indication of the value and the area of study, where applicable, are available from the Student Administration Office.

The Conservatorium Scholarship Committee will determine and notify the recipients of all scholarships prior to the end of December. The payment of all scholarships is subject to enrolment in the Conservatorium and can be expected by students in late February of the following year.

# Student enquiries

The Student Administration Enquiry Counter at the Australian Technology Park campus is the initial point of contact for administrative enquiries until reoccupancy of the Macquarie Street site in mid 2001. Students can obtain forms relating to change of enrolment, change of address, application for examination, concert practice, scholarships, leave of absence and other student related matters.

# Student files

All students have a personal file which is held in the Student Administration Office. Students are advised to consult their files for concert practice reports, technical examination reports and audition report forms, all of which give valuable feedback regarding progress.

# Student identification cards

All undergraduate and postgraduate students will be issued with a student identification card upon enrolment. Each student will be assigned an individual student number which will be printed on the card. The Student ID card should be carried during attendance at the Conservatorium and presented, upon request, when borrowing material from the library and when applying for concessions. A replacement charge of \$10 (plus GST) is levied.

# Student lockers

A limited number of lockers are available for rent at both campus locations. Students should apply at the Finance Office, 5th floor, Pitt Street building. The charge is \$32 per annum (including GST). A refund of \$10 will be given when keys are returned on completion of the academic year.

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# **CHAPTER 4**

# Rules of the Sydney Conservatorium

All candidates should read these rules in conjunction with the University of Sydney Undergraduate Courses Rule, the relevant resolutions of Senate and the Sydney Conservatorium of Music Resolutions, where enacted, for the particular course in which they are enrolled.

The Conservatorium Assessment Policy is available from the Conservatorium intranet at <a href="http://infodesk.conmusic">http://infodesk.conmusic</a>. usyd.edu.au/Policy/index.html.

Academic Board Teaching and Learning Policy Documents are available at <a href="http://www.usyd.edu.au/su/planning/policy/">http://www.usyd.edu.au/su/planning/policy/</a> index.html.

#### **Definitions**

#### Admission

Approved enrolment of a person in a course conducted by the Conservatorium. All undergraduate applicants are required to lodge an application for admission to a course with the Student Administration Office as well as the Universities Admission Centre (UAC). Postgraduate applicants are also requested to provide a certified copy of their full academic record. Photocopies cannot be accepted unless they are clear copies and officially signed and certified as to their accuracy. Admission restrictions

It is necessary to regulate the admission of candidates for courses to ensure that students accepted will not exceed the number for which adequate accommodation and facilities are available. Entry to the courses is competitive. For further information please refer to course descriptions later in this Handbook.

# Advanced standing

Students admitted to a course at the Conservatorium may be granted advanced standing based on previous attainment in another course at a recognised tertiary institution. Advanced standing is granted in the form of credit points which count towards the requirements for the course.

Application for advanced standing in Principal Study shall be made at the time of making application for admission and determined at the audition. Application forms are available from the Student Administration Office.

#### Award

An accredited tertiary course of study conducted by the Conservatorium consisting of such units of study, progressive sequences and other requirements as are presented in the Conservatorium Rules, Faculty Resolutions for each course [where enacted] and associated schedules and documents. After successful completion of a course of study, students graduate with an award.

## Board

The College Board of the Sydney Conservatorium of Music. Census Dates

The census date is the date by which changes of enrolment and Higher Education Contribution Scheme (HECS) payment options must be made so that HECS liability can be finalised for that semester. The two census dates are 31 March and 31 August.

# Credit

Credit is the recognition of prior work successfully undertaken by the student in an approved academic institution and allowing its contribution towards a Conservatorium award. Specific credit may be given as recognition of prior work as directly equivalent to a unit of study at the Conservatorium or as non-specific credit when it is not linked to a Conservatorium unit of study. Generally, the same unit of study cannot be counted towards the requirements for two different awards. Graduates, however, may be given a limited amount of credit for units of study already counted in a completed qualification. The Academic Board policy on Advanced Standing, Credit and Exemption states that the maximum credit granted in such cases will be determined by the requirement that a graduate who is admitted to candidature for a degree of bachelor with credit for completed units of study shall attend units of study for the equivalent of at least two full-time years in that course, unless additional credit from an uncompleted course or courses has also been granted.

Application forms are available from the Student Administration Office.

#### Credit point

The value assigned to a unit of study as specified in the schedule for the course and indicative of the relative weight of the unit of study in the course. Each course is expressed as a minimum total number of credit points. Students earn an approved number of credit points for each unit of study which is successfully completed.

#### Concurrent enrolments

A student enrolled in a course at the Conservatorium cannot be concurrently enrolled in another course at the Conservatorium, The University of Sydney or in another tertiary institution without the approval of the Board.

#### Conservatorium

The Sydney Conservatorium of Music.

#### Corequisite

A unit of study which must be undertaken concurrently with another prescribed unit of study.

# Course transfer

Students wishing to transfer from one course to another must apply in writing to the Chair, Undergraduate or Graduate Studies Committee through the Manager, Student Administration.

#### Deferment of enrolment

A candidate who has been offered admission to a course may apply to defer the commencement of their candidature by up to one year. Approval of the application is subject to reaudition/interview prior to enrolment.

# Enrolment

Enrolment is the process by which an applicant officially accepts the offer of a place in a particular course. Enrolment is the nomination by a student of the units of study to be studied in a specified semester or year of a course. Enrolment comprises completion of the official enrolment form and payment of all prescribed fees, including arrangements for the Higher Education Contribution Scheme (HECS).

Exemption is the granting of a 'waiver' from parts of the prescribed work for a particular unit of study on the basis of study successfully undertaken by the student at an approved academic institution. In such cases no credit is given and the student will be required to complete an alternative unit of study as approved by the appropriate Chair of Unit and the Assistant Principal.

Application forms are available from the Student Administration Office.

# Full-time student

A student who undertakes a minimum of three-quarters of the credit points prescribed for any semester or year of their enrolment.

# Major and minor level of study

Principal Study (as defined below) is, in some instances, available at major or minor level, reflecting different levels of entry and attainment, different workload expectations and different credit point values.

#### Principal Study

In undergraduate awards, Principal Study is major level study in Jazz Performance or Composition, or major or minor level study in Musicology, Voice, Piano, Harpsichord, Organ, Violin, Viola, Cello, Double Bass, Guitar, Lute, Harp, Flute, Oboe, Clarinet, Saxophone, Bassoon, Recorder, French Horn, Trumpet, Trombone, Tuba, Percussion and such other instruments as may be approved by the Undergraduate Studies

Committee. Except with the approval of the Board, students will normally be enrolled in a Principal Study in each semester of their course, until they have completed the minimum requirements in Principal Study for their award.

#### Part-time student

A student who undertakes less than three-quarters of the credit points prescribed in any semester or year of their enrolment. *Prerequisite* 

A prescribed unit of study which must be completed satisfactorily before a student is permitted to enrol in another prescribed unit of study. Units of study which have prerequisite requirements are either related in subject matter or are at a higher level of difficulty than the previous unit of study.

#### Unit of Study

A subject or component of a course that is recordable on the academic transcript. Each unit of study is of one semester duration.

#### 1. Admission

1.1 Admission to undergraduate courses

- 1.1.1 An applicant will be considered for admission to an undergraduate course under any one of the following categories:
  - (a) Admission on the basis of successful completion of secondary school studies.

Applicants from New South Wales:

(i) An applicant may be admitted if the applicant's Universities Admission Index (UAI) meets the minimum aggregate determined from time to time by the Board.

Applicants from interstate:

- (ii) An applicant may be admitted if the equivalent of the minimum Universities Admission Index (UAI) determined by the Board under (i) is achieved by the applicant.
- (b) Admission on the basis of equivalent qualifications. An applicant may be admitted if the Board determines that the level of education attained is deemed to be equivalent to the level required for satisfactory performance in the NSW Higher School Certificate examination as stated under (a).
- (c) Admission on the basis of having undertaken other tertiary studies.

An applicant who has successfully completed another undergraduate award program or at least one full-time year of study (or its equivalent) in such an award program may be admitted, and such applicant may be granted advanced standing in the course under the provisions set out in rule 1.4.

(d) Admission as a Mature Age entrant.

An applicant who will have attained the age of 21 years by 1 March in the year of intended enrolment may apply for Mature Age Admission and submit evidence that they have attained a standard of education and experience adequate for entry to the course and have the capacity to successfully undertake study at the tertiary level.

(e) Special admission.

In certain circumstances, an applicant who does not meet the requirements set out under (a) - (d) but who demonstrates the aptitude required for undertaking the course may be admitted with provisional status by the Board.

(f) Admission of overseas applicants.

An applicant from a country other than Australia or New Zealand may be admitted if the requirements of the Commonwealth Government and additional requirements set out in rule 1.6 are met.

1.1.2 An applicant for admission must achieve satisfactory results in an audition and in tests of musical knowledge and ability administered by the Conservatorium, and must meet such other particular requirements as are specified in the rules of the course.

- 1.1.3 An applicant may be conditionally accepted on a tape audition, but final acceptance will only occur following live audition and interview.
- 1.1.4 Proficiency in spoken and written English at a level adequate to undertake a specified course of study is an essential requirement for admission.

# 1.2 Admission to postgraduate courses

- 1.2.1 An applicant may be admitted to a graduate course:
  (a) upon successful completion of a Conservatorium undergraduate degree program or an undergraduate degree program at another institution deemed by the Board to be equivalent to a Conservatorium undergraduate degree program; or
  - (b) in respect of the graduate diploma where specific rules so provide, upon successful completion of a Conservatorium undergraduate diploma program or an undergraduate award program at another institution deemed by the Board to be equivalent to a Conservatorium undergraduate diploma; or
  - (c) in exceptional circumstances, if the Board determines that such applicant, although not meeting the requirements of (a) or (b), has exceptional qualifications and experience and has the aptitude required for undertaking the courses of study.
- 1.2.2 An applicant from a country other than Australia or New Zealand may be admitted if the requirements of the Commonwealth Government and additional requirements set out in rule 1.6 are met.
- 1.2.3 An applicant must also achieve satisfactory results in:
  - (a) an audition/interview, or
  - (b) submitted compositions, or
  - (c) submitted musicology papers, or
  - (d) submitted music education papers, as required, and
  - (e) must meet such other requirements as are specified in the Conservatorium Resolutions of the award program.
- 1.2.4 An applicant for admission to a performance course may be conditionally accepted on a tape audition, but final acceptance will only occur following live audition and interview.
- 1.2.5 Proficiency in spoken and written English at a level adequate to undertake a course is an essential requirement for admission.
- 1.2.6 An applicant admitted under rule 1.2.1(c) may be required to complete additional requirements either prior to admission or during the course.

# 1.3 Transfers from one Conservatorium course to another

- 1.3.1 A student may apply to transfer from one Conservatorium course to another.
- 1.3.2 A student who wishes to transfer must meet the qualifications for admission prescribed in rule 1 and must have completed all procedures and requirements that are published from time to time.
- 1.3.3 Notwithstanding 1.4.2, students transferring between the Bachelor of Music course and Bachelor of Music Studies course may also transfer **all** units of study which have been successfully completed and which partially fulfil the requirements for the course into which they are transferring.

# 1.4 Admission with credit and advanced standing

- 1.4.1 An applicant may be admitted to a course with advanced standing or credit and/or may be granted exemption from one or more prescribed units of study.
- 1.4.2 Unless the rules of the course state otherwise, the maximum amount of advanced standing or credit permitted shall be as follows:
  - four-year courses: a maximum of 96 credit points
  - three-year courses: a maximum of 72 credit points
  - two-year course: a maximum of 48 credit points.
- 1.4.3 Applications for advanced standing in Principal Study shall be made at the time of application for admission; applications for credit or advanced standing in other areas made at other times may be considered.
- 1.4.4 Applications for advanced standing shall include certified copies of the applicant's academic record and

- copies of outlines for the units of study for which advanced standing is being sought.
- 1.4.5 Where an applicant is seeking advanced standing for principal study, he or she shall present a placement audition at the appropriate level.
- 1.4.6 Credit and advanced standing shall not normally be approved for units of study completed more than ten years prior to the year for which admission is sought.
- 1.4.7 The Board shall determine:
  - (a) whether an application for credit or advanced standing is approved:
  - (b) the units of study for which credit or advanced standing is approved; and
  - (c) any special conditions that shall apply.

#### 1.5 Credit and Exemption

In addition to rule 1.4, students may apply for Credit or Exemption from individual units of study on the basis of previous study in an approved academic institution. Applications for Credit and Exemption may be approved by the Assistant Principal on the recommendation of the relevant Chair of Unit.

# 1.6 Admission of international applicants

From 1 January 1990 all new international students who undertake courses in Australia do so on a full fee paying basis. The Conservatorium will consider international applications for all courses.

#### 2. Applications for admission

Applications for admission shall only be considered if the applicants have completed all procedures and requirements that are current, as published by the Conservatorium from time to time.

#### 3. Enrolment

#### 3.1 Enrolment and re-enrolment

- 3.1.1 A person shall be deemed to be an enrolled student of the Conservatorium in a particular course following:
  - (a) acceptance of an offer of admission;
  - (b) completion of the appropriate enrolment form;
  - (c) payment of the prescribed fees.
- 3.1.2 A person shall be required to enrol/re-enrol at a time identified by the Conservatorium.
- 3.1.3 A person who enrols/re-enrols after the specified enrolment date(s) shall pay a late fee, as set down in the schedule of fees, unless the Principal determines that, for exceptional reasons, the fee may be waived.
- 3.1.4 Only in exceptional circumstances, shall a person be permitted to enrol/re-enrol more than two weeks after the commencement of the semester.
- 3.1.5 A student shall remain an enrolled student of the Conservatorium until the period specified by the Conservatorium for re-enrolment] unless the student:
  - (a) completes the course; or
  - (b) withdraws from the course; or
  - (c) is excluded from the course; or
  - (d) is deemed to have abandoned enrolment in the course.
- 3.1.6 In order to be eligible for election to or to retain membership of committees and/or boards of the Conservatorium, a student must be enrolled as a candidate for an approved award of the Conservatorium.
- 3.1.7 The enrolment of a student shall be cancelled if the qualifications upon which admission was based cannot be supported by documentary evidence.
- 3.1.8 Deferment of enrolment shall normally only be available for school-leavers.

# 3.2 Enrolment

- 3.2.1 A student will not be considered enrolled in a unit of study and will not receive a result in that unit of study unless the following requirements are met:
  - (a) nomination on the required form of the units to be studied in the year or the semester; and
  - (b) submission of the form to Student Administration for validation of a correct enrolment; or submission of an approved *variation of enrolment* form, and

- (c) inclusion of that unit of study in the list of units in which the student is enrolled on the University's student system.
- 3.2.2 It shall be the responsibility of an enrolled student to enrol in each unit of study to be undertaken in a given semester or year of a course as specified in the requirements for that course.
- 3.2.3 It shall be the responsibility of an enrolled student who wishes to vary his/her enrolment from the schedule of units specified for a course, to gain written approval of the Assistant Principal before enrolling in those units.
- 3.2.4 Permission to add new units of study shall not normally be granted following the conclusion of the second week of the semester in which the unit of study is offered.
- 3.2.5 A student who changes from one unit to another but who fails to obtain the written approval of the Assistant Principal [where required] or who fails to complete and lodge the appropriate form for variation of registration by the nominated date shall be awarded failure in a unit of study abandoned and shall not be awarded a result in a unit of study substituted.
- 3.2.6 A student shall be ineligible to enrol in a unit of study where a published prerequisite for the course has not been met unless the Assistant Principal, for exceptional reasons, approves the enrolment
- 3.2.7 A student who registers in a unit of study shall also register in any corequisite for that unit unless the Assistant Principal, for exceptional reasons, has approved advanced standing or another special arrangement.

#### 4. Progression

#### 4.1 Preamble

To qualify for any academic award of the Conservatorium student shall:

(a) comply with all applicable Conservatorium rules; and (b) successfully complete the prescribed course of study as detailed for the course.

# 4.2 Normal progression

Under normal progression, a student shall undertake all units of study to the value of 24 credit points as prescribed for the course in the course schedule.

# 4.3 Variation of normal progression

- 4.3.1 Permission to vary the normal pattern of progression as defined in rule 4.2 may be granted at the discretion of the Assistant Principal.
- 4.3.2 Except with approval of the Assistant Principal, a student shall not be permitted to undertake a load that exceeds the norm as defined in rule 4.2 by more than one-quarter in any semester.
- 4.3.3 A student who is permitted to undertake a minimum of three-quarters of the full number of units prescribed for a course in any semester or year shall be regarded as a fulltime student for that semester or year.
- 4.3.4 A student who wishes to undertake a course on a part-time basis shall make application to the Assistant Principal. A student who is granted approval to undertake a course on a part-time basis shall undertake those units determined by the Assistant Principal.

# 4.4 Attendance

- 4.4.1 Students are required to attend all lectures, tutorials and performance-related activities prescribed for the units registered.
- 4.4.2 A student who has been absent without approved leave from more than ten per cent of the classes in any one semester in a particular unit of study, or has a continuing record of poor punctuality in attendance at lectures, tutorials or performance-related activities prescribed for a unit may:
  - (a) have the result in the unit of study lowered; or
  - (b) be required to show cause why the student should be allowed to continue in the unit of study; or
  - (c) be deemed to have abandoned the unit of study and may be awarded a 'discontinued with failure' result for that unit of study.

4.4.3 Notwithstanding the requirements for attendance stated in 4.4.2 and in the Statutes and Resolutions of The University of Sydney, full (100%) and punctual attendance is a requirement in all activities where students have a role as active participants in the class or activity. Active participation, for the purpose of this rule, includes situations where the student's contribution is to perform, rehearse or direct rehearsals in a small or large ensemble, or to give seminar and tutorial papers or presentations or undertake assessment tasks. Active participation also includes all one-to-one studio teaching and supervision. Except in cases of illness or misadventure, failure to attend activities or classes where a student is an active participant will be seen as failure to meet the requirements of the unit of study.

#### 4.5 Leave of absence

# 4.5.1 Notification of absence

A student who is absent for any reason must notify the Student Administration Office and, in the case of a performance activity, the person responsible for that activity.

#### 4.5.2 Sick leave

A student who is absent for more than three consecutive days must obtain a medical certificate and complete a sick leave form

# 4.5.3 Special leave

A student who, for good reasons such as family difficulties, financial difficulties or misadventure, is unable to attend the Conservatorium for any length of time during a semester may be granted Special Leave. Such students must complete an Application for Special Leave.

- (a) An Application for Special Leave of four weeks' duration or less may be approved by the Assistant Principal.
- (b) An Application for Special Leave of more than four weeks' duration shall be submitted to the Board for consideration.
- (c) A student who is granted Special Leave of four weeks' duration or less shall be required to meet all requirements for assignments, activities and examinations for the units of study in which the student is enrolled.
- (d) A student who is unable to fulfil the requirements of clause 4.5.3 (c) may submit an application for Withdrawal without Penalty for consideration by the Board, under the provisions of rule 4.6.

# 4.5.4 Professional activity leave

A student may be granted leave to participate in a musical or other activity which, in the opinion of the Assistant Principal, is likely to benefit the student in the course.

- (a) An Application for Professional Activity Leave shall be submitted by the student to the Student Administration Office at least four weeks prior to the activity in which the student wishes to participate.
- (b) Retrospective approval for Professional Activity Leave shall be granted only in exceptional circumstances.
- (c) A student who is granted Professional Activity Leave shall be required to make up any work required during the period of Professional Activity Leave, other than attendance at lectures, tutorials and other requirements during that period.

# 4.5.5 Extended leave of absence

- (a) A student who wishes to be released from the requirement of attendance for a period beyond four weeks and up to one year shall submit an Application for Extended Leave of Absence.
- (b) An Application for Extended Leave of Absence shall be submitted to the Manager, Student Administration for recommendation to the Assistant Principal.
- (c) Extended Leave of Absence shall not normally be granted to a student who has not completed the first year of a course.
- (d) Extended Leave of Absence shall only be granted to a student enrolled in the second year or later of a course if that student has a satisfactory academic record and demonstrates the potential to complete the program at a satisfactory level.

- (e) Extended Leave of Absence shall not normally be granted for a period exceeding 12 months.
- (f) A student resuming a course after Extended Leave of Absence shall be subject to the course requirements in effect at the time of resumption, shall be required to reenrol as directed by the Assistant Principal and shall be required to pass a re-audition at a level determined by the Assistant Principal.

## 4.6 Withdrawal from a course or unit of study

- 4.6.1 A student may withdraw without penalty from a course or unit of study up to 31 March (Semester 1) or 31 August (Semester 2).
- 4.6.2 A student who withdraws from a course after these dates shall be awarded the grade 'Discontinued - Fail' for all units of study of the course in which the student is enrolled.
- 4.6.3 A student who is absent without leave, and who has failed to respond within 14 days to a request in writing from the Manager, Student Administration, to the student's registered address to explain the absence and to confirm the student's intention to continue in the course, shall be deemed to have abandoned the course and shall cease to be an enrolled student, in terms of rale 3.1.5, from the expiration of the 14th day.
- 4.6.4 A student who is deemed to have abandoned a course shall be awarded the grade of 'Discontinued - Fail' for all units of the course in which the student is enrolled and may be required to show cause why the student should be readmitted.
- 4.6.5 A student who wishes to withdraw from a course or unit of study after the dates shown in 4.6.1 for health reasons, may submit an Application for Witiidrawal without Penalty, accompanied by a medical certificate, for consideration by the Assistant Principal.
- 4.6.6 A student who wishes to withdraw from a course or unit of study after the dates shown in 4.6.1 for good reasons such as family difficulties, financial difficulties or misadventure, may submit an Application for Withdrawal without Penalty, accompanied by appropriate evidence from a counsellor, registered medical practitioner or a statutory declaration as to those reasons, for consideration by the Assistant Principal.
- 4.6.7 An Application for Withdrawal or an Application for Withdrawal without Penalty is to be submitted to the Manager, Student Administration and, if granted, shall have effect from the date of receipt, and such student shall cease to be enrolled in the nominated unit or course, in terms of rule 3.1.5, from that date.
- 4.6.8 A student who wishes to withdraw completely from a course is required to notify the Assistant Principal, at the same time as lodging the Application referred to in 4.6.7. The Assistant Principal will then be responsible for passing this information on to each staff member who may be affected by the withdrawal.

# 5. Assessment

# 5.1 Preamble

To qualify for any academic award of the Conservatorium student shall:

- (a) comply with the requirements of all applicable Conservatorium and course rules;
- (b) successfully complete a prescribed course as detailed in the course schedule within a specified period from the date of initial enrolment, as stated in rule 6 and in the Conservatorium Resolutions; and
- (c) maintain a satisfactory standard of attendance and participation in all prescribed activities associated with the course.

# 5.2 Courses and assessment

5.2.1 Student progress shall be reported at the end of a semester or year, in accordance with the requirements of each unit of study.

- 5.2.2 Student achievement in a unit of study shall be assessed progressively and/or by final examinations, as approved by the Board, with regard to:
  - (a) attendance at and participation in the activities of the unit; and
  - (b) completion of assignments, practical work, tests and examinations;  $\boldsymbol{and}$
  - (c) the achievement of a satisfactory overall standard in participation, assignments, practical work, tests and examinations.
- 5.2.3 Credit may be given for course related activities approved by the Board that may be undertaken outside normal semester periods.
- 5.3 Examination results, assessment grades and status notations
- 5.3.1 Student performance shall be graded and student status shall be noted in accordance with the following codes. (*See table below.*)
- 5.3.2 Supplementary examinations
- There are three reasons for the award of a supplementary examination:
  - (a) illness or misadventure on the day of the examination; or
  - (b) illness or misadventure in the period leading up to the examination; or
  - (c) where a student has failed the examination but has a good record in other assessments in a course which is based on cumulative assessment. In such a case the student will be awarded a grade no higher than a 'Pass' as a final result in the course.
  - NB: Supplementary examinations will be conducted at the Sydney Conservatorium of Music by arrangement with the lecturer who awarded the grade. Advice regarding supplementary examinations on the Result Notice issued by The University of Sydney does not apply to Conservatorium students.
- 5.4 Examination performance adversely affected
- 5.4.1 A student who considers that his or her performance at an examination will be adversely affected by a serious illness during the semester or year or by some other occurrence beyond control and who wishes such to be taken into account, shall submit an application in writing, supported by a medical certificate, or a recommendation provided by a University Student Counsellor or some other appropriate professional person or a statutory declaration, as the case may require, to the Manager, Student Administration prior to the date of the examination.

- 5.4.2 A student who, through illness or other occurrence beyond the student's control, has been unable to attend an examination shall submit notification in writing, supported by a medical certificate, or a recommendation provided by a University Student Counsellor or some other appropriate professional person or a statutory declaration, as the case may require, to the Manager, Student Administration within 48 hours of the examination.
- 5.4.3 A student who attempts an examination but considers that his/her performance has been affected adversely by sickness or some other occurrence on the day of the examination or during the examination, and who wishes such to be taken into account, shall submit notification in writing, supported by a medical certificate, or a recommendation provided by the Conservatorium or University Student Counsellor or some other appropriate professional person or a statutory declaration, as the case may require, to the Manager, Student Administration within 48 hours of the examination.
- 5.4.4 The Assistant Principal, after consultation where appropriate, shall make a decision concerning the deferment of an examination and shall table his/her approval at the next meeting of the Board for information.
- 5.5 Disqualification from an examination A student who, in contravention of examination rules, obtains or tries to obtain assistance in an examination from another student, or who gives or tries to give assistance in an examination to another student, or who commits any breach of good order during an examination, may be disqualified from the examination or immediately expelled from the examination room and may be graded Failure in the examination.
- 5.6 Notification of examination results, assessment grades and status codes
- 5.6.1. Examination results may be accessed via the University web site. Examination result notices will be mailed to students shortly thereafter. Result notices will be mailed to the student's semester postal address (or to the long vacation address if it has been provided).
  Students are advised to keep their Result Notices because they progressively constitute an academic record. Complete Transcripts of Academic Records (two copies) are issued free at graduation. At any other time a request for a transcript should be made to the Student Centre, The University of Sydney or the Student Administration Office at the Conservatorium.

#### **Grading** codes

DNF

DF

Discontinued - Not

Discontinued - Fail

to count as Fail

Grade	Definition	Marks	Explanation			
HD	Higher Distinction	85-100	Outstanding level of achievement.			
D	Distinction	75-84	High level of achievement.			
CR	Credit	65-74	Above average level of achievement.			
P	Pass	50-64	Required level of achievement.			
R	Satisfied requirements		Result used in non-graded courses.			
PCON	Concessional Pass <sup>1</sup>	46-49	Level of achievement is below the required level but is deemed sufficient for progression.			
F	Fail		Failure to attain the required level of achievement.			
AF	Absent Fail		Failure due to non-attendance at examination or non-submission of compulsory work.			
Status n	otation codes					
Code	Definition	Explanation				
INC	Incomplete	This temporary result is to be converted to a passing or failing grade. If unconverted by the end of the second week (third week for first semester) of the next semester, the result will default to AF.				

Discontinued after the seventh week of semester; counts as failure.

Discontinued with permission after census dates but before the end of the seventh week

1. Concessional Pass shall not be awarded as an examination result for Major Study in the final semester of an award program.

of semester.

- 5.6.2 No advice of examination results or assessment grades shall be provided to a student or any other party by phone.
- 5.7 Request for review of examination results, assessment grades and status notations
- 5.7.1 A student may apply in writing to the Manager, Student Administration for a review of the accuracy of an assessment grade or a status notation within 14 days of the mailing of assessment grades and status notations for a semester.
- 5.7.2. Any alteration to a notified assessment grade or a status notation, whether the result of a request for a review or otherwise, shall require the approval of the Board prior to its promulgation.

# 5.8 Requirement to show cause

- 5.8.1 A student shall be required to show cause why he/she should be allowed to continue in the course if, in either semester of a particular year of candidature, any of the following have been awarded:
  - (a) A Failure in a major component of any course of study such as Principal Study in all courses or Practicum in the Bachelor of Music (Music Education); **or**
  - (b) Failure to pass more than fifty percent of the enrolled units of study;  $\boldsymbol{or}$
  - (c) Failure or Discontinued Fail for a second time in a unit of study:
- 5.8.2 A student who has been absent without leave from more than ten per cent of the lectures, tutorials or other activities prescribed for a unit of study in any one semester may be called upon to show cause why he/she should not be deemed to have failed to complete that unit of study. A student who fails to show sufficient cause for absence shall be deemed not to have completed that unit.
- 5.8.3 A student who is required to show cause why he/she should be allowed to continue in the course shall be notified by the Examinations and Exclusions Office of that requirement and of the ground(s) for it.
- 5.8.4 Å student who is notified under rule 5.8.3 shall be required to reply in writing addressing the ground(s) specified, and detailing any extenuating circumstances that the student wishes to be taken into account, and presenting reasons why he/she should be allowed to re-enrol in the course, supported by a medical certificate or a statutory declaration, as the case may require.
- 5.8.5 Normally only reasons related to the following circumstances shall be considered by the Board to constitute adequate grounds upon which to allow a student to re-enrol in a course, in terms of rule 5.8.4. These are: (a) medical circumstances;
  - (b) family circumstances, in respect of the student's immediate family (e.g. mother/father, sister/brother, wife/husband, daughter/son);
  - (c) financial circumstances;
  - (d) in the case of a first-year student, difficulties in adapting from secondary to tertiary educational practices and responsibilities.
- 5.8.6 Before the power to exclude a student from a course is exercised, the Assistant Principal shall consult with relevant staff.

# 5.9 Exclusion

- 5.9.1 The rules which govern Exclusion from a course are as follows:
  - (a) A student who does not show cause, to the satisfaction of the Assistant Principal, why he/she should be allowed to re-enrol in the course, shall be excluded from that course.
  - (b) A student who fails to submit a reply in accordance with rule 5.8.4 shall automatically be excluded from the course.
  - (c) A student who is excluded from a course shall not be eligible for re-admission to that course for a period of two years.
  - (d) A student who is excluded from a course may be admitted to another course during the period of exclusion.(e) A student who is unable to complete a course in the prescribed time shall be automatically excluded from the course.

- (f) A student who applies for re-admission to a course upon the expiration of a period of exclusion shall be subject to normal admission requirements as prescribed in rule 2.0 and shall not be entitled to any priority over other applicants on the ground of previous enrolment in the course.
- (g) Except with the express approval of the Assistant Principal, a student re-admitted to a unit of study or a course after exclusion shall not be given credit for any work completed in another Faculty, College or Board of Studies or another University during the period of exclusion.
- (h) In cases where the Assistant Principal permits the reenrolment of a student whose progress is deemed unsatisfactory, the Assistant Principal may require the completion of specified units of study in a specified time, and if the student does not comply with these conditions the student may again be called upon to show good cause why he or she should be allowed to re-enrol in the Conservatorium.
- 5.9.2 Notification of exclusion
  - (a) A student who is excluded from a course shall be notified of such exclusion at the time of notification of the Board's decision.
  - (b) A notification under rule 5.9.2.(a), together with an extract from these rules concerning rights of appeal, shall be posted to the student by the Examinations and Exclusions Office

# 5.10 Letter of warning

A student who in the First Semester fails more than fifty percent of the enrolled units of study or a major component of the award program as outlined in 5.8.1(a) above, shall be issued with a Letter of Warning at the end of the First Semester.

#### 5.11 Appeals

A student who has been refused enrolment or re-enrolment in any year or course by the Board may appeal to the Senate.

5.11.1 A student awaiting the outcome of an appeal shall have provisional enrolment in the course until notified of the outcome.

# 6. Maximum time for completion of a course

- 6.1 A student shall be required to complete a course within a maximum period from commencement of enrolment, as specified in the Course Resolutions.
- 6.2 The requirements for a Principal Study shall be completed within a period that does not exceed by more than two consecutive semesters the number of semesters laid down for that course under normal full-time enrolment.
- 6.3 The maximum time allowed for completion of a course shall include approved leave of absence and/or periods of exclusion from the course. The maximum time for completion of a Principal Study shall not include such periods of leave or exclusion.

# 7. Eligibility for an award

- 7.1 A student shall be eligible to receive the award for a course upon completion of all requirements of the course.
- 7.2 It shall be the responsibility of the student to ensure that the student completes all requirements of the course in which the student is enrolled in order to qualify for the award for that course.
- 7.3 A student shall not be eligible to graduate until any fees or loans due and outstanding have been paid, any items borrowed from the library have been returned and any instruments on loan from the Conservatorium have been returned.

### 8. Award with Honours

8.1 The Bachelor of Music degree may be conferred with Honours. Requirements for the Honours degree are included in Conservatorium Resolutions for the Bachelor of Music.

# **CHAPTER 5**

# Undergraduate courses

# Associate Diploma in Jazz Studies (ADJS)

The Associate Diploma in Jazz Studies aims to train professional jazz musicians.

#### Principal areas of study

Bass, Brass, Drums, Guitar, Piano, Vibraphone, Voice, Woodwind and Arranging.

Admission for all areas of study (including Arranging) is determined on the basis of:

- · a practical audition, and
- a Jazz aptitude test

Candidates seeking admission to the Arranging area of study should also submit examples of available work such as scores, compositions and tapes.

#### Course structure

The course requires the successful completion of 96 credit points of study over two years of full-time study. Students should use Tables 5.1 and 5.2 as a guide to the acquisition of credit points.

# Bachelor of Music (BMus)

The Bachelor of Music is a degree for musically talented students aspiring to a professional career in music. The course supports the development of scholar-musicians through their acquisition of an integrated body of knowledge, skills and attitudes which provide a sound basis for future professional growth.

The goals of the Bachelor of Music are:

- to develop musicianship whether it be in the area of performance, musicology, composition or music education;
- to develop students' ability to see themselves, their musical art and their educational activity in a wide cultural perspective; and
- to develop generic skills essential to study at tertiary level.

The degree is offered in four areas of specialisation: Performance (including Jazz Studies), Composition, Music Education and Musicology. Candidates nominate their specialisation on entry but may change the specialisation at the end of the first year provided they meet the prerequisites for the new area of specialisation.

Admission for all areas of specialisation is determined on the basis of the NSW Higher School Certificate [HSC], or its equivalent, at a level determined each year by the Sydney Conservatorium. Candidates are expected to have presented:

- a minimum of two units of English and two units of Music for the HSC examination, and
- an audition/submission and/or interview according to the proposed specialisation as set out below:
   (a) BMus (Performance) [including Jazz Studies] a practical audition for Major level study in the nominated instrument or voice. Jazz Studies candidates also undertake a Jazz aptitude test.
  - (b) BMus (Composition) submission of at least three compositions in different performance media to demonstrate the level of achievement as composers, and an interview
  - (c) BMus (Musicology) submission of an example of recent written work and an interview
  - (d) BMus (Music Education) an interview and an audition/submission and/or further interview for either Major or Minor level of study in instrument/voice, composition of musicology.

#### Course structure

The course is structured to allow students to:

- achieve a high standard in their area of specialisation;
- undertake core musical studies central to the development of the professional musician; and

Table 5.1: Typical enrolment pattern-Associate Diploma in Jazz Studies, Performance Stream

Semester 1		Semester 2		Semester 3		Semester 4	
Jazz Performance 1	6	Jazz Performance 2	6	Jazz Performance 3	6	Jazz Performance 4	6
Big Band 1 or (Free Choice)†	3	Big Band 2 or (Free Choice)†	3	Big Band 3 or (Free Choice)†	3	Big Band 4 or (Free Choice)	† 3
Jazz Ear Training 1*	3	Jazz Ear Training 2	3	Jazz Ear Training 3	3	Jazz Ear Training 4	3
Jazz Small Ensemble 1	3	Jazz Small Ensemble 2	3	Jazz Small Ensemble 3	3	Jazz Small Ensemble 4	3
Jazz Harmony and Arranging 1	3	Jazz Harmony and Arranging 2	3	Jazz Harmony and Arranging 3	3	Jazz Harmony and Arranging	4 3
Jazz History 1	3	Jazz History 2	3	Jazz History 3	3	Jazz History 4	3
Jazz Piano 1	3	Jazz Piano 2	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3
	24		24		24		24

Table 5.2: Typical enrolment pattern-Associate Diploma in Jazz Studies, Arranging Stream

Semester 1		Semester 2		Semester 3		Semester 4	
Jazz Performance (Arranging) 1	6	Jazz Performance (Arranging) 2	6	Jazz Performance (Arranging)	3 6	Jazz Performance (Arranging	) 4 6
Jazz Principal Instrument 1	3	Jazz Principal Instrument 2	3	Jazz Principal Instrument 3	3	Jazz Principal Instrument 4	3
Jazz Ear Training 1*	3	Jazz Ear Training 2	3	Jazz Ear Training 3	3	Jazz Ear Training 4	3
Jazz Piano 1	3	Jazz Piano 2	3	Jazz Small Ensemble 1	3	Jazz Small Ensemble 2	3
Jazz History 1	3	Jazz History 2	3	Jazz History 3	3	Jazz History 4	3
Jazz Counterpoint 1	3	Jazz Counterpoint 2	3	(Free Choice) [non-Jazz unit]	3	(Free Choice) [non-Jazz	
			_			unit]	3
Music Technology 1	3	Electronic Music 1	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3
	24		24		24		24

<sup>\*</sup> Students who pass an ear training proficiency test may be exempted from Jazz Ear Training (at the discretion of the teacher) and take a free choice. Jazz free choices include Elective Jazz Orchestra, Jazz Counterpoint, Jazz Piano and Jazz Vocal Workshop. t Students who do not qualify for Big Band take a free choice.

 pursue other studies in an area of their choice, either within their area of specialisation, in another area of musical study at the Conservatorium or in another faculty of the University of Sydney.

The Bachelor of Music is awarded at both Pass and Honours level. To qualify for the pass degree, candidates must specialise in one of four areas, Performance, Composition, Musicology or Music Education, and complete courses to the value of 192 credit points, which include:

- (a) requirements for their specialisation, including a Principal Study as laid down by the Conservatorium College Board and set out below in the introduction to each specialisation
- (b) core requirements
- (c) other units of the student's choice.

The course requires the successful completion of 192 credit points of study over four years of full-time study. A minimum of half of the credit points for the entire course is taken in the area of specialisation.

Part-time study may be available to students on application to the Undergraduate Studies Committee. A student who is granted approval to undertake a course on a part-time basis shall undertake units of study as determined by the Committee.

# Bachelor of Music - Honours grade

Honours is begun in the different specialisations as follows: Performance: seventh semester

Composition, Musicology and Music Education: fifth semester

# Eligibility for admission to Honours

To be eligible for admission to Honours candidates will normally have achieved the requirements as set out below according to their specialisation:

- (a) BMus (Performance) a Distinction in Principal Study 4 and 6 (Major), a Credit average in all other units in the first three years of the course, successful completion of 144 credit points of study including the prerequisites for Principal Study 7 (Honours) as set out in Chapter 6 of the Handbook
- (b) BMus (Composition) a Distinction in Principal Study Composition 4 and a Credit average in all other units in the first two years of the course and successful completion of the prerequisites for Composition 5 (Honours) as set out in Chapter 6 of the Handbook;
- (c) BMus (Music Education) a minimum of a Credit average in Music Education, Education and Music History, a demonstrated satisfactory record in other units and a proven capacity to write extended essays of quality;
- (d) BMus (Musicology) a Distinction in Musicology 3 and 4 and a Credit average in all other units in the first two years of the course.

The number of Honours students in any one-year group in the BMus (Music Education) will not normally exceed 25% of the total numbers of that year group.

#### Honours enrolment requirements

To qualify for an Honours degree, candidates must complete the requirements for the pass degree, except as set out below, and additional requirements according to their specialisation as set out below:

- (a) BMus (Performance): enrol in Principal Study (Honours) 7 and Principal Study (Honours) 8 in place of Principal Study 7 and 8 (Major) and successfully complete those units of study.
- (b) *BMus (Composition):* enrol in Composition (Honours) 5-8 in place of Composition 5-8 (Major), and successfully complete those units of study; and take units of study in the Faculty of Arts with a minimum credit point value of 12.
- (c) BMus (Music Education): complete Music Education
   Honours 1: Research Methods 1, Music Education
   Honours 2: Research Methods 2, Music Education
   Honours 3: Special Study 1, Music Education Honours 4:
   Special Study 2.

(d) *BMus (Musicology):* enrol in Musicology (Honours) 5–8 in place of Musicology 5-8 (Major) and successfully complete those units of study; and take units of study in the Faculty of Arts [or other approved units of study in another faculty] with a minimum credit point value of 12.

Candidates wishing to undertake Honours must apply in writing to the Student Administration Office in the semester before Honours study is to commence:

- by no later than the end of the second week of November (for enrolment in first semester the following year), or
- by no later than the end of the second week of May (for enrolment in second semester).

#### Honours mark and class

The Honours mark that determines the class of Honours awarded by the University of Sydney is determined from the results in each particular specialisation as follows:

- Performance: Principal Study (Honours) 7, 50% and Principal Study (Honours) 8, 50%
- Musicology: Submission of a thesis in Musicology (Honours) 8; 100%
- Composition: Submission of a folio of compositions and a minor thesis in Composition (Honours) 8; 100%
- Music Education: Submission of a thesis in Music Education Honours 4: Special Study 2; 100%

On completion of Honours requirements and all other requirements for the degree, candidates shall be entitled to graduate with Honours according to the following table:

Honours Class	Honours Mark
First Class	80-100
Second Class/Division 1	75-79
Second Class/Division 2	70-74
Third Class	65-69
Honours not awarded	50-64
Fail	Below 50

Candidates who achieve First Class Honours with an Honours mark of 90% or higher will be considered for the award of a University Medal. Award of a Medal will be made by the Conservatorium College Board in recognition of outstanding performance throughout the degree. Normally not more than one Medal shall be awarded in any one year.

# Bachelor of Music (Performance)

As the focus is the development of performance skills, Performance specialists must take a vocal or instrumental Principal Study at the Major level of study. Performance specialists in jazz take Jazz Performance at Major level as their Principal Study. Principal Study is taken together with Chamber Music or Jazz Small Ensemble (for Jazz Majors), Orchestral Studies (for those playing an orchestral instrument) and other performance-related studies. In addition, students take core studies in aural perception (jazz ear training for Jazz Majors), harmony and analysis (jazz harmony and arranging for Jazz Majors), music history, music technology, pedagogy, and historical and cultural studies.

For Performance specialists, Major level study is available in:

- Brass: French horn, trombone, trumpet, tuba
- Jazz Performance: areas of bass, brass, drums, guitar, piano, vibraphone, voice, woodwind
- · Keyboard: harpsichord, piano
- Organ
- · Percussion
- Strings: cello, double bass, guitar, harp, lute, viola, violin
- Voice
- Woodwind: bassoon, clarinet, flute, baroque flute, oboe, recorder, saxophone.

# Core requirements for graduation with a Bachelor of Music (Performance)

Students should complete a minimum of the following number of credit points in each area throughout their course and reach the following minimum levels of achievement. Units of study in each area are listed in Tables 5.23 to 5.29 at the end of this chapter.

Table 5.3: Core requirements for BMus(Perf)

Area	Minimum credit points	Minimum level of achievement	Other requirements
Performance	96	Instrument or Voice 8 (Major); Chamber Music 6 or Jazz Small Ensemble 6	All students of orchestral instruments take Orchestral Studies in each semester and must reach a minimum standard of Orchestral Studies 8.
Music Skills	27	Harmony & Analysis 4 (or Jazz Harmony & Arranging 4 for students in Jazz Performance); Aural Perception 4 (or Jazz Ear Training 4 for students in Jazz Performance); Music Technology 1	
Studies in the History and Analysis of Music	24	<i>,</i>	Should include at least 12 credit points in Foundation units i
Teaching Music (Music Education)	6		
Historical and Cultural Studies	6		
	159		Units of study worth further 33 credit points to be taken in areas of the student's choice.

# Typical enrolment pattern

Tables 5.4 and 5.5 show typical enrolment patterns with the appropriate credit points. The course structure is designed to allow considerable choice in the units of study taken and flexibility over when units are taken.

Table 5.4: Typical enrolme	nt p	attern - Bachelor of Music (	Perf	formance), Instrument/Voi	ce		
Semester 1		Semester 2		Semester 3		Semester 4	
Principal Study 1 (Major)	6	Principal Study 2 (Major)	6	Principal Study 3 (Major)	6	Principal Study 4 (Major)	6
Historical & Cultural Studies 1	3	Historical & Cultural Studies 2	3	Chamber Music 1	3	Chamber Music 2	3
Orchestral Studies 1	3	Orchestral Studies 2 or	3	Orchestral Studies 3 or	3	Orchestral Studies 4 or	3
(compulsory for students of		Choral Ensemble 1 or		Choir 2 or (Free Choice)		Choral Ensemble 2 or	
orchestral instruments only)		(Free Choice)				(Free Choice)	
or Choir 1 or (Free Choice)	3	Aural Paraantian 2	3	Aural Parantion 2	3	Aural Paraantian 4	3
Aural Perception 1	3	Aural Perception 2		Aural Perception 3	3	Aural Perception 4	-
Harmony and Analysis 1	-	Harmony and Analysis 2	3	Harmony and Analysis 3	-	Harmony and Analysis 4	3
Studies in the History and Analysis of Music <sup>1</sup>	3	Studies in the History and Analysis of Music <sup>1</sup>	3	Studies in the History and Analysis of Music <sup>1</sup>	3	Studies in the History and Analysis of Music <sup>1</sup>	3
Music Technology 1	3	Intro to Music Teaching and Learning	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3
	24		24		24		24
Semester 5		Semester 6		Semester 7		Semester 8	
Principal Study 5 (Major)	6	Principal Study 6 (Major)	6	Principal Study 7 (Major)	6	Principal Study 8 (Major)	6
Chamber Music 3	3	Chamber Music 4	3	Chamber Music 5	3	Chamber Music 6	3
Orchestral Studies 5	3	Orchestral Studies 6	3	Orchestral Studies 7	3	Orchestral Studies 8	3
or (Free Choice)		or (Free Choice)		or (Free Choice)		or (Free Choice)	
Studies in the History and	3	Studies in the History and	3	Studies in the History and	3	Studies in the History and	3
Analysis of Music <sup>1</sup>		Analysis of Music <sup>1</sup>		Analysis of Music <sup>1</sup>		Analysis of Music <sup>1</sup>	
Pedagogy (as appropriate)	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3
(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3
(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3
	24		24		24		24
Table 5.5: Typical enrolme	ent p	attern - Bachelor of Music (	Perf	ormance), Jazz Studies			
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Semester 1		Semester 2		Semester 3		Semester 4	
Jazz Performance 1	6	Jazz Performance 2	6	Jazz Performance 3	6	Jazz Performance 4	6
Big Band 1 or (Free Choice) <sup>2</sup>	3	Big Band 2 or (Free Choice) <sup>2</sup>	3	Big Band 3 or (Free Choice) <sup>2</sup>	3	Big Band 4 or (Free Choice) <sup>2</sup>	3
Jazz Piano 1	3	Jazz Piano 2	3	Jazz Small Ensemble I	3	Jazz Small Ensemble 2	3
Jazz Harmony and Arranging 1	3	Jazz Harmony and Arranging 2	3	Jazz Harmony and Arranging 3	31 3	Jazz Harmony and Arranging	4 3
Jazz Ear Training 1 <sup>3</sup>	3	Jazz Ear Training 2	3	Jazz Ear Training 3	3	Jazz Ear Training 4	3
Historical & Cultural Studies 1	3	Historical & Cultural Studies 2	3	Music Technology 1	3	Intro to Music Teaching and Learning	3
	3	Studies in the History and	3	Studies in the History and	3	Studies in the History and	3
Analysis of Music <sup>1</sup> (Jazz History 1)	)	Analysis of Music <sup>1</sup> (Jazz History	2)	Analysis of Music <sup>1</sup> (Jazz History	(3)	Analysis of Music <sup>1</sup> (Jazz Histor	y 4)
24	4		24		24		24
Semester 5		Semester 6		Semester 7		Semester 8	
Jazz Performance 5	6	Jazz Performance 6	6	Jazz Performance 7	6	Jazz Performance 8	6
Big Band 5 or (Free Choice) <sup>2</sup>	3	Big Band 6 or (Free Choice) <sup>2</sup>	3	Big Band 7 or (Free Choice) <sup>2</sup>	3	Big Band 8 or (Free Choice) <sup>2</sup>	3
Jazz Small Ensemble 3	3	Jazz Small Ensemble 4	3	Jazz Small Ensemble 5	3	Jazz Small Ensemble 6	3
Studies in the History and	3	Studies in the History and	3	Studies in the History and	3	Studies in the History and	3
Analysis of Music <sup>1</sup>		Analysis of Music <sup>1</sup>		Analysis of Music <sup>1</sup>		Analysis of Music <sup>1</sup>	
Pedagogy (as appropriate)	3	(Free Choice)	3	Sound Enhancement	3	Sound Enhancement	3
				& Recording 1		& Recording 2	
(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3
(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3
24	4		24		24		24

<sup>1.</sup> Studies in the History and Analysis of Music units are listed in Table 5.27 at the end of this chapter.

<sup>2.</sup> Students who do not qualify for Big Band take a free choice.

<sup>3.</sup> Students who pass an ear training proficiency test may be exempted from Jazz Ear Training (at the discretion of the teacher) and take a free choice. Jazz free choices: Jazz Counterpoint, Jazz Advanced Arranging, Jazz Improvisation, Jazz Piano and Jazz Vocal Workshop.

# Bachelor of Music (Composition)

The major focus is the development of composition skills, together with work in Electronic Music, and studies in Compositional Techniques and Analysis. Students work with performers in Composer-Performer Workshop where they have the opportunity to hear and refine the music they write. In addition students take core studies in aural perception, harmony and analysis, music history, music technology, pedagogy, and historical and cultural studies.

# Core requirements for graduation with a Bachelor of Music (Composition)

Students should complete a minimum of the following number of credit points in each area throughout their course and reach the following minimum levels of achievement. Units of study in each area are listed in Tables 5.23 to 5.29 at the end of this chapter.

Table 5.6: Core requirements for BMus(Comp)

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Area	Minimum credit points	Minimum level of achievement	Other requirements
Performance	18	Performance Studies 6	
Composition	96	Composition 8 (Major); Compositional Techniques and Analysis 6; Electronic Music 6; Composer Performer Workshop 4	
Music Skills	27	Harmony and Analysis 4; Aural Perception 4; Music Technology 1	Where students satisfy the minimum level of achievement without taking 27 credit points, they may make up these credit points in any music skills or composition units.
Studies in the History and Analysis of Musi		Should include at least 12 credit points in Foundation units*	-
Teaching Music (Music Education)	6		
Historical and Cultural Studies	6		
	171		Units of study worth further 21 credit points to be taken in areas of the student's choice.  Honours students must take 12 credit points from the Faculty of Arts.

<sup>\*</sup> Foundation and Advanced units of Studies in the History and Analysis of Music are listed in Table 5.27 at the end of this chapter.

# Typical enrolment pattern

Table 5.7 shows a typical enrolment pattern with the appropriate credit points. The course structure is designed to allow considerable choice in the units of study taken and flexibility over when units are taken.

Table 5.7: Typical enrolment pattern - Bachelor of Music (Composition)

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Semester 1		Semester 2		Semester 3		Semester 4	
Composition 1 (Major)	6	Composition 2 (Major)	6	Composition 3 (Major)	6	Composition 4 (Major)	6
Compositional Techniques and	3	Compositional Techniques and	3	Compositional Techniques and	3	Compositional Techniques and	1 3
Analysis 1		Analysis 2		Analysis 3		Analysis 4	
Music Technology 1	3	Intro to Music Teaching and	3	Electronic Music 1	3	Electronic Music 2	3
		Learning					
Aural Perception 1	3	Aural Perception 2	3	Aural Perception 3	3	Aural Perception 4	3
Harmony and Analysis 1	3	Harmony and Analysis 2	3	Harmony and Analysis 3	3	Harmony and Analysis 4	3
Australian Music Research 1	3	Australian Music Research 2	3	Performance Practice 1	3	Performance Practice 2	3
Historical and Cultural Studies	1 3	Historical and Cultural Studies	23	Studies in the History and	3	Studies in the History and	3
				Analysis of Music*		Analysis of Music*	
	24		24		24		24
Semester 5		Semester 6		Semester 7		Semester 8	
Composition 5 (Major)	6	Composition 6 (Major)	6	Composition 7 (Major)	6	Composition 8 (Major)	6
Compositional Techniques and	3	Compositional Techniques and	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3
Analysis 5		Analysis 6					
Electronic Music 3	3	Electronic Music 4	3	Electronic Music 5	3	Electronic Music 6	3
Composer-Performer	3	Composer-Performer	3	Composer-Performer	3	Composer-Performer	3
Workshop 1		Workshop 2		Workshop 3		Workshop 4	
Performance Practice 3	3	Performance Practice 4	3	Performance Practice 5	3	Performance Practice 6	3
Studies in the History and	3	Studies in the History and	3	Any teaching unit	3	(Free Choice)	3
Analysis of Music*		Analysis of Music*		-			
(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3
	24		24		24		24

<sup>\*</sup> Studies in the History and Analysis of Music units are listed in Table 5.27 at the end of this chapter.

# Bachelor of Music (Musicology)

Students concentrate on the development of skills in researching, thinking and writing about music. Musicology specialists enrol in Musicology Workshop, free choice units in the history and analysis of music, analysis and palaeography and also take core studies in aural perception, harmony and analysis, music history, music technology, pedagogy, and historical and cultural studies to provide a framework for their musical research.

# Core requirements for graduation with a Bachelor of Music (Musicology)

Students should complete a minimum of the following number of credit points in each area throughout their course and reach the following minimum levels of achievement. Units of study in each area are listed in Tables 5.23 to 5.29 at the end of this chapter.

Table 5.8: Core requirements for BMus(Musicology)

Area	Minimum credit points	Minimum level of achievement	Other requirements
Perfonnance	18	Number of definevement	Other requirements
Music Skills	27	Harmony and Analysis 4; Aural Perce	ption 4; Music Technology 1
Studies in the History and Analysis of Music		Musicology 8 (Major)	
Teaching Music (Music Education)	6		
Historical and Cultural Studies	6		
	153		A further 39 credit points to be taken in areas of the student's choice. Honours students must take 12 credit points from the Faculty of Arts or other approved units of study in another faculty.

<sup>\*96</sup> credit points comprising 18 credit points in Foundation units, 30 credit points in Advanced units, 48 credit points of Musicology (Major). Studies in the History and Analysis of Music units are listed in Table 5.27 at the end of this chapter.

#### Typical enrolment pattern

Table 5.9 shows a typical enrolment pattern giving the appropriate credit points. The structure is designed to allow considerable choice in the units of study taken and flexibility over when units are taken.

Table 5.9: Typical enrolment pattern - Bachelor of Music (Musicology)

Semester 1		Semester 2		Semester 3		Semester 4	
Musicology 1 (Major)	6	Musicology 2 (Major)	6	Musicology 3 (Major)	6	Musicology 4 (Major)	6
Historical and Cultural Studies (any unit)	3	Historical and Cultural Studies (any unit)	3	Musicology Workshop 1	3	Musicology Workshop 2	3
A performance unit (excluding another Principal Study)f	3	A performance unit (excluding another Principal Study)f	3	A performance unit (excluding another Principal Study)t	3	A performance unit (excluding another Principal Studyt	g 3
Aural Perception 1	3	Aural Perception 2	3	Aural Perception 3	3	Aural Perception 4	3
Harmony and Analysis 1	3	Harmony and Analysis 2	3	Harmony and Analysis 3	3	Harmony and Analysis 4	3
Studies in the History and Analysis of Music*	3	Studies in the History and Analysis of Music*	3	Studies in the History and Analysis of Music*	3	Studies in the History and Analysis of Music*	3
(Music History 1) Music Technology 1	3	(Music History 2) Intro to Music Teaching and Learning	3	(Music History 3) Studies in the History and Analysis of Music*	3	(Music History 4) Studies in the History and Analysis of Music*	3
	24		24		24		24
Semester 5		Semester 6		Semester 7		Semester 8	
Musicology 5 (Major)	6	Musicology 6 (Major)	6	Musicology 7 (Major)	6	Musicology 8 (Major)	6
Musicology Workshop 3	3	Musicology Workshop 4	3	Musicology Workshop 5	3	Musicology Workshop 6	3
A performance unit (excluding another Principal Study)f	3	A performance unit (excluding another Principal Study)t	3	A performance unit (excluding another Principal Study)t	3	A performance unit (excluding another Principal Study)t	g 3
Studies in the History and Analysis of Music* (Music History 5)	3	Studies in the History and Analysis of Music* (Music History 6)	3	Studies in the History and Analysis of Music*	3	Studies in the History and Analysis of Music*	3
Studies in the History and Analysis of Music*	3	Studies in the History and Analysis of Music*	3	Studies in the History and Analysis of Music*	3	Studies in the History and Analysis of Music*	3
Studies in the History and Analysis of Music*	3	Studies in the History and Analysis of Music*	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3
(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3
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<sup>\*</sup> Studies in the History and Analysis of Music units are listed in Table 5.27 at the end of this chapter.

t Performance units are listed in Table 5.24 at the end of this chapter.

# Bachelor of Music (Music Education)

The major focus is on developing teaching skills through studies in education, music education, choral and instrumental pedagogy and music technology. In the third and fourth year students undertake extended Practice Teaching sessions in schools supported by both high school teachers and experienced music education lecturers from the Conservatorium.

Music Education specialists also develop practical, compositional, or research skills by taking a minimum of 6 semesters in an instrument, voice, composition or musicology Principal Study. The Principal Study may be taken at either Major (6 credit points) or Minor level (3 credit points), depending on ability. Students also take part in Choir, Wind Symphony or Orchestra and other performance units. All students take core studies in aural perception, harmony and analysis, music history, music technology, pedagogy and historical and cultural studies.

For Music Education specialists, Principal Study is Major or Minor level study in:

- Brass: French horn, trombone, trumpet, tuba
- Composition (Major level only)
- Jazz Performance (Major level only): bass, brass, drums, guitar, piano, vibraphone, voice, woodwind
- Keyboard: harpsichord, piano
- Musicology
- Organ
- Percussion
- Strings: cello, double bass, guitar, harp, lute, viola, violin
- Voice
- Woodwind: bassoon, clarinet, flute, baroque flute, oboe, recorder, saxophone.

# Core requirements for graduation with a Bachelor of Music (Music Education)

Students should complete a minimum of the following number of credit points in each area throughout their course and reach the following minimum levels of achievement. Units of study in each area are listed in Tables 5.23 to 5.29 at the end of this chapter.

Table 5.10: Core requirements for BMus(MusEd)

Area	Minimum credit points	Minimum level of achievement	Other requirements
Performance	30	Principal Study (Minor) 6; Choir 4 or Wind Symphony 4 or Orchestral Studies 4	•
Music Skills	27	Harmony and Analysis 4; Aural Perception 4; Music Technology 1	
Studies in the History and Analysis of Music		Should include at least 12 credit points in Foundation units*	
Teaching Music (Music Education)	81		
Historical and Cultural Studies	12		
	165		27 credit points to be taken in areas of the student's choice.

<sup>\*</sup> Foundation and Advanced units of Studies in the History and Analysis of Music are listed in Table 5.27 at the end of this chapter.

## Typical enrolment pattern

A typical enrolment, including the appropriate credit points, is set out in Table 5.11.

Table 5.11: Typical enrolment pattern - Bachelor of Music (Music Education) for Principal Study at Minor level, not Major level

Semester 1		Semester 2		Semester 3		Semester 4	
Principal Study 1 (Minor)	3	Principal Study 2 (Minor)	3	Principal Study 3 (Minor)	3	Principal Study 4 (Minor)	3
Wind Symphony 1 or Choir 1	3	(Free Choice)	3	Wind Symphony 3 or Choir 2	3	Teaching Practicum 1	3
Studies in the History and	3	Studies in the History and	3	Studies in the History and	3	Studies in the History and	3
Analysis of Music		Analysis of Music		Analysis of Music		Analysis of Music	
(Music History 3: 1751-1825)		(Music History 4: 1826-1890)		(Music History 5: 1890-1950)		(Music History 6: 1950-)	
Aural Perception 1	3	Aural Perception 2	3	Aural Percepdon 3	3	Aural Perception 4	3
Harmony and Analysis 1	3	Harmony and Analysis 2	3	Harmony and Analysis 3	3	Harmony and Analysis 4	3
Music Technology 1 or Intro to	3	Music Technology 1 or Intro to	3	Music Education 1: Significant	3	Music Education 2:	3
Music Teaching and Learning		Music Teaching and Learning		Methods		Pre-secondary Music	
Historical & Cultural Studies 1	3	Historical & Cultural Studies 2	3	Education 1: Intro to Teaching	3	Education 2: Educational	3
						Psychology	
(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3	Historical & Cultural Studies 3	3	Historical & Cultural Studies 4	1 3
	24		24		24		24
Semester 5		Semester 6		Semester 7		Semester 8	
Principal Study 5 (Minor)	3	Principal Study 6 (Minor)	3	Principal Study 7 (Minor) (Free Choice)	3	Principal Study 8 (Minor) (Free Choice)	3
Studies in the History and Analysis of Music	3	Music Education 6: Junior Secondary Music	3	Music Education 14: Non-Western Music	3	Music Education 10: Senior Secondary	3
(Music History 1)			_		_		
Music Education 3: History &	3	Music Education 8: Popular Music Studies	3	Music Education 7: Multicultural Studies	3	Music Education 11: Advanced Instrumental Pedagogy or	1 3
Philosophy		Music Studies		Mutucultural Studies		Music Education 12: Advanced Choral Pedagogy	i
Music Education 4:	3	Music Education 13:	3	Music Education 9:	3	Education 7: Individual	3
Choral Pedagogy		Composition Studies		Instrumental Pedagogy		Differences	
Music Education 5: Technology in Music	3	Education 4: Studies in Teaching	3	Education 5: Philosophy and History	3	(Free Choice)	3
Education 3: Developmental	3	Teaching Practicum 2	9	Education 6: Curriculum-	3	Teaching Practicum 3	9
Psychology	3	reaching tracticum 2		Theory and Design	3	reaching tracticum 5	
Wind Symphony 5 or Choir 3	3			Wind Symphony 7 or Choir 4	3		
(Free Choice)	3			(Free Choice)	3		
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	24		24	X	24		24

# Bachelor of Music Studies (BMusStudies)

The Bachelor of Music Studies is a degree for students seeking a broad musical education and its structure facilitates creative interdisciplinary links within music disciplines and between music and other subject areas in the University of Sydney. The course develops broadly educated musicians who are able to apply their knowledge, skills and attitudes creatively and flexibly in a variety of music and music-related professions.

The goals of the Bachelor of Music Studies are:

- to develop general musical abilities in the areas of performance, musicology, composition and music education:
- to develop students' ability to see themselves, their musical art and their educational activities in a wide cultural perspective; and
- to develop the generic attributes of graduates of the University of Sydney.

Admission is determined on the basis of the NSW Higher School Certificate [HSC], or its interstate or overseas equivalent, at a level determined each year by the Sydney Conservatorium. Candidates are expected to have presented:

- a minimum of two units of English and two units of Music for the HSC examination, and
- an audition/submission and/or interview according to their proposed Principal Study as set out below:
  - (a) Major level of study in an instrument or voice: an audition according to the requirements laid out for the relevant Major study
  - (b) Minor level of study in an instrument or voice: an audition according to the requirements laid out for relevant Minor study
  - (c) Major level of study in composition: submission of at least three compositions in different performance media to demonstrate the level of achievement as composers and an interview (d) Major or Minor level of study in musicology:
  - (d) Major or Minor level of study in musicology: submission of an example of recent written work and an interview.

# Course structure

The degree is structured to allow students flexibility in their choice of units so they may pursue their own combinations of musical and non-musical disciplines. Students may choose units of study taught at another faculty of the University of Sydney up to a maximum credit point value of 28 credit points or take units of study taught only within the Conservatorium.

All students take a Principal Study in an instrument, voice, composition or musicology, core units in music skills, music history and technology and other units of their own choice. Principal Study may be at Major level (6 credit points) or Minor level of study (3 credit points) depending on preference and level of ability. Principal Study is available in:

- Brass: French horn, trombone, trumpet, tuba
- · Composition (Major level only)
- Jazz Performance (Major level only): areas of bass, brass, drums, guitar, piano, vibraphone, voice, woodwind
- · Keyboard: harpsichord, piano
- Musicology
- Organ
- Percussion
- Strings: cello, double bass, guitar, harp, lute, viola, violin
- Voice
- Woodwind: bassoon, clarinet, flute, baroque flute, oboe, recorder, saxophone.

The course requires the successful completion of 144 credit points of study over three years of full-time study and is awarded only as a Pass degree. The credit points for units completed should include:

- (a) six semesters of Principal Study, as defined above
- (b) core requirements, as tabled below
- (c) other units of the student's choice

Part-time study may be available to students on application to the Undergraduate Studies Committee. A student who is granted approval to undertake a course on a part-time basis shall undertake units of study as determined by the Committee.

# Core requirements for graduation with a Bachelor of Music Studies

Students should complete a minimum of the following number of credit points in each area throughout their course and reach the following minimum levels of achievement. Units of study in each area are listed in Tables 5.23 to 5.29 at the end of this chapter.

Table 5.12: Core requirements for BMusStudies

Area	Minimum credit points for students not specialising in the area	Minimum level of achievement
Performance	18	
Music Skills	27	Harmony and Analysis 4; Aural Perception 4; Music Technology 1
Studies in the History	12 credit points in Foundation units and	
and Analysis of Music	6 credit points in Advanced units*	
Teaching Music (Music Education)	6	
Historical and Cultural Studies	6	
	75	69 credit points to be taken in the student's Principal Study or in areas of their choice.

<sup>\*</sup> Foundation and Advanced units of Studies in the History and Analysis of Music are listed in Table 5.27 at the end of this chapter.

## Typical enrolment pattern

A typical program in the Bachelor of Music Studies, together with the credit point value, is set out in Table 5.13. The course structure is designed to allow considerable choice in the units of study taken and flexibility over when units are taken.

Table 5.13: Typical enrolment pattern - Bachelor of Music Studies

Semester 1		Semester 2		Semester 3	
Principal Study 1 (Minor or Major)	3/6	Principal Study 2 (Minor or Major)	3/6	Principal Study 3 (Minor or Major)	3/6
Historical and Cultural Studies 1	3	Historical and Cultural Studies 2	3	Historical and Cultural Studies 3 '	3
Aural Perception 1	3	Aural Perception 2	3	Aural Perception 3	3
Harmony and Analysis 1	3	Harmony and Analysis 2	3	Harmony and Analysis 3	3
Music Technology 1 or Introduction to	3	Introduction to Music Teaching and	3	(Free Choice)	3
Music Teaching and Learning		Learning or Music Technology 1			
Studies in the History & Analysis of Music	:* 3	Studies in the History & Analysis of Music	<sup>k:</sup> 3	Studies in the History & Analysis of Mu	ısic* 3
(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3
(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3
	24		24		24
Semester 4		Semester 5		Semester 6	
Principal Study 4 (Minor or Major)	3/6	Principal Study 5 (Minor or Major)	3/6	Principal Study 6 (Minor or Major)	3/6
Historical and Cultural Studies 4	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3
Aural Perception 4	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3
Harmony and Analysis 4	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3
Studies in the History & Analysis of Musi	c* 3	Studies in the History & Analysis of Music	<sup>k:</sup> 3	Studies in the History & Analysis of Mu	ısic* 3
(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3
(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3
(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3
	24		24		24

<sup>\*</sup> Studies in the History and Analysis of Music units are listed in Table 5.27 at the end of this chapter.

# Diploma of Music (DipMus)

The aim of the Diploma of Music (DipMus) award program is to provide accelerated progress for particularly gifted students and opportunities for them to acquire high level performance skills and a range of artistic and intellectual knowledge which will prepare them for a career as a professional musician.

The Diploma of Music includes Major studies in the following instruments:

- · Brass: French horn, trombone, trumpet, tuba
- · Keyboard: harpsichord, piano
- Percussion
- · Strings: cello, double bass, guitar, harp, lute, viola, violin
- Woodwind: bassoon, clarinet, flute, baroque flute, oboe, recorder, saxophone.

Admission for all areas of study is determined on the basis of the NSW Higher School Certificate [HSC], or its interstate or overseas equivalent, at a level determined each year by the Sydney Conservatorium. Candidates are expected to have presented:

 a minimum of two units of English and two units of Music for the HSC examination, and  an audition in the nominated instrument equivalent to that required for Major level study in the Performance specialisation of the Bachelor of Music.

#### Course structure

The Diploma of Music is minimally completed in three years of full-time study. All full-time students must complete units of study worth 24 credit points per semester: a total of 144 credit points for the entire course.

To qualify for the diploma, candidates must complete units of study to the value of 144 credit points which include:

- (a) Principal Study (Diploma) 1-6
- (b) Other requirements as set out below
- (c) Other subjects on the student's choice, where applicable

# Required enrolment

Four mandatory programs in the Diploma of Music, together with relevant credit point values, are set out in Tables 5.15 to 5.18. Students should use these as a guide to the acquisition of units of study by normal progression through the Diploma of Music.

Table 5.15: Mandatory enrolment pattern - Diploma of Music (DipMus), Brass/Percussion Major

Semester 1		Semester 2		Semester 3	
Principal Study (Diploma) 1	6	Principal Study (Diploma) 2	6	Principal Study (Diploma) 3	12
Chamber Music 1	3	Chamber Music 2	3	Chamber Music 3	3
Orchestral Studies 1	3	Orchestral Studies 2	3	Orchestral Studies 3	3
Aural Perception 1	3	Aural Perception 2	3	Aural Perception 3	3
Brass Choir 1 / Percussion Ensemble 1	3	Brass Choir 2 / Percussion Ensemble 2	3	Harmony and Analysis 3	3
Music History 3: 1751-1825	3	Music History 4: 1826-1890	3		
Harmony and Analysis 1	3	Harmony and Analysis 2	3		
	24		24		24
Semester 4		Semester 5		Semester 6	
Principal Study (Diploma) 4	12	Principal Study (Diploma) 5	12	Principal Study (Diploma) 6	12
Chamber Music 4	3	Chamber Music 5	3	Chamber Music 6	3
Orchestral Studies 4	3	Orchestral Studies 5	3	Orchestral Studies 6	3
Aural Perception 4	3	Composer Performer Workshop 1	3	Composer Performer Workshop 2	3
Harmony and Analysis 4	3	Brass Choir 3 / Percussion Ensemble 3	3	Brass Choir 4 / Percussion Ensemble 4	3
	24		24		24

Table 5.16: Mandatory enrolment pattern - Diploma of Music (DipMus), Guitar Major

Semester 1		Semester 2		Semester 3	
Principal Study (Diploma) 1	6	Principal Study (Diploma) 2	6	Principal Study (Diploma) 3	12
Chamber Music 1	3	Chamber Music 2		Chamber Music 3	3
Choir 1	3	Choral Ensemble 1	3	Choir 2	3
Aural Perception 1	3	Aural Perception 2	3	Aural Perception 3	3
Harmony and Analysis 1	3	Harmony and Analysis 2	3	Harmony and Analysis 3	3
Music History 3: 1751-1825	3	Music History 4: 1826-1890	3		
(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3		
	24		24		24
Semester 4		Semester 5		Semester 6	
Principal Study (Diploma) 4	12	Principal Study (Diploma) 5	12	Principal Study (Diploma) 6	12
Chamber Music 4	3	Chamber Music 5	3	Chamber Music 6	3
Choral Ensemble 2	3	Interpretation of Early Music 1	3	Interpretation of Early Music 2	3
Aural Perception 4	3	Composer Performer Workshop 1	3	Composer Performer Workshop 2	3
Harmony and Analysis 4	3	Pedagogy Guitar 1	3	Pedagogy Guitar 2	3
	24		24		24

Table 5.17: Mandatory enrolment pattern - Diploma of Music (DipMus), Piano/Harpsichord Major

Semester 1		Semester 2		Semester 3	
Principal Study (Diploma) 1	6	Principal Study (Diploma) 2	6	Principal Study (Diploma) 3	12
Accompaniment 1	3	Accompaniment 2	3	Accompaniment 3	3
Choir 1	3	Choral Ensemble 1	3	Chamber Music 1	3
Aural Perception 1	3	Aural Perception 2	3	Aural Perception 3	3
Harmony and Analysis 1	3	Harmony and Analysis 2	3	Harmony and Analysis 3	3
Music History 3: 1751-1825	3	Music History 4: 1826-1890	3	•	
Harpsichord Class 1	3	Harpsichord Class 2	3		
	24		24		24
Semester 4		Semester 5		Semester 6	
Principal Study (Diploma) 4	12	Principal Study (Diploma) 5	12	Principal Study (Diploma) 6	12
Accompaniment 4	3	Composer Performer Workshop 1	3	Composer Performer Workshop 2	3
Chamber Music 2	3	Chamber Music 3	3	Chamber Music 4	3
Aural Perception 4	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3
Harmony and Analysis 4	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3
	24		24		24

Table 5.18: Mandatory enrolment pattern - Diploma of Music (DipMus), String/Woodwind Major

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Semester 1		Semester 2		Semester 3	
Principal Study (Diploma) 1	6	Principal Study (Diploma) 2	6	Principal Study (Diploma) 3	12
Chamber Music 1	3	Chamber Music 2	3	Chamber Music 3	3
Orchestral Studies 1	3	Orchestral Studies 2	3	Orchestral Studies 3	3
Aural Perception 1	3	Aural Perception 2	3	Aural Perception 3	3
Harmony and Analysis 1	3	Harmony and Analysis 2	3	Harmony and Analysis 3	3
Music History 3: 1751-1825	3	Music History 4: 1826-1890	3	•	
(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3		
	24		24		24
Semester 4		Semester 5		Semester 6	
Principal Study (Diploma) 4	12	Principal Study (Diploma) 5	12	Principal Study (Diploma) 6	12
Chamber Music 4	3	Chamber Music 5	3	Chamber Music 6	3
Orchestral Studies 4	3	Orchestral Studies 5	3	Orchestral Studies 6	3
Aural Perception 4	3	Composer Performer Workshop I	3	Composer Performer Workshop 2	3
Harmony and Analysis 4	3	(Free Choice)	3	(Free Choice)	3
	24		24		24

# Diploma of Opera (DipOp)

The Diploma of Opera prepares graduates for the various demands of the profession. At the end of the course students will sing with technical proficiency and perform with a sense of musical style and dramatic interpretation. Study of the vocal and physical aspects of performance will be complemented by a general awareness of professionalism and the practicalities of theatre, its requirements and environment.

During the course, students will acquire basic pianistic skills, a thorough understanding of musicianship, the capacity to sing in the major operatic languages and perform movement and dance sequences, and learn to build a character on developed stagecraft skills.

Applicants must be at least 21 years old by 1 March 2001. Admission is determined on the basis of the NSW Higher School Certificate [HSC], or its interstate or overseas

equivalent, at a level determined each year by the Sydney Conservatorium. Candidates are expected to have presented a minimum of two units of English and two units of Music for the HSC examination or equivalent, and must also undertake an audition. Admission may also be granted on the basis of having undertaken other tertiary studies, adult entry or special admission.

#### Course structure

The Diploma of Opera is a three-year course of full-time, intensive study and students must demonstrate satisfactory progress in vocal, musical and performance skills in order to progress through the course.

All full-time students must complete units of study worth 24 credit points per semester: a total of 144 credit points for the entire diploma course.

The course structure of the Diploma of Opera, together with the credit point value, is set out in Table 5.19.

Table 5.19: Course structure - Diploma of Opera

Semester 1		Semester 2		Semester 3		Semester 4		Semester 5		Semester 6
Opera Voice 1	6	Opera Voice 2	6	Opera Voice 3	6	Opera Voice 4	6	Opera Voice 5	6	Opera Voice 6 6
Movement and	3	Movement and	3	Movement and	3	Movement and	3	Movement and	3	Movement and 3
Stagecraft 1		Stagecraft 2		Stagecraft 3		Stagecraft 4		Stagecraft 5		Stagecraft 6
Vocal Repertoire 1	3	Opera Repertoire 1	3	Opera Repertoire 2	3	Opera Repertoire 3				Opera Repertoire 5 3
Diction for Singers	1 3	Diction for Singers 2	2 3	German for Singers 1	3	German for Singers 2	3	French for Singers 1	3	French for Singers 2 3
Italian for Singers 1	3	Italian for Singers 2	3	Italian for Singers 3		Italian for Singers 4	3	Italian for Singers 5	3	Italian for Singers 6 3
History of Opera 1	3	History of Opera 2	3	Production 1	3	Production 2	3	Production 3	6	Production 4 6
Music Skills 1	3	Music Skills 2	3	Music Skills 3	3	Music Skills 4	3			
	24		24		24		24	2	4	24

# Public examination recitals (undergraduate)

All students enrolled in BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus and DipOp whose Principal Study is an instrument or voice at the Major level are required to present public performance examination recitals as part of their course. They must also successfully complete technical 'in-unit' examinations not open to the public. The examination recitals normally take place in June and October/November each year.

The requirements for public examination recitals are set out in Tables 5.20 to 5.22.

Students should discuss their recital programs with their teacher and Chair of Unit at the beginning of the examination semester or the semester before. It is the student's responsibility to discuss suitable repertoire and performance requirements with their teachers to avoid inappropriate choices and availability of associate artists/accompanists. Detailed requirements appear in the examination recitals leaflet, available from the Recitals Coordinator.

Table 5.20: Examination recitals - Principal Study at Major level (BMus(Perf), BMus(MusEd), BMusStudies)

Semester	Recital	Length of recital
Semester 4 Instrumental /Jazz	Junior recital	40 minutes
Semester 4 Voice	Junior recital	20-25 minutes
Semester 6 Instrumental	Concerto	Dependent on length of concerto (usually 20-35 minutes)
Semester 6 Voice	Song cycle	10-15 minutes
Semester 6 Accompaniment	Solo recital	35 minutes
Semester 7 BMus Honours	Solo recital	40 minutes
Semester 8 Instrumental /Jazz/Voice	Senior recital	50 minutes
Semester 8 BMus Honours	Senior recital	50 minutes
Semester 8 Accompaniment	Senior recital	35 minutes with vocalist
Semester 8 Accompaniment	Senior recital	40 minutes with instrumentalist

Table 5.21: Examination recitals - Diploma of Music (DipMus)

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Semester	Recital name	Length of recital
Semester 3	Junior recital	40 minutes
Semester 4	Concerto	Dependent on length of concerto (usually 20-35 minutes)
Semester 5	Sem 5 recital	40 minutes
Semester 6	Senior recital	50 minutes

Table 5.22: Examination recital - Diploma of Opera (DipOp)

Semester	Recital	Length of recital
Semester 6	Recital	20-25 minutes

Note: Concerto performances are performed with piano accompaniment.

# Transfer from Minor to Major Principal Study

Instrumental and vocal students may apply to transfer from Minor to Major at the end of Principal Study 2. At the performance examinations, in addition to the requirements for their Principal Study at Minor level, students requesting transfer will be expected to demonstrate skills and achievement equivalent to that required of Major students. Successful students will be permitted to transfer to Principal Study 3 (Major) only on the understanding that they would be required to have maintained the 48 credit point per annum model across their enrolment and that no credit would be given to bridge the gap between Principal Study at Minor level and Principal Study at Major level.

Students may apply before the end of the mid-semester break. Application forms are available from Student Administration. For further information students should contact the appropriate Chair of Unit.

# Undergraduate units of study by area

Tables 5.23 to 5.29 list units of study for the Bachelor of Music and the Bachelor of Music Studies. They are listed by area as described in the Core Requirements tables (Tables 5.3, 5.6, 5.8, 5.10 and 5.12). Students should consult the individual unit of study descriptions for information about prerequisites and corequisites, restrictions on enrolment and other information.

Table 5.23: Principal Study units of study

Unit of study	credit points
Instrumental or Vocal Principal Study (Major)	6
Instrumental or Vocal Principal Study (Minor)	3
Composition Principal Study (Major)	6
Musicology Principal Study (Major)	6
Musicology Principal Study (Minor)	3

Table 5.24: Performance units of study

Unit of study	credit points
All Instrumental/Vocal Principal Study (Major)	6
All Instrumental/Vocal Principal Study (Minor)	3
Accompaniment 1-8	3
Accompaniment Performance 1-4	3
Advanced Small Ensemble 1-6	3 3 3 3
Big Band 1-8	
Brass Choir 1-8	3
Business and Management	3
Cello Ensemble 1-8	3
Chamber Music 1-8	3
Chamber Orchestra 1-8	3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3
Choir 1-4	3
Choral Ensemble 1-4	3
Composer Performer Workshop 1-4	3
Conducting 1-4	3 3 3 3
Diction for Singers 1-2	3
Early Music Seminar 1-6	3
Elective Jazz Orchestra 1-8	
French for Singers 1-2	3 3
Functional Guitar 1-2	3
German for Singers 1-4	3
Harpsichord Class 1-2	3
Interpretation of Early Music 1-2	3
Italian for Singers 1-6	3
Jazz Improvisation 1-8	3
Jazz Piano 1-4	3
Jazz Small Ensemble 1-8	3 3
Jazz Vocal Workshop 1-2	3
Managing Stress in Music Performance	3
Movement and Stagecraft 1-6	3
Opera Repertoire 1-5	3

Orchestral Studies 1-8	3
Organ Research Project 1-4	3
Organ Resources 1-8	3
Organ Seminar 1-8	3
Percussion Ensemble 1-8	3
Performance Practice 1-6	3
Resource Class-Percussion	3
Saxophone Orchestra 1-8	3
Strings Performance Class 1-8	3
Vocal Performance Class 1-2	3
Vocal Repertoire 1-2	3
Wind Symphony 1-8	3
Woodwind Class 1-4	3

Table 5.25: Composition units of study

Unit of study	credit points
Composition Principal Study (Major)	6
Composer Performer Workshop 1-4	3
Compositional Techniques and Analysis 1-6	3
Computer Music Synthesis Intro & Advanced	3
Electronic Music 1-6	3
Instrument-builder Composers in 20C 1-2	3
Introduction to Just Intonation Tunings	3
Musical Applications of Psychological Acoustics	3

Table 5.26: Music Skills units of study

Unit of study	credit points
Advanced Aural 1-2	3
Aural Perception 1, 1 A, IB, 2-4	3
Compositional Techniques and Analysis 1-6	3
Computer Music Synthesis Intro & Advanced	3
Harmony and Analysis 1-4	3
Intro to Jazz Transcription and Analysis	3
Introduction to Just Intonation Tunings	3
Jazz Advanced Arranging 1-2	3
Jazz Counterpoint 1-2	3
Jazz Ear Training 1–4	3
Jazz Harmony and Arranging 1-4	3
Music Technology 1	3
Sound Enhancement and Recording 1-2	3

Note: Students given advanced standing or exemption in a Music Skills unit of study may take a Composition unit (subject to availability) to satisfy credit point requirements in Music Skills.

Table 5.27: Studies in the History and Analysis of Music units of study

units of study	
Unit of study	credit points
Musicology Principal Study (Major)	6
Musicology Principal Study (Minor)	3
Foundation units	
Music History 1-6	3
Jazz History 1-4	3
Advanced units	
Advanced Harmony 1-2	3
Australian Music Research 1-2	3
Baroque Studies 1-2	3
Berlioz	3
Classical Studies	3
Contemporary Studies 1-2	3
Debussy 1	3
History of Opera 1-2	3
Intro to Jazz Transcription and Analysis	3
Jazz History 1-4	3
Late Beethoven Seminar	3
Mahler's Vienna 1-2	3
Medieval and Renaissance Studies 1	3
Music Through Literature	3
Musicology Workshop 1-6	3
Opera and Shakespeare	3

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Palaeography 1-2	3
Radical Rock 1-2	3
Romanticism and the Fantastic 1-2	3
Wagner 1-2	3

# Table 5.28: Teaching Music (Music Education) units of study

Unit of study	credit points
Education 1-7	3
Music Education 1-14	3
Music Education Honours 1-4	3
Teaching Practicum 1-3	3/9
Advanced String Pedagogy 1-2	3
Intro to Music Teaching and Learning	3
Pedagogy Brass and Percussion 1-2	3
Pedagogy Guitar 1-2	3
Pedagogy Keyboard 1-2	3
Pedagogy Strings 1-2	3
Pedagogy Voice 1-2	3
Pedagogy Woodwind 1-2	3
Practical Stagecraft	3
Resource Class-Percussion	3

# Table 5.29: Historical and Cultural Studies units of study

Unit of study	credit points
Historical and Cultural Studies 1-4	3

**CHAPTER 6** 

# Undergraduate units of study

ENSE 1000 Accompaniment 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus D. Howie (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: February. Corequisite: Pianoforte 1 (Major) or Principal Study (Diploma) 1. Classes: One 1hrpractut/wk; one Ihraccomp tut/2wk. Assessment: Accompany one student performance at one concert practice (50%), accompaniment tutorial (25%), vocal studio

Students will gain basic, first-hand experience of sight reading, ensemble and rehearsal techniques, teaching methods, performance technique and repertoire. Students will be assigned to a vocal studio for one hour each week. They will be expected to act as the accompanist for the lessons throughout the semester and then perform with the student concerned at the Accompaniment conceit practice. Progress will be monitored to identify those with special talent in the area of keyboard accompaniment. Reports will be written by the panel attending the concert practice and the teacher supervising the weekly practical tutorials.

# ENSE 1001 Accompaniment 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

D. Howie (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Accompaniment 1. Corequisite: Pianoforte 2 (Major) or Principal Study (Diploma) 2. Classes: One 1 hr prac tut/wk; one 1 hr accomp tut/2wk. Assessment: Accompany one student performance at one concert practice (50%),

accompaniment tutorial (25%), vocal studio (25%)

Please refer to Accompaniment 1. Instead of a vocal student, students will work regularly with an instrumental student of their choice throughout the semester. This partner will attend the fortnightly accompaniment tutorials when possible and will take part in the concert practice assessment at the end of the semes-

# ENSE 2000 Accompaniment 3

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Accompaniment 2. Corequisite: Pianoforte 3 (Major) or Principal Study (Diploma) 3. Classes: One 2hr lec/wk. Assessment: Preparation of class material and performance in two master classes (100%).

Students will undertake a comprehensive syllabus for vocal and instrumental repertoire. They will study the pianistic devices demanded by various composition styles, techniques of performance, rehearsal and ensemble, sight-reading, transposition, the reduction of orchestral scores for the keyboard and the concepts of communication. The unit will also contain an introduction to the skills required of the vocal coach and the repetiteur and a series of two master classes with professional musicians. For further information contact D. Miller (Ensemble Studies).

# ENSE 2001 Accompaniment 4

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Accompaniment 3. Corequisite: Pianoforte 4 (Major) or Principal Study (Diploma) 4. Classes: One 2hr lec/wk. Assessment: Preparation of class material and performance in two master classes (100%).

Please refer to Accompaniment 3. Students who show potential will be offered the option of progressing into Accompaniment Major (Accompaniment 5-6-7-8). For further information contact D. Miller (Ensemble Studies).

ENSE 3000 Accompaniment 5

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Accompaniment 4. Corequisite: Accompaniment Performance 1. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson plus 3hrs accompanying vocal studies/wk. Assessment: Preparation of lesson material; performance in vocal studios; at least

two concert practice performances.

This unit is designed for those keyboard students who have exhibited exceptional ability as vocal and instrumental accompanists. It enables them to study in greater depth the various aspects of piano accompaniment as a profession. Students will be exposed to a wide range of performance and learning experiences. Emphasis will be placed on sight reading, techniques of rehearsal and performance, the adaptation of keyboard technique to the demands of ensemble, the specialised skills required of the vocal as opposed to the instrumental accompanist and an extensive exploration of the ensemble repertoire. Enrolment is subject to audition. For further information contact D. Miller (Ensemble Studies).

#### ENSE 3001 Accompaniment 6

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Accompaniment 5. Corequisite: Accompaniment Performance 2. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson

plus 3hrs accompanying vocal studios /wk. Assessment:

Preparation of lesson material; performance in vocal studios; at least two concert practice performances.

In this semester emphasis is placed on the importance of basic keyboard technique to the accompaniment repertoire. Preparation for solo recital involving repertoire appropriate for an Accompaniment major. Assessment requirements will include a performance assignment, such as taking responsibility for the preparation and performance of a recital with a junior student. For further information contact D. Miller (Ensemble Studies).

#### ENSE 4000 Accompaniment 7

6 credit points. BMus

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Accompaniment 6. Corequisite: Accompaniment Performance 3. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and 3hrs accompanying vocal studios, choral ensembles/wk.

Assessment: Performance of major ensemble work and in vocal studios and minimum two concert practice performances.

Students will be involved in advanced study of keyboard accompaniment skills. Particular attention will be paid to rehearsal techniques. Early preparation for the two Senior Accompaniment Recitals, including choice of appropriate repertoire, programming, program notes, rehearsal schedules and developing a professional relationship with a partner. Students will be encouraged to extend their repertoire in order to be able to choose the most suitable program for their final assessment. For further information contact D. Miller (Ensemble Studies).

#### ENSE 4001 Accompaniment8

6 credit points. BMus

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Accompaniment 7. Corequisite: Accompaniment Performance 4. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson plus 2hrs accompanying vocal studios, choral ensembles/wk Assessment: 35min senior recital with a vocalist; 40min senior recital with an instrumentalist; at least two concert practice performances; preparation of lesson material; performance in vocal

Students will work towards their two Senior Recitals in collaboration with approved soloists. The program should include major works from the appropriate repertoire, a range of historical and national styles and a variety of pianistic demands. Program content and presentation of the recital will be taken into account in the final assessment. Particular attention will be paid to achieving a professional standard of preparation, rehearsal and performance. Students will be encouraged to become involved in the professional community, either as an observer or as a performer, drawing on their experience for their own recitals. For further information contact D. Miller (Ensemble Studies).

# Accompaniment Performance

The sequence of Accompaniment Performance units is taken in lieu of Pianoforte (Major) 5 to 8 only by students who have successfully auditioned for entry into the Accompaniment major. The four units focus on the study of solo repertoire and technical work aimed at improving the keyboard technique. Content is chosen to be particularly relevant for the accompaniment specialization. The sequence is designed to emphasise the need for accompanists to be more than adequate pianists and students will be able to consult their keyboard lecturer on any technical matter which may arise in the preparation of their Accompaniment Senior Recitals.

## **ENSE 3002** Accompaniment Performance 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Pianoforte 4 (Major). Corequisite: Accompaniment 5. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance and preparation of lesson material.

# **ENSE 3003** Accompaniment Performance 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Accompaniment Performance 1. Corequisite: Accompaniment 6. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson/wk. Assessment: One 35 minute senior solo recital, one concert practice performance.

# **ENSE 4004** Accompaniment Performance 3

3 credit points. BMus

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Accompaniment Performance 2. Corequisite: Accompaniment 7. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson/wk. Assessment: 15min technical/repertoire exam (to include an unassisted quick-study ensemble work) plus preparation of lesson material.

# **ENSE 4005** Accompaniment Performance 4

3 credit points. BMus

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Accompaniment Performance 3. Corequisite: Accompaniment 8. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson/wk. Assessment: 15min technical/repertoire exam and preparation of lesson material.

# MCGY 3000 Advanced Aural 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Priest (Musicology)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Weekly homework and topic-based tests (100%).

This unit builds on Aural Perception 1-4 and aims to develop aural skills to a more advanced level. The course will strike a balance between sight-singing, dictation and analytical exercises, using Modus Novus and a wide variety of other repertoire. Topics will include modality and dictation of string quartet textures. Students will also have the opportunity to suggest particular types of work that they would like to pursue. For further information contact D. Priest (Musicology).

Edlund L. Modus Novus: studies in reading atonal melodies. Stockholm/London: Nordiska/Chester, 1963

# MCGY 3001 Advanced Aural 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Priest (Musicology)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Advanced Aural 1. Classes: One 1 hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Weekly homework and topic-based tests (100%).

The unit will provide further opportunities to practise skills which were introduced in Advanced Aural 1. Additional topics will include complex rhythms, counterpoint and more advanced atonal work. For further information contact D. Priest (Musicology)-

Textbooks

Edlund L. Modus Novus: studies in reading atonal melodies. Stockholm/London: Nordiska/Chester, 1963

Edlund L. Polyrhythmic: advanced rhythmic studies. London, 1980

#### MCGY 2000 Advanced Harmony 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

L Comwell (Musicology)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Three 20 bar assignments (70%); one 25min seminar presentation

It is recommended that all students considering enrolling in this unit of study first complete Harmony and Analysis 4. Students in this unit will observe in detail a selection of pre-20th century western musical styles and the work of particular composers, applying the knowledge thus gained by writing short compositions in the relevant styles. For the student with some creative inclinations, the activity of stylistic imitation offers unique insights into the music of any period. Topics for study will be selected according to the interests of the group, taking into account the need for a coherent and cumulative course structure. Normally, 16th century counterpoint and 18th century fugue constitute a substantial part of the course. For further information contact L. Cornwell (Musicology).

# MCGY 2001 Advanced Harmony 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

L. Comwell (Musicology)

Offered: July. Classes: One 1 hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Three 20 bar assignments (70%), one 25min seminar presentation (30%). It is recommended that all students considering enrolling in this unit of study first complete Harmony and Analysis 4. Advanced Harmony 2 explores the techniques of 20th century composition through the process of stylistic imitation. Topics for study are chosen according to the interests of the group and students will complete short pieces in the styles of the selected composers. The main areas of study normally include modal techniques, extended triadic and non-triadic harmonies, atonality and serial techniques, minimalism and chance music. For further information contact L. Cornwell (Musicology).

# Advanced Small Ensemble

Advanced small ensemble is only available for years 2-4. Membership is selected by the teacher of the ensemble in consultation with the Chair of Jazz Studies. This ensemble operates as the other small ensembles do, with the exception that it is required to be the rehearsal band for Jazz Arranging majors. It is intended that the most skilled small group jazz studies students will make up the membership. Because this ensemble is the premier small ensemble of the Jazz Unit, it is expected that it will participate in several public performances every year.

# JAZZ 2000 Advanced Small Ensemble 1

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Jazz Performance 2. Corequisite: Jazz Performance 3. Classes: 3hrs of rehearsals/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

Enrolment subject to approval of the Chair of Jazz Studies.

# **Advanced Small Ensemble 2**

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Jazz Performance 3; Advanced Small Ensemble 1. Corequisite: Jazz Performance 4. Classes: 3hrs of rehearsals/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%). Enrolment subject to approval of the Chair of Jazz Studies.

# JAZZ 3000 Advanced Small Ensemble 3

3 credit points. BMus

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Jazz Performance 4; Advanced Small Ensemble 2. Corequisite: Jazz Performance 5. Classes: 3hrs of rehearsals/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%). Enrolment is subject to the approval of the Chair of Jazz StudJAZZ 3001 Advanced Small Ensemble 4

3 credit points. BMus D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Jazz Performance 5; Advanced Small Ensemble 3. Corequisite: Jazz Performance 6. Classes: 3hrs of rehearsals/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%). Enrolment is subject to approval of the Chair of Jazz Studies.

JAZZ 4000 Advanced Small Ensemble 5

3 credit points. BMus D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Jazz Performance 6; Advanced Small Ensemble 4. Corequisite: Jazz Performance 7. Classes: 3hrs of rehearsals/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%). Enrolment is subject to approval of the Chair of Jazz Studies

#### Advanced Small Ensemble 6

3 credit points. BMus D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Jazz Performance 7; Advanced Small Ensemble 5. Corequisite: Jazz Performance 8. Classes: 3hrs of rehearsals/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%). Enrolment is subject to approval of the Chair of Jazz Studies.

# Advanced String Pedagogy

The advanced string pedagogy research project option presents an opportunity for Bachelor of Music (Performance) and Graduate Diploma of Music (in the related studies option) to broaden an understanding and expertise in all aspects of string teaching. Students need to identify a research topic in consultation with the Chair, String Unit. Research needs to be guided by a comprehensive and critical understanding of teaching materials and resources available in the areas of individual and ensemble teaching. The research project should be focussed on improving the student's applied instrumental teaching skills and contribute to an autonomous approach to the teaching of his/her instrument. It can include both theoretical and practical elements (workshop presentations, lecture demonstrations).

# STRG 1037 Advanced String Pedagogy 1

3 credit points. BMus

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Pedagogy Strings 2, Violin/Viola/Cello/Double/Harp/Lute/Bass/Guitar 6 (Major). Classes: One 1hr supervision/wk. Assessment: One short essay (1500-2000w) outlining the project (20%); one long essay (4000-5000w) or lecture/ workshop demonstration (80%).

Students wishing to enrol in Advanced String Pedagogy may be able to substitute two units of study in the area of music education in place of the formal prerequisite in Pedagogy Strings 2. Contact the Chair of the Strings Unit for more information.

STRG 1038 Advanced String Pedagogy 2

3 credit points. BMus G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Advanced String Pedagogy 1. Classes: One 1 hr supervision/wk. Assessment: One short essay (1500-2000w) outlining the project (20%); one long essay (4000-5000w) or lecture/workshop demonstration (80%).

# **Aural Perception**

Aural Perception (AP) is taken as a sequence of either four or five semester units. On entry to the BMus, DipMus or BMusStudies awards students will—on the basis of a written test-be assigned either to API or to APIA and AP1B. Both options cover the same material and have the same exit standard, but while API is a one semester unit, APIA and AP1B extend over one year (two semesters) to enable students with limited experience or weakness to progress at a slower pace. Regardless of the results of the written test, students may request enrolment in APIA and APIB. Students who

successfully complete API in first semester progress to AP2 in second semester. Students who successfully complete AP1B at the end of second semester progress to AP2 in the first semester of the following year.

The AP units aim to foster musical understanding by developing those aural perception skills which are essential for any prospective professional musician:

- The ability to recognise, memorise and notate musical patterns heard (dictation and analysis work); and
- The ability to imagine (in one's 'inner ear') and reproduce (vocally) musical patterns from notation (Solfege work). Students are encouraged to apply the ideas and procedures studied in class to their own musical pursuits. Within the Musicology Unit, AP is integrated as closely as possible with the Harmony and Music History units.

#### MCGY1 0 0 0 Aural Perception 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

K. Lemon (Musicology)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr Lab and one 1 hr Solfege tut/ wk. Assessment: Weekly Lab assignment (15 marks); Solfege tutorial assessment (10 marks); 1 hr mid-semester written test (20 marks); 5 min mid-semester Solfege test (15 marks); 1 hr written examination (25 marks); 10 min Solfege examination (25 marks). A student's best 100 marks form their result.

Students work on the following material:

- intervals: all up to and including P8
- scales: major, 3 forms of minor, from tonic and dominant
- diatonic melodies
- chords: major, minor and diminished triads
- chord progressions: I, II, IV, V and VI
- rhythm: quarter-beat values in simple time/sixth-beat values in compound time

For further information contact K. Lemon (Musicology). Textbooks

Benward B, Kolosick JT. Ear training: a technique for listening. 6th ed. Boston, McGraw Hill, 2000

Edlund L. Modus Vetus. Stockholm/London: Nordiska/Chester,

# MCGY 1001 Aural Perception 1A

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

K. Lemon (Musicology)

Offered: February. Classes: Two x 1 hr seminars and one 1 hr tut/wk. Assessment: 5-10 min weekly written tests (30 marks); weekly written assignments (15 marks); tutorial assessment (15 marks); 1 hr written examination (25 marks); 5 min Solfege examination (25 marks). A student's best 100 marks form their result. Students work on the following material:

- intervals: all up to and including P5 and P8
- scales: major and the 3 forms of minor
- simple diatonic melodies
- chords: major, minor and diminished triads
- chord progressions: I, II and V
- rhythm: half-beat values in simple time/third-beat values in compound time.

**Textbooks** 

Edlund L. Modus Vetus. Stockholm/London: Nordiska/Chester,

# MCGY 1002 Aural Perception 1B

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

K. Lemon (Musicology)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Aural Perception 1A. Classes: One 1hr Lab and one 1hr Solfege tut/wk. Assessment: Weekly Lab assignment (15 marks); Solfege tutorial assessment (10 marks); 1hr mid-semester written test (20 marks); 5 min mid-semester Solfege test (15 marks); 1 hr written examination (25 marks); 10 min Solfege examination (25 marks). A student's best 100 marks form their

Students will continue to work on the material in APIA as well

- · intervals: all up to and including P8
- scales: major and three forms of minor from the dominant
- chord progressions: I, II, rV, V and VI
- rhythm: quarter-beat values in simple time/sixth-beat values in compound time.

For further information contact K. Lemon (Musicology).

Terthooks

Benward B, Kolosick JT. Ear training: a technique for listening. 6th ed. Boston, McGraw Hill, 2000

Edlund L. Modus Vetus. Stockholm/London: Nordiska/Chester, 1974

# MCGY1 0 0 3 Aural Perception 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

K. Lemon (Musicology)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Aural Perception 1 or Aural Perception 1B. Classes: One 1 hr Lab and one 1 hr Solfege tut/wk. Assessment: Weekly Lab assignment (15 marks); Solfege tutorial assessment (10 marks); 1 hr mid-semester written test (20 marks); 5 min mid-semester Solfege test (15 marks); 1 hr written examination (25 marks); 10 min Solfege examination (25 marks). A student's best 100 marks form their result.

Students will continue to work on the material covered in Aural Perception 1 or Aural Perception IB as well as:

- · Church modes
- · chords: augmented triad and Mm7 chord
- chord progressions: m, VII, v and V7
- · 1st and 4th Species Counterpoint
- rhythm: triplets in simple time and duplets in compound time. *Textbooks*

Benward B, Kolosick JT. Ear training: a technique for listening. 6th ed. Boston, McGraw Hill, 2000

Edlund L. Modus Vetus. Stockholm/London: Nordiska/Chester, 1974

MCGY 2004 Aural Perception 3

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

K. Lemon (Musicology)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Aural Perception 2. Classes: One 1 hr Lab and one 1 hr Solfege tut/wk. Assessment: Weekly Lab assignment (15 marks); Solfege tutorial assessment (10 marks); 1 hr mid-semester written test (20 marks); 5 min mid-semester Solfege test (15 marks); 1 hr written examination (25 marks); 10 min Solfege examination (25 marks). A student's best 100 marks form their result.

Students will continue to work on the material covered earlier as well as:

- intervals larger than P8
- pitch patterns of up to nine notes
- scales: chromatic and whole tone
- · chromatic tonal melodies
- · chords: diminished 7ms
- chord progressions: leading note 7th chords and secondary dominants
- rhythm: irregular divisions and small divisions. *Textbooks*

Benward B, Kolosick JT. Ear training: a technique for listening. 6th ed. Boston, McGraw Hill, 2000

Edlund L. Modus Novus.Stockholm/London: Nordiska/Chester,

Edlund L. Modus Vetus. Stockholm/London: Nordiska/Chester, 1974

MCGY 2005 Aural Perception 4

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

K. Lemon (Musicology)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Aural Perception 3. Classes: One 1 hr Lab and one 1 hr Solfege tut/wk. Assessment: Weekly Lab assignment (15 marks); Solfege tutorial assessment (10 marks); 1 hr mid-semester written test (20 marks); 5 min mid-semester Solfege test (15 marks); 1 hr written examination (25 marks); 10 min Solfege examination (25 marks). A student's best 100 marks form their result.

Students will continue to work on the material covered earlier as well as:

- pitch patterns of up to twelve notes
- atonal melodies
- · non-triadic chords and chord series
- tonal chord progressions: Neapolitan 6th and Augmented 6th chords
- · rhythm: mixed metre and additive metres.

**Textbooks** 

Benward B, Kolosick JT. Ear training: a technique for listening. 6m ed. Boston, McGraw Hill, 2000 Edlund L. Modus Novus. Stockholm/London: Nordiska/Chester, 1963

Edlund L. Modus Vetus. Stockholm/London: Nordiska/Chester, 1974

CMPN 1001 Australian Music Research 1

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies M. Smetanin (Composition)

**Offered:** February. **Classes:** One 1hriec/wk. **Assessment:** Class presentation (40%), final paper (60%).

Study of a group of approximately 20-30 scores by representative Australian composers. An individual research project on the work of a particular Australian composer, or an approved aspect of Australian music. For further information contact M. Smetanin (Composition).

CMPN 1002 Australian Music Research 2

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies

DrT. Pearce (Composition)

**Offered:** July. **Prerequisite:** Australian Music Research 1. Classes: One 1hr lec/wk. **Assessment:** Class presentation (40%), final paper (60%).

Please refer to Australian Music Research 1. For further information contact Dr T. Pearce (Composition).

# Baroque Flute Major and Minor

Baroque Flute is offered at a Major and Minor level of study. The level of study is decided in the audition. At the beginning of the major or minor level of study each student will be assigned a lecturer with whom they will normally work for the duration of the award. Continuing consultation between lecturer and student, including appraisal of technical and interpretative strengths and weaknesses, will enable regular clarification of specific learning objectives and content. At the beginning of all units included in the major and minor study the lecturer will discuss past achievements and clarify weaknesses with each student, assist them to articulate personal objectives for advancement, recommend suitable content and advise the Chair of Unit. In this context the unit descriptions which follow should be read as a guide to the minimum requirements of the major study and minor study in Baroque Flute.

WIND 1000 Baroque Flute 1 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

**Offered:** February. **Classes:** 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. **Assessment:** 15min technical exam or equivalent, minimum one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

WIND 1010 Baroque Flute 1 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

**Offered:** February. **Classes:** 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. **Assessment:** 10 min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

WIND 1001 Baroque Flute 2 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Baroque Flute 1 (Major). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min jury recital, minimum one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

WIND 1018 Baroque Flute 2 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Baroque Flute 1 (Minor). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15 min jury recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

WIND 2000 Baroque Flute 3 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Baroque Flute 2 (Major) or audition. Classes: 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min technical exam or equivalent, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

#### WIND 2020 Baroque Flute 3 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Baroque Flute 2 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 15 min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

# WIND 2001 Baroque Flute 4 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Baroque Flute 3 (Major). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 40min junior recital, two 6min performances at concert practice (100%).

#### WIND 2021 Baroque Flute 4 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Baroque Flute 3 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 15-20 min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

### WIND 3000 Baroque Flute 5 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Baroque Flute 4 (Major). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

#### WIND 3022 Baroque Flute 5 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

**Offered:** February. **Prerequisite:** Baroque Flute 4 (Minor). **Classes:** 1 hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. **Assessment:** 15 min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

### WIND 3001 Baroque Flute 6 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Baroque Flute 5 (Major). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: Concerto performance or equivalent, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

# WIND 3023 Baroque Flute 6 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Baroque Flute 5 (Minor). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 20-25 min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

# WIND 4000 Baroque Flute 7 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Baroque Flute 6 (Major). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min technical exam or equivalent, two 6min concert practice performances, minimum three 12min lunch-time concert performances during the final year (100%).

# WIND 4032 Baroque Flute 7 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

**Offered:** February. **Prerequisite:** Baroque Flute 6 (Minor). **Classes:** 1hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. **Assessment:** 15 min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### WIND 4001 Baroque Flute 8 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Baroque Flute 7 (Major). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 50 min senior recital, minimum of 1 performance at concert practice (100%), three 12min lunch-time concert performances during the final year (100%).

## WIND 4033 Baroque Flute 8 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Baroque Flute 7 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: Exam (100%).

# **Baroque Studies**

The Baroque Studies units give students the opportunity to extend their knowledge of baroque music. Topics in 17th century and early 18th century music are covered and are chosen to broaden familiarity with repertoire (including well-known and lesser known music), genres, styles, instruments and aspects of performance practice.

# MCGY 3003 Baroque Studies 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr K. Nelson (Musicology)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Music History 1 and 2 and any other 2 semesters of Music History. Classes: One 1 hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Seminar presentation on essay topic (35%), 2000w essay (55%), class participation (10%).

In this semester study will focus mainly on 17th-century topics. Topics for student study are negotiated early in the semester taking into account the interests and experience of individual students. Additionally a short class project at the beginning of the semester will study a range of internationally known performance ensembles specializing in baroque music. For further information contact Dr K. Nelson (Musicology).

Textbooks

Palisca C. Baroque music. 3rd ed. Prentice Hall, 1991

### MCGY 3004 Baroque Studies 2

3 credit points. BMus. BMusStudies

Dr K. Nelson (Musicology)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Music History 1 and 2 and any other 2 semesters of Music History. Classes: One 1hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Seminar presentation on essay topic (35%), 2000w essay (55%), class participation (10%).

In this semester study will focus mainly on early 18th-century topics. Topics for student study are negotiated early in the semester taking into account the interests and experience of individual students and will normally include study of major works by outstanding composers of the era. There may be an additional short class project. For further information contact Dr K. Nelson (Musicology).

Textbooks

Palisca C. Baroque music. 3rd ed. Prentice Hall, 1991

# Bassoon Major and Minor

Bassoon is offered at a Major and Minor level of study. The level of study is decided in the audition. At the beginning of the major or minor study each student will be assigned a lecturer with whom they will normally work for the duration of the award. Continuing consultation between lecturer and student, including appraisal of technical and interpretative strengths and weaknesses, will enable regular clarification of specific learning objectives and content. At the beginning of all units included in the major and minor levels of study the lecturer will discuss past achievements and clarify weaknesses with each student, assist them to articulate personal objectives for advancement, recommend suitable content and advise the Chair of Unit. In this context the unit descriptions which follow should be read as a guide to the minimum requirements of the major and minor levels of study in Bassoon.

#### WIND 1002 Bassoon 1 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Classes: 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam or equivalent, minimum one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

### WIND 1019 Bassoon 1 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

**Offered:** February. **Classes:** 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. **Assessment:** 10min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### WIND 1003 Bassoon 2 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Bassoon 1 (Major). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min jury recital, minimum one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

WIND 1020 Bassoon 2 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Bassoon 1 (Minor). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min jury recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

WIND 2002 Bassoon 3 (Major) 6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Bassoon 2 (Major) or audition. Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

WIND 2022 Bassoon 3 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Bassoon 2 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### WIND 2003 Bassoon 4 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Bassoon 3 (Major). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 40min junior recital, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

#### WIND 2023 Bassoon 4 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Bassoon 3 (Minor). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 15-20min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

# WIND 3002 Bassoon 5 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

**Offered:** February. **Prerequisite:** Bassoon 4 (Major). **Classes:** 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. **Assessment:** 20min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

# WIND 3024 Bassoon 5 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

**Offered:** February. **Prerequisite:** Bassoon 4 (Minor). **Classes:** 1hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. **Assessment:** 15-20min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

# WIND 3003 Bassoon 6 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Bassoon 5 (Major). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: Concerto performance with piano accompaniment, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

WIND 3025 Bassoon 6 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

**Offered:** July. **Prerequisite:** Bassoon 5 (Minor). **Classes:** 1hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. **Assessment:** 20-25min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

WIND 4004 Bassoon 7 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Bassoon 6 (Major). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min technical exam, one 6min performance at concert practice, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

#### WIND 4034 Bassoon 7 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

**Offered:** February. **Prerequisite:** Bassoon 6 (Minor). **Classes:** 1hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. **Assessment:** 15 min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### WIND 4005 Bassoon 8 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Bassoon 7 (Major). Classes:'1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 50min senior recital, one 6min performance at concert practice, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

WIND 4035 Bassoon 8 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Bassoon 7 (Minor). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: Exam (100%).

MCGY 3005 Berlioz

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Priest (Musicology)

Offered: July. Classes: One 1 hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Listening test (40%) and either one seminar presentation or one 2500-3000W essay (60%).

In studying major works of Berlioz, the course will focus on Berlioz as a Romantic. His revolutionary approach to orchestration, his blending of genres, his fascination with literature, his expansion of compositional dimensions, and also his relationship to the French tradition and to composers of other nationalities, including Beethoven. Extracts from his Memoirs will be used to illustrate and inform the discussion. For further information contact D. Priest (Musicology).

# Big Band

The Big Band may, at any one time, comprise students enrolled in Big Band 1-8. The music that is studied and performed in Big Band 1-8 covers a wide range of styles from early to contemporary Jazz. Student compositions are specifically encouraged as the ensemble serves as a rehearsal band for student arrangements. Unit content in each semester is based on all aspects of professional and creative ensemble performance, including: reading, improvisation, tone, intonation, articulation, swing, time-feel, style and ensemble interaction. Big Band membership is determined by staff from audition results so that students of similar experience can work together. This ensemble is the premier large ensemble of the Jazz Unit and will give several public performances each year.

NOTE: All Jazz Instrumental majors are required to audition for Big Band. Acceptance depends upon instrumentation balance and student competency. Students who do not gain entry to the Big Band will undertake other specified units. Non-Jazz majors can apply to audition and may be accepted by the Chair of the Jazz Studies Unit.

### JAZZ 1000 Big Band 1

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Classes: One 3hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

Admission is by audition.

JAZZ 1001 Big Band 2

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Big Band 1. Classes: One 3hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%). Admission is by audition.

# JAZZ 2002 Big Band 3

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Big Band 2. Classes: One 3hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%). Admission is by audition.

#### JAZZ 2003 Big Band 4

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Big Band 3. Classes: One 3hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%). Admission is by audition.

#### JAZZ 3002 Big Band 5

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Big Band 4. Classes: One 3hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%). Admission is by audition.

#### Big Band 6 JAZZ 3003

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Big Band 5. Classes: One 3hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%). Admission is by audition.

#### JAZZ 4002 Big Band 7

3 credit points. BMus D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Big Band 6. Classes: One 3hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%). Admission is by audition.

#### JAZZ 4003 Big Band 8

3 credit points. BMus D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Big Band 7. Classes: One 3hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%). Admission is by audition.

# Brass Choir

Brass majors enrolled in BMus, BMus Studies, and DipMus will acquire ensemble skills and knowledge about original and transcribed repertoire for large groups of brass instruments by working in the brass choir. The problems of balance and intonation are dealt with on an ongoing basis through the eight semesters of the course. Students will become progressively more skilled and cognisant of the minute details of fine ensemble playing. Public performances play a large part and students may be required to perform outside of study time.

# BRSS1000 Brass Choir 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

For further information contact the Chair (Brass).

# BRSS 1001 Brass Choir 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Brass Choir 1. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%). For further information contact the Chair (Brass).

#### BRSS 2000 Brass Choir 3

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Brass Choir 2. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%). For further information contact the Chair (Brass).

#### BRSS 2001 Brass Choir 4

3 credit points, BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Brass Choir 3. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%). For further information contact the Chair (Brass).

#### BRSS 3000 Brass Choir 5

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Brass Choir 4. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%). For further information contact the Chair (Brass).

#### BRSS 3001 Brass Choir 6

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Brass Choir 5. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%). For further information contact the Chair (Brass).

# BRSS 4000 Brass Choir 7

3 credit points. BMus

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Brass Choir 6. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. **Assessment:** A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%). For further information contact the Chair (Brass).

#### BRSS 4001 **Brass Choir 8**

3 credit points. BMus R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Brass Choir 7. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%). For further information contact the Chair (Brass).

# PRCN 4000 Business and Management

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus D. Pratt (Percussion)

Offered: July. Classes: One 1 hr lec/wk. Assessment: Assignments to be set at first lecture (100%).

This unit is an introduction to business and management in music. The course is delivered through a series of lectures presented by individuals and organisations in the music industry. Students will receive information about a range of topics including: management, taxation, marketing and promotion, the role of government funding, copyright, agencies, the arts and local government and the role of the Arts Law Centre. (Unit content may vary depending on the Guest Lecturers.) For further information contact the BMus Course Coordinator.

# Cello Ensemble

The Cello Ensemble offers more challenge to advanced cellists than the cello part in most chamber music or orchestral literature. A wide variety of ensemble works will be studied and performed. New pieces are commissioned every year, concerts, broadcasts and tours undertaken. Performing both with and without a conductor and in different positions will improve aural awareness, develop rhythmic control, coordinate pulse, balance, intonation and listening skills. Students will

learn strategies to develop a cohesive ensemble with a refined and glorious cello sound and independent and professional attitude to rehearsal and performance.

STRG 1000 Cello Ensemble 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Pedersen (Strings)

Offered: February. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of ensemble skills demonstrated during weekly rehearsals (100%).

STRG 1001 Cello Ensemble 2

3 credit points, BMus, BMusStudies

G. Pedersen (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Cello Ensemble 1. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of ensemble skills demonstrated during weekly rehearsals (100%).

STRG 2000 Cello Ensemble 3

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Pedersen (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Cello Ensemble 2. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of ensemble skills demonstrated during weekly rehearsals (100%).

STRG 2001 Cello Ensemble 4

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Pedersen (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Cello Ensemble 3. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of ensemble skills demonstrated during weekly rehearsals (100%).

STRG 3000 Cello Ensemble 5

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Pedersen (Strings)

**Offered:** February. **Prerequisite:** Cello Ensemble 4. **Classes:** One 2hr rehearsal/wk. **Assessment:** A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of ensemble skills demonstrated during weekly rehearsals (100%).

STRG 3001 Cello Ensemble 6

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Pedersen (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Cello Ensemble 5. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of ensemble skills demonstrated during weekly rehearsals (100%).

STRG 4000 Cello Ensemble 7

3 credit points. BMus G. Pedersen (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Cello Ensemble 6. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of ensemble skills demonstrated during weekly rehearsals (100%).

STRG 4001 Cello Ensemble 8

3 credit points. BMus

G. Pedersen (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Cello Ensemble 7. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of ensemble skills demonstrated during weekly rehearsals (100%).

# Chamber Music

The Conservatorium aims to establish an environment which recognises the importance of chamber music in our musical heritage and consequently in the optimal development of a complete professional musician. Units have been designed to maintain and enhance the practical role of chamber music as an integral part of all performance award programs. The ability to interact successfully with professional colleagues in an ensemble situation is an essential element in every musician's education. The definition of 'chamber music' in this context is given as any music composed for a small ensemble of from 2 to 8 musicians (inclusive) performing without a conductor. Duo combinations will only be accepted under certain conditions, prescribed by Ensemble Studies Unit

staff. It is important to note that, in accordance with this definition and the outline requirements of all units, participation in other larger ensembles within the Conservatorium will not be regarded as an acceptable alternative to chamber music.

Six units of Chamber Music is compulsory for all Bachelor of Music (Performance) majors (apart from Jazz Studies students) and for all Diploma of Music students. Keyboard majors in each award take the alternative Accompaniment 1 & 2 units before joining Chamber Music in their third semester. Chamber Music is also offered to students who are enrolled in performance as their Principal Study in the Bachelor of Music (Music Education) and Bachelor of Music Studies awards. Students taking major level study in Voice may enrol in Choir or Choral Ensemble in lieu of Chamber Music.

Students will be guided and coached towards developing a knowledgeable and inspired musical interpretation and an accomplished technical expertise in the performance of the great masterpieces of the chamber music repertoire. Works studied will encompass an historical perspective from the Baroque through the Classical and Romantic to the Twentieth Century and contemporary Australian compositions. Regular supervised rehearsals, tutorials, seminar/workshops and occasional master classes will provide students with ensemble skills including an awareness of musical balance, phrasing and intonation, musical values and stylistic traditions, mutual respect, tolerance and cooperation, consultation, interaction and compromise, reciprocal inspiration and group responsibility. Assessment will be made of achievement and attitude in all tutorials (60%) and a final performance (40%). An 80% attendance record at rehearsals, tutorials and seminar/ workshops is a requirement for all students.

# ENSE 1005 Chamber Music 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

**Offered:** February. Classes: Ten 1 hr tutorials plus one 2hr seminar attendance and performance/sem. **Assessment:** A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals, tutorials and seminars (60%) plus one major performance (40%).

Students wishing to enrol in Chamber Music 1 after the second week of semester must have permission from the Chair (Ensemble Studies).

# ENSE 1007 Chamber Music 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: February, July. Prérequisite: Chamber Music 1. Classes: Ten 1hr tutorials plus one 2hr seminar attendance and performance/ sem. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals, tutorials and seminars (60%) plus one major performance (40%). Students wishing to enrol in Chamber Music 2 after the second week of semester must have permission from the Chair (Ensemble Studies).

ENSE 2002 Chamber Music 3

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Chamber Music 2 or Accompaniment 2 (Keyboard Majors). Classes: Ten 1 hr tutorials plus one 2hr seminar attendance and performance/sem. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals, tutorials and seminars (60%) plus one major performance (40%). Students wishing to enrol in Chamber Music 3 after the second week of semester must have permission from the Chair (Ensemble Studies).

ENSE 2004 Chamber Music 4

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Chamber Music 3. Classes: Ten 1 hr tutorials plus one 2hr seminar attendance and performance/sem. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals, tutorials and seminars (60%) plus one major performance (40%).

Students wishing to enrol in Chamber Music 4 after the second week of semester must have permission from the Chair (Ensemble Studies).

ENSE 3004 Chamber Music 5

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: February, July. Prérequisite: Chamber Music 4. Classes: Ten 1 hr tutorials plus one 2hr seminar attendance and performance/ sem. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals, tutorials and seminars (60%) plus one major performance (40%). Students wishing to enrol in Chamber Music 5 after the second week of semester must have permission from the Chair (Ensemble Studies).

ENSE 3005 Chamber Music 6

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: February, July. Prérequisite: Chamber Music 5. Classes: Ten 1 hr tutorials plus one 2hr seminar attendance and performance/ sem. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals, tutorials and seminars (60%) plus one major performance (40%). Students wishing to enrol in Chamber Music 6 after the second week of semester must have permission from the Chair (Ensemble Studies).

ENSE 4006 Chamber Music 7

3 credit points. BMus

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Chamber Music 6. Classes: Ten 1hr tutorials plus one 2hr seminar attendance and performance/ sem. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals, tutorials and seminars (60%) plus one major performance (40%). Students wishing to enrol in Chamber Music 7 after the second week of semester must have permission from the Chair (Ensemble Studies).

#### ENSE 4007 Chamber Music 8

3 credit points. BMus

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Chamber Music 7. Classes: Ten 1 hr tutorials plus one 2hr seminar attendance and performance/sem. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals, tutorials and seminars (60%) plus one major performance (40%). Students wishing to enrol in Chamber Music 8 after the second week of semester must have permission from the Chair (Ensemble Studies).

# Chamber Orchestra

As is a standard practice in many Conservatoires in Australia and abroad, this ensemble mixes all years of all awards into a composite class. First year students work side by side with their colleagues in other years and learn the necessary skills of orchestral performance in the same way as younger, less experienced musicians do in first class ensembles in the professional music world. Chamber Orchestra is available as a performance elective to all string, brass and woodwind students in the BMus, BMus Studies and DipMus courses. Positions in the Chamber Orchestra are auditioned at the beginning of each year according to repertoire requirements.

Skills to be studied include intonation, ensemble skills (playing together precisely and rhythmically), interpreting the gestures, mannerisms and wishes of the conductor, tone control as well as the ethics and correct behaviour expected of a member of an ensemble. The repertoire for this ensemble is enormous and covers a wide range of styles ranging from early baroque works through to contemporary scores requiring new performance techniques. The units Chamber Orchestra 1-8 endeavour to give students a picture of these styles over a cycle of four years. During that time, progressive assessment will be made regularly by the ensemble director and/or visiting conductors and improvement and greater understanding of the technique, styles and skills outlined earlier will be expected. Students can expect to take part in public performance.

Assessment is based on aspects of participation in the ensemble and will be made by the conductor. These aspects will be: level of preparation, performance in the ensemble, commitment, concentration, ability and teamwork.

For futher information contact the Principal. For organisational matters contact the Ensembles Coordinator.

ENSE 1009 Chamber Orchestra 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

Offered: February, July. Classes: An average 2hrs/wk plus performances. Assessment: See Chamber Orchestra.

ENSE 1010 Chamber Orchestra 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Chamber Orchestra 1. Classes: An average 2hrs/wk plus performances. Assessment:

See Chamber Orchestra.

ENSE 2006 Chamber Orchestra 3 3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Chamber Orchestra 2. Classes: An average 2hrs/wk plus performances. Assessment: See Chamber Orchestra.

ENSE 2007 Chamber Orchestra 4

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Chamber Orchestra 3. Classes: An average 2hrs/wk plus performances. Assessment: See Chamber Orchestra.

ENSE 3006 Chamber Orchestra 5

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Chamber Orchestra 4. Classes: An average 2hrs/wk plus performances. Assessment: See Chamber Orchestra.

ENSE 3015 Chamber Orchestra 6

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Chamber Orchestra 5. Classes: An average 2hrs/wk plus performances. Assessment: See Chamber Orchestra.

ENSE 4016 Chamber Orchestra 7

3 credit points. BMus

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Chamber Orchestra 6. Classes: An average 2hrs/wk plus performances. Assessment: See Chamber Orchestra.

ENSE 4019 Chamber Orchestra 8

3 credit points. BMus

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Chamber Orchestra 7. Classes: An average 2hrs/wk plus performances. Assessment: See Chamber Orchestra.

#### Choir

To familiarise students with large-scale choral repertoire and to provide the opportunity for regular performances. Rehearsals and performances of oratorios and other large-scale choral works will usually include working with a symphony orchestra. This sequence of units is compulsory for music education majors who are not involved in another large ensemble. Students are required to adhere to professional modes of conduct and for this reason punctuality and disciplined behaviour will be taken into account in assessment.

ENSE 1015 Choir 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus N. McEwan

Offered: February. Classes: 2hrs of rehearsals/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

ENSE 1019 Choir 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

N. McEwan

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Choir 1. Classes: 2hrs of rehearsals/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

ENSE 2008 Choir 3

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

N. McEwan

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Choir 2. Classes: 2hrs of rehearsals/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

ENSE 2012 Choir 4

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

N. McFwan

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Choir 3. Classes: 2hrs of rehearsals/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

# Choral Ensemble

To familiarise students with a variety of choral ensemble repertoire including cantatas, oratorios, and choral music from Renaissance and Classical periods. Rehearsals and performances will take into account performance practices of various historic periods and may include early instrumental ensembles. Students are required to adhere to professional modes of conduct and for this reason punctuality and disciplined behaviour will be taken into account in assessment.

ENSE 1002 Choral Ensemble 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

N. McEwan

Offered: February, July. Classes: 2hrs of rehearsals/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

ENSE 2003 Choral Ensemble 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

N. McEwan (Music Education)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Choral Ensemble 1. Classes: 2hrs of rehearsals/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

ENSE 3016 Choral Ensemble 3

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

N McEwan

**Offered:** February, July. **Prerequisite:** Choral Ensemble 2. **Classes:** 2hrs of rehearsals/wk. **Assessment:** A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

ENSE 4020 Choral Ensemble 4

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

N. McEwan

**Offered:** February, July. **Prerequisite:** Choral Ensemble 3. **Classes:** 2hrs of rehearsals/wk. **Assessment:** A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

# Clarinet Major and Minor

Clarinet is offered at a Major and Minor level of study. The level of study is decided in the audition. At the beginning of the major or minor study each student will be assigned a lecturer with whom they will normally work for the duration of the award. Continuing consultation between lecturer and student, including appraisal of technical and interpretative strengths and weaknesses, will enable regular clarification of specific learning objectives and content. At the beginning of all units included in the major and minor levels of study the lecturer will discuss past achievements and clarify weaknesses with each student, assist them to articulate personal objectives for advancement, recommend suitable content and advise the Chair of Unit. In this context the unit descriptions which follow should be read as a guide to the minimum requirements of the major and minor levels of study in clarinet.

WIND 1004 Clarinet 1 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson; 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam or equivalent, minimum one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

WIND 1021 Clarinet 1 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

**Offered:** February. **Classes:** 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. **Assessment:** 10min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

WIND 1005 Clarinet 2 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Clarinet 1 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson plus one 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min jury recital, minimum one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

WIND 1022 Clarinet 2 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Clarinet 1 (Minor). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min jury recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### WIND 2004 Clarinet 3 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Clarinet 2 (Major) or audition. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson plus one 2hr concert practice/ wk. Assessment: 20min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

# WIND 2024 Clarinet 3 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

**Offered:** February. **Prerequisite:** Clarinet 2 (Minor). **Classes:** 1hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. **Assessment:** 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### WIND 2005 Clarinet 4 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Clarinet 3 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson plus one 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 40min junior recital, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

# WIND 2025 Clarinet 4 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

**Offered:** July. **Prerequisite:** Clarinet 3 (Minor). **Classes:** 1hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. **Assessment:** 15-20min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

WIND 3004 Clarinet 5 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Clarinet 4 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson plus one 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min technical exam, two 6min concert practice

**Assessment:** 20min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

WIND 3026 Clarinet 5 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

**Offered:** February. **Prerequisite:** Clarinet 4 (Minor). **Classes:** 1hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. **Assessment:** 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

WIND 3005 Clarinet 6 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Clarinet 5 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson plus one 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: Concerto performance with piano accompaniment, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

# WIND 3027 Clarinet 6 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Clarinet 5 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 20-25min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

# WIND 4008 Clarinet 7 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Clarinet 6 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson plus one 2hr concert practice/wk.

Assessment: 20min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

#### WIND 4036 Clarinet 7 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Clarinet 6 (Minor). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

# WIND 4009 Clarinet 8 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Clarinet 7 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson plus one 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 50min senior recital, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

#### WIND 4037 Clarinet 8 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Clarinet 7 (Minor). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: Exam

# MCGY2006Classical Studies

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

Associate Professor P. McCallum (Musicology)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Music History 3. Classes: One 1hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Seminar presentation (30%), 2000w approx. final essay (40%), listening test (30%).

The unit exists to enable students to explore topics which will deepen and extend their understanding of the music of a highly significant style and repertoire, the Viennese style, c. 1770-1827. Students will become acquainted with significant repertoire, research one topic in depth, and become acquainted with several topics through the research of others, and read and absorb a selection of critical comment on the classical era. Specific topics will be negotiated during the first meeting depending in part on the scholarly and instrumental specialities of the students taking the course. Topics may focus on the origins and development of 18th century classicism with particular reference to Haydn and Mozart. For further information contact Associate Professor P. McCallum (Musicology).

# Composer Performer Workshop

The Composer Performer Workshop provides both composers and performers with the opportunity to work together in the performance of new and experimental compositions. Student performers are encouraged to explore new instrumental techniques and combinations and to gain experience in performing the music of their contemporaries. Composers have the opportunity to try out ideas, compose for a variety of ensembles, direct and conduct their works and gain experience in working with performers. Moreover, composers gain experience in concert production and management. Performers are allocated to ensembles according to either pre-existing works by the composers or to ensembles for which new works will be composed. Under the supervision of staff composers, student Compositions are rehearsed, workshopped and, where appropriate, publicly performed.

Assessment

For composers:

- submission, at the end of week 4, of 'work in progress' score(s) and a short paper (min. 250 w) on the style and idea of the piece and any projected ideas on workshopping activities plus a discussion of any research ideas (25%);
- submission, at the end of week 8, of 'work in progress' score(s) together with a short paper including a report on the research done and progress of tile work in relation to earlier projections (25%);
- CPW concert, submission of program note(s) and 2 copies of each score to be played (50%). The final mark will be influenced by composer's approaches in the workshops. A certain degree of 'professionalism' should be displayed at workshops including conducting rehearsals and backing up ideas with research.

For performers:

- professional approach in workshops to include presentation or assistance to composers of research pertinent to each player's instrument and an openness to experimentation with various performance techniques (40%);
- performance at the CPW concert(s) (60%).

#### CMPN 3000 Composer Performer Workshop 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

M. Smetanin (Composition)

Offered: February, July. Classes: One 2hr workshop/wk. Assessment: Please refer to the preamble for Composer Performer

Please see the description under Composer Performer Workshop. For further information contact M. Smetanin (Composition).

# CMPN 3001 Composer Performer Workshop 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

M. Smetanin (Composition)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Composer Performer Workshop 1. Classes: One 2hr workshop/wk. Assessment: Please refer to Composer Performer Workshop.

Please see the description under Composer Performer Workshop. For further information contact M. Smetanin (Composition).

## CMPN 4000 Composer Performer Workshop 3

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Smetanin (Composition)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Composer Performer Workshop 2. Classes: One 2hr workshop/wk. Assessment: Please refer to Composer Performer Workshop.

Please see the description under Composer Performer Workshop. For further information contact M. Smetanin (Composi-

# CMPN 4001 Composer Performer Workshop 4

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Smetanin (Composition)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Composer Performer Workshop 3. Classes: One 2hr workshop/wk. Assessment: Please refer to Composer Performer Workshop.

Please see the description under Composer Performer Workshop. For further information contact M. Smetanin (Composi-

# Composition Major and Honours

For students commencing in 2001, Composition is offered at a Major level of study only. A student completing study at the Major level will have received, or will be able to receive, his or her first public performance and will be equipped to undertake work at a professional level. Emphasis will, at all stages, be placed on original work. Assessment will be conducted at the end of each semester by a panel of lecturers chaired by the Chair of Composition. Students will be required to present clear original MS scores and/or tapes and/or visual media and/or give demonstrations of electronic pieces as appropriate. Students may apply for admission to the Honours program during the fourth semester of study. In addition to the formal prerequisites for the Composition (Honours) 5 unit of study, candidates must also have completed 6 credit points in

History and Analysis of Music as set out in the Table of Courses (Table 5.27).

The unit descriptions which follow should be read as a guide to the minimum requirements of the Honours and Major study in composition.

#### CMPN 1005 Composition 1 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr B. Kos (Composition)

Offered: February. Corequisite: Compositional Techniques and Analysis 1. Classes: One 3hr class/wk. Assessment: Portfolio of compositions (100%).

The aim of the unit is to prepare first year students from a wide range of backgrounds to participate effectively in the cross-year project groups of semesters 3-8. Both semesters focus on, and encourage, the creative work of students which is frequently used as a starting point to introduce appropriate topics such as notational problems or aspects of structure. All instrumental groups are covered during the year, as is writing for voice, choir, harp and piano, so that students should have the ability to write for any instrument by the end of the year. Students are generally encouraged to write several short works for a variety of solo or small ensemble forces which may be played in the Composer/Performer Workshop. Aspects of pitch, rhythm, counterpoint, notation, instrumentation and structure are considered both in the abstract and in relation to a wider variety of 20th century music. For further information contact Dr B. Kos (Composition).

# CMPN 1006 Composition 2 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr B. Kos (Composition)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Composition 1 (Major). Corequisite: Compositional Techniques and Analysis 2. Classes: One 3hr class/wk. Assessment: Portfolio of compositions (100%).

Students will compose a series of short pieces under staff supervision. The experience will provide appropriate skills and knowledge for students to compose music for all instruments and voices. A wide range of 20th century techniques and formal problems will be considered. For further information contact Dr B. Kos (Composition).

# CMPN 2003 Composition 3 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr B. Kos (Composition)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Composition 2 (Major).

Corequisite: Compositional Techniques and Analysis 3, Electronic Music 1. Classes: One 3hr class/wk. Assessment: Portfolio of compositions (100%).

Small classes will be taught by composition staff and, where available, guest composers. Every semester each lecturer will offer a number of composition options, including those listed below. Students enrolled in Composition 3-8 (Major) will be required to choose one option offered by a different lecturer each semester. Composition options to be included are:

- mixed ensemble
- · radiophonic composition
- · vocal and/or choral music
- · electronic media
- orchestra
- specially constructed performance systems
- · string quartet
- · chamber orchestra
- · audio visual systems
- · works for solo instrument
- film and/or video
- chamber opera
- music theatre.

For further information contact Dr B. Kos (Composition)

# CMPN 2004 Composition 4 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr B. Kos (Composition)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Composition 3 (Major). Corequisite: Compositional Techniques and Analysis 4, Electronic Music 2.

Classes: One 3hr class/wk. Assessment: Portfolio of compositions (100%).

Please refer to Composition 3. For further information contact Dr B. Kos (Composition).

# CMPN 3005 Composition 5 (Honours)

6 credit points. BMus

Dr B. Kos (Composition)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Composition 4 (Major), Harmony and Analysis 4, Aural Perception 4, Australian Music Research 2, Electronic Music 2, Historical and Cultural Studies 2. Corequisite: Compositional Techniques and Analysis 5, Electronic Music 3. Classes: One 3hr class/wk. Assessment: Portfolio of Compositions

Course details are available from the Chair (Composition).

### CMPN 3004 Composition 5 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus. BMusStudies

Dr B. Kos (Composition)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Composition 4 (Major).

**Corequisite:** Compositional Techniques and Analysis 5 Electronic Music 3. **Classes:** One 3hr class/wk. **Assessment:** Portfolio of compositions (100%).

Please refer to Composition 3 (Major). For further information contact Dr B. Kos (Composition).

# CMPN 3007 Composition 6 (Honours)

6 credit points. BMus

Dr B. Kos (Composition)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Composition 5 (Honours). Corequisite: Compositional Techniques and Analysis 6 Electronic Music 4. Classes: One 3hr class/wk. Assessment: Portfolio of Compositions

(100%). Composition 6 (Honours) course details are available from the Chair (Composition).

#### CMPN 3006 Composition 6 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr B. Kos (Composition)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Composition 5 (Major). Corequisite:

Compositional Techniques and Analysis 6 Electronic Music 4.

Classes: One 3hr class/wk. Assessment: Portfolio of compositions (100%).

Please refer to Composition 3 (Major). For further information contact Dr B. Kos (Composition).

# CMPN 4005 Composition 7 (Honours)

6 credit points. BMus

Dr B. Kos (Composition)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Composition 6 (Honours). Corequisite: Electronic Music 5. Classes: One 3hr class/wk.

Assessment: Portfolio of compositions (100%).

Composition 7 (Honours) course details are available from the Chair (Composition).

# CMPN 4004 Composition 7 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

Dr B. Kos (Composition)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Composition 6 (Major). Corequisite: Electronic Music 5. Classes: One 3hr class/wk.

Assessment: Portfolio of compositions (100%).

Please refer to Composition 3. For further information contact Dr B. Kos (Composition).

# CMPN 4007 Composition 8 (Honours)

6 credit points. BMus

Dr B. Kos (Composition)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Composition 7 (Honours). Corequisite: Electronic Music 6. Classes: One 3hr class/wk. Assessment: A major work, or folio of works, and a minor thesis (minimum 5000w) on an approved topic; the composition(s) will be assessed by a panel of at least four members of the Composition Unit chaired by the Unit Chair (or his/her nominee); the minor thesis will be assessed by a panel of at least two members of the Composition Unit.

Composition 8 (Honours) course details are available from the Chair (Composition).

# CMPN 4006 Composition 8 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

Dr B. Kos (Composition)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Composition 7 (Major). Corequisite: Electronic Music 6. Classes: One 3hr class/wk. Assessment: Portfolio of compositions (100%).

Please refer to Composition 3. For further information contact Dr B. Kos (Composition).

# CMPN 1011 Compositional Techniques and Analysis 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

J. Wells (Composition)

Offered: February. Corequisite: Composition 1 (Major). Classes: One 2hr lec/wk. Assessment: Assignments, take home exam (100%).

Studies will fall primarily into the following areas:

- Overview of music and composition in the 20th century. The aim is to introduce students to a range of compositional styles, concepts and developments in the period ranging from the late 19th century to the present.
- 2. Concepts of notation. This component includes an historical overview of the development of musical notation and will also focus on changing practices in the 20th century additions and modifications to traditional notation, time/space and aleatoric notation, musical graphics, notation of electronic music etc, and the ideas which underlie the techniques covered.
- Aspects of pitch rhythm and form: an introduction to concepts relating to the way musical/sound material is organised ranging from traditional to more contemporary approaches.
- 4. Introduction to orchestration. Students will look at the development of the orchestra and will examine techniques of orchestration up to, and including, works from the early 20th century repertoire.

# CMPN 1012 Compositional Techniques and Analysis 2

3 credit points. BMus. BMusStudies

J Wells (Composition)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Compositional Techniques and Analysis 1. Corequisite: Composition 2 (Major). Classes: One 2hr lec/wk. Assessment: Assignments (40%), take home exam (60%). Brief survey of major developments in 20th century composition. Basic vocabulary of early 20th century composition:

- modes (ecclesiastic modes, synthetic modes), pentatonic and hexatonic scales;
- symmetrical pitch constructions (equal subUnit of octave, symmetrical pitch collections);
- Messiaen's modes of limited transposition;
- importance of Golden Section and Fibonacci series in pitch organisation of Bartok;
- · intervallic cells;
- basic atonal theory including the pitch-class set theory; and
- · dodecaphony.

Works by the following composers to be investigated: Debussy, Stravinsky, Bartok, Messiaen, Varese, Schoenberg, Berg, Weber, Crumb. Rhythmic practices and innovations of Stravinsky, Messiaen and early serialists. Study of 'retorical' [sic] dramatic and tonal aspects of classical forms, with particular emphasis on musical syntax in works by Mozart and Beethoven. Isorhythmic techniques of Machaut and his contemporaries.

# CMPN 2011 Compositional Techniques and Analysis 3

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

DrT. Pearce (Composition)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Compositional Techniques and Analysis 2. Corequisite: Composition 3 (Major). Classes: One 2hr lec/wk. Assessment: Class exercises, assignments (40%); take home exam (60%).

A major component of the unit is the study of variation technique as a compositional principle. Works from various historical periods are analysed in-so-far as they relate to variational patterns and cycles. Techniques of linear elaboration in both solo and multi-voiced composition: contrapuntal techniques, processes of prolongation and contraction. The unit provides an historical and analytical overview of the development of the orchestra up until the early 20th century. The orchestral style of composers such as Mozart, Beethoven, Berlioz, Mahler, Debussy, Stravinsky and Ives. Concepts of timbre and texture are introduced by the study of works by various composers and processes of klangfarben construction are examined in works such as Schoenberg's Orchestral Pieces Op. 16 and Webern's Five Pieces for Orchestra Op. 10.

#### CMPN 2012 Compositional Techniques and Analysis 4

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies M. Smetanin (Composition)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Compositional Techniques and Analysis 3. Corequisite: Composition 4 (Major). Classes: One 2hr lec/wk. Assessment: Class exercises, assignments (40%); take home exam (60%).

Isomorphic pitch relationships in 20th century 'atonal' music and how do such relationships affect the formal/structural principles (including musical shapes, texture, timbral organisation and orchestration) in works of various composers. Investigation of twelve-tone music as a permutational system, including the consequences of such a system. Some aspects of 20th century rhythmic organisation. Origins and elements of jazz—tracing the development of elements of jazz (such as rhythm, pitch materials, timbre, improvisation, orchestration and formal structuring) from their African origins through various stylist periods.

# CMPN 3012 Compositional Techniques and Analysis 5

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Smetanin (Composition)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Compositional Techniques and Analysis 4. Corequisite: Composition 5 (Major). Classes: One 2hr lec/wk. Assessment: Class exercises, assignments (40%); take home exam (60%).

This unit covers a range of compositional styles primarily from the 20th century. Through the study and analysis of specific works, students examine aspects of composition such as form, the organisation of pitch and rhythm as well as techniques of textural and timbral organisation. In the orchestration component of the unit techniques such as layering, blending and masking are studied in relation to works primarily from the later 20th century repertoire. The unit also covers extended instrumental techniques developed in the 20th century. The unit also focuses on developmental procedures which extend a compositional idea over longer time spans: processes of elaboration, transformation, juxtaposition or interpolation of musical material. A further component of the unit centres on the use of text, timbral aspects of text, text as metaphor, the integration of text within the musical conception and intertextuality.

### CMPN 3013 Compositional Techniques and Analysis 6

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

DrT. Pearce (Composition)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Compositional Techniques and Analysis 5. Corequisite: Composition 6 (Major). Classes: One 2hr lec/wk. Assessment: Class exercises, assignments (40%); take home exam (60%).

Investigation of diverse structural and formal aspects of music written primarily in the second half of the 20th century. Works of many composers from this period will be analysed in some detail with respect to organisation of pitch, rhythm, harmony (vertical pitch organisation), timbre, texture, syntax, orchestration, transformational processes and formal problems. Investigation of influences of various transformational and structural processes, originally developed in electronic/computer music, on orchestration, structure and transformational processes of instrumental music. Some emphasis will also be given to class discussion on aesthetics and philosophical backgrounds of various stylistic trends and compositional approaches in the 20th century.

# CMPN 2016 Computer Music Synthesis - Introductory

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies Dr G. Schiemer (Composition)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr lecture and one 1 hr tutorial/wk. Assessment: 4 composition assignments (25% each).

The advent of powerful personal computers with fast high capacity disk-drives has brought with it a renewal of interest in music synthesis by software. Computer music synthesis software and hardware owes much to Music 4, the computer music synthesis language designed at Bell Labs in the 1960s by Max Matthews. Music 4 is a model for many composers who have

developed languages of their own. Csound - a music synthesis program written by composer Barry Vercoe - is an aggregation of the best features of these languages. The instrumental resources available in Csound software include not only sounds found in MIDI synthesisers but a vast range of software instruments which are not available as hardware. Unlike hardware synthesisers, new Csound instruments are accessed as public domain software that runs on a variety of personal computer platforms. Continued improvement in generic computer hardware is rapidly leading to a situation where composers and performers can use live performance information (MIDI) to control these Csound instruments. Csound has been adopted as a de facto standard by developers of new musical applications which involve non-standard tunings, multimedia, virtual reality caves, psycho-acoustics, 3-D audio and new modes of interactive performance. In this elective, the basics of music synthesis are introduced using Csound. The student is given a 40-year overview of musical development in this area as well as learning how to edit, convert and play a Csound score and orchestra file. Limited places subject to availability of terminals; for further information contact Dr G. Schiemer (Composition). **Textbooks** 

Dodge C, Jerse T. Computer music. New York, 1985 Vercoe B. Csound user's guide. New Jersey, 1991

### CMPN 2015 Computer Music Synthesis - Advanced

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies Dr G. Schiemer (Composition)

Offered: July. Classes: One 2hr lecture/seminar per wk.
Assessment: Small composition assignment (30%) and large composition (70%).

This elective extends the capabilities of Csound introductory study in CMPN 2016. The student goes on to investigate the use of Csound in a number of related areas. MIDI files are used to control production of Csound, and, through Cscore and C language, programming associated with algorithmic composition is introduced. Csound is also used in this elective for the control of 3-D audio. Limited places subject to availability of terminals.

Dodge C, Jerse T. Computer music. New York, 1985 Vercoe B. Csound user's guide. New Jersey, 1991

# PERF 3000 Conducting 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus H Pisarek

Offered: February. Classes: One Ihrprac workshop/wk. Assessment: Conducting/performance exam (50%), technical test (50%), 15min total duration.

Introduction to basic conducting technique: beating in simple, compound and asymmetric metres; preparatory beats, upbeats, dynamics and changes of tempo. Elementary score reading and instruction in rehearsal techniques. Understanding the difference between orchestral and choral conducting. For further information contact BMus Course Coordinator.

# PERF 3001 Conducting 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus H. Pisarek

**Offered:** July. **Prerequisite:** Conducting 1. **Classes:** One 1 hr prac workshop/wk. **Assessment:** Rehearsal exam with the ensemble (50%), performance of two short works (50%), 30min total duration. Further development of conducting techniques with emphasis on communication of ideas and expressions through gesture. Score preparation. Discussion of rehearsal techniques and practical exercises with available ensembles. For further information contact BMus Course Coordinator.

# PERF 4000 Conducting 3

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies H. Pisarek

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Conducting 2. Classes: One 1hr prac workshop/wk. Assessment: Exam: performance of two selected works (80%); viva voce exam (20%); 30min total duration. Consolidation of stick and rehearsal techniques with emphasis on gesture and its expression in accordance with the score. Study of styles and interpretation of classical and romantic composers based on scores, recordings and the performance of works in

class. For further information contact BMus Course Coordinator

#### PERF 4001 Conducting 4

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

H. Pisarek

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Conducting 3. Classes: One 1 hr prac workshop/wk. Assessment: Exam: performance of two selected works (80%); viva voce exam (20%); 30min total duration. Expanding the repertoire through study of works by 19th and 20th century composers. Instructions in conducting opera, ballet and accompanying soloists. Developing skills of conducting and performing contemporary music. For further information contact BMus Course Coordinator.

#### MCGY 3007 Contemporary Studies 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Pi. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: None, but Music History 6 recommended. Classes: One 1 hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Written assignment (100%).

This course concentrates on modernist and post-modernist music composed in the 1980s and 90s, though earlier works will also be discussed. Whereas Music History 6 deals with the general historical trends across national boundaries, much of Contemporary Studies 1 focuses on particular countries, and the existence (or not) of particular national styles and outlooks, e.g. in France (Messiaen, Boulez, Grisey, Murail, Xenakis); Germany (Stockhausen, Henze, Kagel, Lachenmann, Rihm), as well as their influence on other countries. In addition, the seminar looks at broad issues such as the impact of technology, the social function of art, and gender. For further information contact R. Toop (Musicology).

# MCGY 3008 Contemporary Studies 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: None, but Music History 6 or

Contemporary Studies 1 recommended. Classes: One 1 hr seminar/ wk. **Assessment:** Written assignment (100%).

Contemporary Studies 2 concentrates on discussion and analysis of specific recent works. Some of these will be by established major composers, others by younger composers, or 'marginal' figures of particular interest (e.g. Lucier, Radulescu). Works will include: Louis Andriessen: De Materie (1988); Richard Barrett: Vanity (1994); John Cage: various 'number pieces' (up to 1992); Morton Feldman: Coptic Light (1986); Mauricio Kagel: Compass Pieces (1988-94); Oliver Messiaen: Un vitrail et des oiseaux (1986); Karlheinz Stockhausen: Freitag aus LICHT (1996); Iannis Xenakis: Keqrops (1986). For further information contact R. Toop (Musicology).

# MCGY 3006 Debussy 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Ms D. Priest (Musicology)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Music History 4. Classes: 1 hr seminar/ week. Assessment: Listening test (30%), seminar contribution (20%) and one 2500w essay (50%).

The unit covers the musical scene in Paris, the literature and painting which so fascinated Debussy, his aesthetic, his musical language, and questions of performance practice. Works to be studied include the Prelude a l'Apres-midi d'un faune, Pelleas et Melisande, La mer, and representative examples of the piano works, songs and chamber music. For further details see Ms D. Priest (Musicology).

# VSAO 1008 Diction for Singers 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipOp N. Dorigo

**Offered:** February. Classes: One 2hr workshop/wk. **Assessment:** Continuous during semester (40%), oral and written exam end of semester (50%), repertoire book of translations (10%).

An intensive unit in the major languages of singing: Italian, German, French. Students are required to undertake study in lyric diction, with emphasis on the International Phonetic Alphabet (IPA). For further information contact the Chair (Vocal Studies).

VSAO 1009 Diction for Singers 2 3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipOp N. Dorigo

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Diction for Singers 1. Classes: One 2hr workshop/wk. Assessment: Continuous during semester (40%), oral and written exam end of semester (50%), repertoire book of translations (10%).

Consolidation of IPA with rules of pronunciation and diction. For further information contact the Chair (Vocal Studies).

# Double Bass Major and Minor

Double Bass is offered at a Major and Minor level of study. The level of study is decided in the audition. At the beginning of the major or minor level of study each student will be assigned a lecturer with whom they will normally work for the duration of the award. Continuing consultation between lecturer and student, including appraisal of technical and interpretative strengths and weaknesses, will enable regular clarification of specific learning objectives and content. At the beginning of all units included in the major and minor level of study the lecturer will discuss past achievements and clarify weaknesses with each student, assist them to articulate personal objectives for advancement and recommend suitable content.

STRG 1002 Double Bass 1 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam or equivalent, minimum one 6min concert practice performance (100%).

STRG 1011 Double Bass 1 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 10min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

STRG 1003 Double Bass 2 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Double Bass 1 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min jury recital, minimum one 6min concert practice performance (100%).

STRG 1012 Double Bass 2 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Double Bass 1 (Minor). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min recital program, one concert practice performance (100%).

STRG 2002 Double Bass 3 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Double Bass 2 (Major) or audition. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

STRG 2010 Double Bass 3 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Double Bass 2 (Minor). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 15min exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

STRG 2003 Double Bass 4 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

**Offered:** July. **Prerequisite:** Double Bass 3 (Major). **Classes:** One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. **Assessment:** 40min junior recital, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

STRG 2011 Double Bass 4 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Double Bass 3 (Minor). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 15min exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

STRG 3002 Double Bass 5 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Double Bass 4 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

#### STRG 3014 Double Bass 5 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Double Bass 4 (Minor). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

# STRG 3003 Double Bass 6 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Double Bass 5 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: Concerto exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

# STRG 3015 Double Bass 6 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Double Bass 5 (Minor). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 20min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### STRG 4002 Double Bass 7 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Double Bass 6 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min technical exam, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

# STRG 4012 Double Bass 7 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

G. Richter (Strings)

**Offered:** February. **Prerequisite:** Double Bass 6 (Minor). **Classes:** One 1hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. **Assessment:** 20min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

STRG 4004 Double Bass 8 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Double Bass 7 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 50min senior recital, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

# STRG 4013 Double Bass 8 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Double Bass 7 (Minor). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 20min exam, one concert practice performance.

# Early Music Seminar

Early Music Seminar is a seminar-style class devoted to preparing and presenting material relating to the candidate's Principal Study. Aspects for study will include relevant repertoire, performance practice and/or technology. The objective of the seminar is to use research to support performance. It will require both relevant performance and written work. Individual projects will be discussed and approved to ensure maximum relevance to each student enrolled in this course. Assessment will be by individual project. It is open to any student in any undergraduate course at the Conservatorium with approval from their Course Coordinators.

Assessment is based on attendance and involvement and delivery of a short paper/presentation to the class and

submission of an essay on this topic (graded). This consists of an investigation of a selected source treatise on music, normally historical and relating to the student's own principal study, discussed with and approved by the lecturer in charge of the unit. The presentation normally includes a lecture and demonstration/performance on the student's chosen instrument/voice. Candidates select new topics each semester.

ORGN 1002 Early Music Seminar 1 3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus J. Hanic (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: February. Classes: 2hrs/wk. Assessment: See Early

Music Seminar.

This unit of study is open to all Conservatorium students, including those who perform early music on modern instruments, or who simply seek to test and extend their general musical knowledge/experience in this manner, irrespective of principal study or its normally associated musical epoch. This semester deals with musical performance practice of early music. Enrolled students are required to attend the Seminar and perform/present work as required.

Textbooks

Various sources appropriate to the candidate's instrument and project will be suggested.

ORGN 1003 Early Music Seminar 2 3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

J. Hanic (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Early Music Seminar 1. Classes: 2hrs/wk. Assessment: See Early Music Seminar.

This unit deals with musical performance practice of early music. Enrolled students are required to attend the Seminar and perform/present work as required.

Textbooks

Various sources appropriate to the candidate's instrument and project will be suggested.

ORGN 2013 Early Music Seminar 3

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

J. Hanic (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Early Music Seminar 2. Classes: 2hrs/wk. Assessment: See Early Music Seminar.

This semester deals with musical performance practice of early music. Enrolled students are required to attend the Seminar and perform/present work as required.

Textbooks

Various sources appropriate to the candidate's instrument and project will be suggested.

ORGN 2014 Early Music Seminar 4 3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

J. Hanic (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Early Music Seminar 3. Classes: 2hrs/wk. Assessment: See Early Music Seminar.

This semester deals with musical performance practice of early music. Enrolled students are required to attend the Seminar and perform/present work as required.

Textbooks

Various sources appropriate to the candidate's instrument and project will be suggested.

ORGN 3013 Early Music Seminar 5

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

J. Hanic (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Early Music Seminar 4. Classes: 2hrs/wk. Assessment: See Early Music Seminar.

This semester deals with musical performance practice of early music. Enrolled students are required to attend the Seminar and perform/present work as required.

Textbooks

Various sources appropriate to the candidate's instrument and project will be suggested.

ORGN 3014 Early Music Seminar 6

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

J. Hanic (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Early Music Seminar 5. Classes: 2hrs/wk. Assessment: See Early Music Seminar.

This semester deals with musical performance practice of early music. Enrolled students are required to attend the Seminar and perform/present work as required.

. Textbooks

Various sources appropriate to the candidate's instrument and project will be suggested.

GENS 1000 Education 1: Introduction to Teaching 3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies Dr R. Gilbert (General Studies)

Offered: February. Classes: 1 hr lec and tut or teaching experience/ wk. Assessment: Essay 500w (20%), Teaching Handbook (20%). Preparation and critique of teaching (30%), Examination (30%). The purpose of this unit is to introduce students to the study of education through an examination of the purposes of schooling, a study of the developing child, and the development of some basic teaching skills. A course of lectures and seminars will be supplemented by microteaching experiences at Fort St Public School. The cognitive and learning models of development will be introduced to students as a background to their study of teaching. Subsequently students will observe, analyse and practise some basic teaching and lesson components, namely, introductions, conclusions, questioning, reinforcement and variability. Students not enrolled in BMus(Music Education) are required to meet with the Course Coordinator before enrolling in this unit. For further information contact Dr R. Gilbert (General Studies).

Barry K, King L. Beginning teaching. 3rd ed. Australia: Social Science Press, 1998

GENS 1001 Education 2: Educational Psychology 3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr R. Brooker (General Studies)

Offered: July. Classes: One 1 hr lec and one 1 hr tut/wk.

**Assessment:** Two short seminar presentations (2 x 15%), one 1500w essay (40%), and a series of tests (30%).

A unit which introduces students to the various applications of psychology in human learning processes through an understanding of major theoretical approaches and current research developments. The origins and development of behaviourism, cognitivism and humanism in educational psychology will be reviewed and related to teaching methods and practices, and to the specific issues of motivation and the transfer of learning. Each approach will be examined for its relevance to the different types of learning evident in music education. The classroom teaching skills which facilitate each type of learning will be identified and practised. Finally, the integral role of measurement and evaluation in providing feedback development of successful teaching and learning will be highlighted. Students not enrolled in BMus(Music Education) are required to meet with the Course Coordinator before enrolling in this unit. For further information contact Dr R. Brooker (General Studies). **Textbooks** 

Maltby F, Gage NL, Berliner DC. Educational psychology. 5th ed. Houghton Mifflin, 1996

GENS 2000 Education 3: Developmental Psychology 3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr R. Brooker (General Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisité: Education 2. Classes: One 1 hr lec and one 1hr tut/wk. Assessment: One seminar presentation (30%), one 1500w essay, research report or case study (40%), and several short examinations (30%).

A unit designed to provide students with knowledge, understanding, and skills related to the developing needs of adolescents within the contexts of the human life span and secondary school education. It focuses on the developmental tasks of adolescence and the various interacting forces that influence adolescents' motivations, achievements, and adjustments. It provides an awareness of the changing roles of adolescents in Australian society and of the individual differences that exist in these roles. Specific references to the interaction of developmental psychology with music education are regularly included. Student involvement in case study, observational, and survey research will be used to increase learners' awareness of the adolescent period and to develop skills that can be applied in secondary school environments. Students not enrolled in

BMus(Music Education) are required to meet with the Course Coordinator before enrolling in this unit. For further information contact Dr R. Brooker (General Studies). *Textbooks* 

Santrock JW. Adolescence: an introduction. 6th ed. Iowa: Brown-Benchmark, 1996

GENS 2001 Education 4: Studies in Teaching 3 credit points. BMus. BMusStudies

Dr R. Gilbert (General Studies)

Offered: July. Classes: One Ihrlecand one 1 h rtut/wk.

**Assessment:** One 1500w essay (30%), seminar presentation (30%) examination (40%).

The purpose of this unit is to use the prior practical and academic experiences of those enrolled in the Bachelor of Music (Music Education) program as a basis for the development of further skills in, and understanding of, classroom teaching. The content will consist of two related strands, namely, cooperative learning and classroom management. Cooperative learning is emphasised because there has been a tendency for music teachers to work mainly in a teacher centred setting. Students will study cooperative learning by working in small groups practising advanced questioning and active listening skills. The second strand, classroom management, will emphasise such concepts as demonstrating authority, organising the classroom, choosing rules and procedures, communicating with students and the management approaches of Glasser, Canter and Dreikurs. Students not enrolled in BMus(Music Education) are required to meet with the Course Coordinator before enrolling in this unit. For further information contact Dr R. Gilbert (General Studies). **Textbooks** 

Emmer ET et al. Classroom management for secondary teachers. 5th ed. Englewood Cliffs, NJ: Prentice Hall, 2000

GENS 3000 Education 5: Philosophy and History 3 credit points. BMus. BMusStudies

Dr D. Collins (General Studies)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1hr lec and one 1hr tut/wk. Assessment: One 2000w essay (70%), seminar presentation (30%)

The purpose of this unit is to assist students in their thinking about the aims and practices of education by introducing them to a study of the philosophy and history of education. Emphasis is placed upon the methods of philosophical thought and upon encouraging students to apply these in their thinking and discussion of the nature of education and educational processes. The students are introduced to some of the great educational thinkers and to contemporary educational thought in order to stimulate them to examine educational issues and to apply the methods of analysis they are learning to the teaching of music. Students not enrolled in BMus(Music Education) are required to meet with the Course Coordinator before enrolling in this unit. For further information contact Dr D. Collins (General Studies).

# GENS 3001 Education 6: Curriculum-Theory & Design

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies Dr R. Gilbert (General Studies)

**Offered:** February. **Classes:** One 1 hr lec and one 1hr tut/wk. **Assessment:** Seminar presentation (30%) portfolio containing a

curriculum design and reflective discussion (70%). The study of curriculum asks, "What should students learn?", and, "How should this learning take place?". In a democratic society where teachers have considerable choice in the selection of content and the mode of delivery it is essential that student teachers be aware of the philosophical and theoretical issues relating to curriculum and to the process of curriculum design. Thus, the purpose of this unit is to introduce students to curriculum theory through the study of current practices and through the activity of course design.

The content of the unit will be presented under four major headings:

- i. Forms of curriculum organisation;
- ii. Curriculum development in New South Wales;
- iii. The elements of curriculum, viz., objectives, content, method and evaluation:
  - iv. Alternative views of curriculum.

Students not enrolled in BMus(Music Education) are required to meet with the Course Coordinator before enrolling in this unit. For further information contact Dr R. Gilbert (General Studies). *Textbooks* 

Pratt D. Curriculum planning. Orlando: Harcourt Brace, 1994

# GENS 4001 Education 7: Individual Differences

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies Dr R. Brooker (General Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Education 2 & 3. Classes: One 1 hr lec and one 1 hr tut/wk. Assessment: One 2000w essay (50%), one seminar presentation (50%).

A unit designed to give students an awareness of the wide diversity of student characteristics, an insight into the resulting broad range of individual differences and special needs in the school population and a knowledge of the way in which the education system provides for these needs. Students will be given the opportunity to gain first hand knowledge of specific areas of individual differences and special needs and to acquire teaching skills relevant to their subject area. This course fulfils the NSW Government 1992 Special Needs Condition of Employment for Teacher Education Graduates. Students not enrolled in BMus(Music Education) are required to meet with the Course Coordinator before enrolling in this unit. For further information contact Dr R. Brooker (General Studies).

Casey K. Teaching Children with Special Needs: An Australian Perspective. Wentworth Falls: Social Science Press, 1994.

# Elective Jazz Orchestra

Elective Jazz Orchestra is a series of units of study offered to all University students. Enrolment in any semester is subject to a successful audition. Music studied will include rehearsal and performance of standard repertoire from early Jazz to modern with emphasis on music that will be useful in Jazz pedagogy. Big band ensemble techniques are similar to other ensemble techniques and will include expert instruction in section balance, intonation, section leading, tone production, time and swing conception and ear training, plus improvisation as it functions in a big band context. Students of differing abilities are integrated into a learning situation that places emphasis on group motivation for individual improvement. It is expected that students will gain experience and skill in these disciplines at a rate that is commensurate with each individual's natural abilities.

## JAZZ 1002 Elective Jazz Orchestra 1

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Classes: One 2hr tut/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

Entry is by audition

#### JAZZ 1003 Elective Jazz Orchestra 2

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Elective Jazz Orchestra 1. Classes: One 2hr tut/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%). Entry is by audition

# JAZZ 2004 Elective Jazz Orchestra 3

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

**Offered:** February. **Prerequisite:** Elective Jazz Orchestra 2. **Classes:** One 2hr tut/wk. **Assessment:** A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

Entry is by audition

**Elective Jazz Orchestra 4** 

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Elective Jazz Orchestra 3. Classes: One 2hr tut/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%). Entry is by audition

JAZZ 3004 Elective Jazz Orchestra 5

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Elective Jazz Orchestra 4. Classes: One 2hr tut/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

Entry is by audition.

JAZZ 3005 Elective Jazz Orchestra 6

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Elective Jazz Orchestra 5. Classes: One 2hr tut/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%). Entry is by audition.

JAZZ 4004 Elective Jazz Orchestra 7

3 credit points. BMus

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Elective Jazz Orchestra 6. Classes: One 2hr tut/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances

Entry is by audition.

JAZZ 4005 Elective Jazz Orchestra 8

3 credit points. BMus D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Elective Jazz Orchestra 7. Classes: One 2hr tut/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%). Entry is by audition.

# Electronic Music

During this sequence of units students will be introduced to:

- · MIDI control devices
- · electroacoustic composition from music concrete to digital audio sampling
- · analog and digital synthesis
- interactive MIDI (various performance interfaces)
- audio-visual programming techniques involving application of sound and image

Each student will be expected to spend 2 hours each week working in the studio. Students will be encouraged to listen to recordings in their own time and to attend concerts of electronic music. For further information contact Dr G Schiemer (Composition).

# CMPN 1007 Electronic Music 1

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies Dr G Schiemer (Composition)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Music Technology 1. Classes: One 1 hr lec and one 1 hr tut/wk. Assessment: Two minor assignments (20% and 20%) one composition (60%).

Please see the description under Electronic Music. For further information contact Dr G Schiemer (Composition).

CMPN 1008 Electronic Music 2

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies Dr G Schiemer (Composition)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Électronic Music 1. Classes: One 1 hr lec and one 1 hr tut/wk. Assessment: Composition (100%).

Please see the description under Electronic Music. For further information contact Dr Dr G Schiemer (Composition).

CMPN 3008 Electronic Music 3

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr G Schiemer (Composition)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Electronic Music 2. Classes: One 1hr lec and one 1 hr tut/wk. Assessment: Composition (100%). Please see the description under Electronic Music. For further information contact Dr Dr G Schiemer (Composition).

CMPN 3009 Electronic Music 4

3 credit points, BMus, BMusStudies

Dr G. Schiemer (Composition)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Electronic Music 3. Classes: One 1hr lec and one 1 hr tut/wk. Assessment: Composition (100%). Please see the description under Electronic Music. For further information contact Dr G. Schiemer (Composition).

CMPN 4010 Electronic Music 5

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr G. Schiemer (Composition)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Electronic Music 4. Classes: One 1hr lec and one 1 h r tut/wk. Assessment: Composition (100%). Please see the description under Electronic Music. For further information contact Dr G. Schiemer (Composition).

CMPN 4011 Electronic Music 6

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr G Schiemer (Composition)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Electronic Music 5. Classes: One 1 hr lec and one 1hr tut/wk. Assessment: Composition (100%). Please see the description under Electronic Music. For further information contact Dr G Schiemer (Composition).

# Flute Major and Minor

Flute is offered at a Major and Minor level of study. The level of study is decided in the audition. At the beginning of the major or minor study each student will be assigned a lecturer with whom they will normally work for the duration of the award. Continuing consultation between lecturer and student, including appraisal of technical and interpretative strengths and weaknesses, will enable regular clarification of specific learning objectives and content. At the beginning of all units included in the major and minor levels of study the lecturer will discuss past achievements and clarify weaknesses with each student, assist them to articulate personal objectives for advancement, recommend suitable content and advise the Chair of Unit. In this context the unit descriptions which follow should be read as a guide to the minimum requirements of the major and minor levels of study in Flute.

WIND 1006 Flute 1 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and one 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam or equivalent, minimum one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

WIND 1023 Flute 1 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 10min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

WIND 1007 Flute 2 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Flute 1 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and one 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min jury recital, minimum one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

WIND 1024 Flute 2 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Flute 1 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15minjury recital, one concert practice (100%).

### WIND 2006 Flute 3 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Flute 2 (Major) or audition. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and one 2hr concert practice/ wk. Assessment: 20min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

# WIND 2026 Flute 3 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Flute 2 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

# WIND 2007 Flute 4 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: BMus: Flute 3 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and one 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 40min junior recital, two 6min performances at concert practice (100%).

# WIND 2027 Flute 4 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Flute 3 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 15-20min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

# WIND 3006 Flute 5 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Flute 4 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and one 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

# WIND 3028 Flute 5 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Flute 4 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

# WIND 3007 Flute 6 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: BMus: Flute 5 (Major); DipMus: Flute 4 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and one 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: Concerto exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

#### WIND 3029 Flute 6 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Flute 5 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 20-25min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

# WIND 4012 Flute 7 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Flute 6 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and one 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min technical exam, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

### WIND 4038 Flute 7 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Flute 6 (Minor). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

# WIND 4014 Flute 8 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Flute 7 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and one 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 50min senior recital, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

#### WIND 4039 Flute 8 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Flute 7 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: Exam (100%).

VSAO 3002 French for Singers 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipOp

N. Dorigo

Offered: February. Classes: 2hrs/wk. Assessment: Written and oral exam at the end of semester.

Concentration on aspects of the French language specific to the needs of singers. Rules of pronunciation and diction. For further information contact the Chair (Vocal Studies).

VSAO 3003 French for Singers 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipOp

N. Dorigo

**Offered:** July. **Prerequisite:** French for Singers 1. **Classes:** 2hrs/wk. **Assessment:** Written and oral exam at the end of semester. Continuation of French for Singers 1. For further information contact the Chair (Vocal Studies).

# French Horn Major and Minor

French Horn is offered at a Major and Minor level of study. The level of study is decided in the audition. At the beginning of the major or minor level of study each student will be assigned a lecturer with whom they will normally work for the duration of the award. Continuing consultation between lecturer and student, including appraisal of technical and interpretative strengths and weaknesses, will enable regular clarification of specific learning objectives and content. At the beginning of all units included in the major and minor levels of study the lecturer will discuss past achievements and clarify weaknesses with each student, assist them to articulate personal objectives for advancement, recommend suitable content and advise the Chair of Unit. The unit descriptions which follow should be read as a guide to the minimum requirements of the major study and minor study in French Horn.

# BRSS 1002 French Horn 1 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 30min technical exam or equivalent, minimum one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

# BRSS 1010 French Horn 1 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

**Offered:** February. **Classes:** One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. **Assessment:** 10min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

# BRSS 1003 French Horn 2 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: French Horn 1 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min jury recital, minimum one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

### BRSS 1011 French Horn 2 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: French Horn 1 (Minor). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min recital exam, one concert practice (100%).

BRSS 2002 French Horn 3 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: French Horn 2 (Major) or audition. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 30min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

BRSS2004 French Horn 3 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: French Hom 2 (Minor). Classes: 1hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

BRSS2003 French Horn 4 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: BMus: French Horn 3 (Major), DipMus: French Horn 2 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 40min junior recital, two 6min performances at concert practice (100%).

BRSS 2005 French Horn 4 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: French Horn 3 (Minor). Classes: 1hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15-20min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

BRSS 3004 French Horn 5 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: French Horn 4 (Brass) (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 30min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

BRSS 3008 French Horn 5 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: French Horn 4 (Minor). Classes: 1hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

BRSS 3005 French Horn 6 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: BMus: French Hom 5 (Major); DipMus: French Hom 4 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: Concerto exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

BRSS 3009 French Horn 6 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: French Horn 5 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 20-25min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

BRSS 4004 French Horn 7 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: French Horn 6 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 30min technical exam, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

BRSS 4005 French Horn 7 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

R. Johnson (Brass)

**Offered:** February. **Prerequisite:** French Horn 6 (Minor). **Classes:** 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. **Assessment:** 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

BRSS 4006 French Horn 8 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: French Horn 7 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 50min senior recital, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

BRSS 4007 French Horn 8 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: French Horn 7 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: Exam (100%).

STRG 1004 Functional Guitar 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

Chair (Strings)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1hrclass/wk. Assessment: Class work (50%), 15min prac exam (50%).

To develop students' ability to confidently use the guitar as an harmonic and accompanying instrument. Students will be provided with experiences which develop their functional skills in harmony, sight reading and improvisation. Please note that this course will be offered when optimum class numbers present, not necessarily in year 1 of the course. For further information contact G. Pikler (Strings).

STRG 1005 Functional Guitar 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

Chair (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Functional Guitar 1. Classes: One 1hr class/wk. Assessment: Class work (50%), 15min prac exam (50%). Please refer to Functional Guitar 1. This class will be offered when optimum class numbers present, not necessarily in year 1 of the course. For further information contact G. Pikler (Strings).

VSAO 2004 German for Singers 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipOp

M. Hailiwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Diction for Singers 1 and 2. Classes: One 2hr workshop/wk. Assessment: Written (25%), aural (50%) and attendance (25%).

The aim of the unit is to concentrate on those aspects of the language specific to the needs of singers. Throughout the unit, knowledge and skills are cumulative, and material taught is determined by the needs of individual students and the requirements of current vocal repertoire, both solo and ensemble. Rules of pronunciation and diction; basic grammar and syntax as an aid to comprehension and translation, will be studied.

VSAO 2005 German for Singers 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipOp

M. Hailiwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: German for Singers 1. Classes: One 2hr workshop/wk. Assessment: Written (25%), aural (50%) and attendance (25%).

Application and deepening of language skills gained in German for Singers 1 to the translations of given texts; poetic appreciation of these texts, leading to understanding and interpretation of the word-music relationship. For further information contact the Chair (Vocal Studies).

VSAO 3009 German for Singers 3

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipOp

M. Hailiwell (Vocal Studies)

**Offered:** February. **Prerequisite:** German for Singers 2. **Classes:** One 2hr workshop/wk. **Assessment:** Written (25%), aural (50%) and attendance (25%).

Consolidation of skills begun in German for Singers 1 and 2.

VSAO 3016 German for Singers 4

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipOp

M. Hailiwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: German for Singers 3. Classes: One 2hr workshop/wk. Assessment: Written (25%), aural (50%) and attendance (25%).

Consolidation of skills begun in earlier units of German for Singers

# Guitar Major and Minor

Guitar is offered at a Major and Minor level of study. The level of study is decided in the audition. At the beginning of the major or minor study each student will be assigned a lecturer with whom they will normally work for the duration of the award. Continuing consultation between lecturer and student, including appraisal of technical and interpretative strengths and weaknesses, will enable regular clarification of specific learning objectives and content. At the beginning of all units included in the major or minor levels of study the lecturer will discuss past achievements and clarify weaknesses with each student, assist them to articulate personal objectives for advancement and recommend suitable content.

STRG 1006 Guitar 1 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Pikler (Strings)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam and one 6min concert practice performance (100%).

STRG 1013 Guitar 1 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Pikler (Strings)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 10min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

STRG 1007 Guitar 2 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Pikler (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Guitar 1 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min jury recital and one 6min concert practice performance (100%).

STRG 1014 Guitar 2 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Pikler (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Guitar 1 (Minor). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 10min recital program, one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

STRG 2006 Guitar 3 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Pikler (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Guitar 2 (Major) or audition. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

STRG 2012 Guitar 3 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Pikler (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Guitar 2 (Minor). Classes: 1hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

STRG 2007 Guitar 4 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Pikler (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Guitar 3 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 40min junior recital, two 6min performances at concert practice (100%).

STRG 2013 Guitar 4 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Pikler (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Guitar 3 (Minor). Classes: 1hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

STRG 3004 Guitar 5 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Pikler (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Guitar 4 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%)

STRG 3016 Guitar 5 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Pikler (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Guitar 4 (Minor). Classes: 1hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

STRG 3005 Guitar 6 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Pikler (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Guitar 5 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: Concerto exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

STRG 3017 Guitar 6 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Pikler (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Guitar 5 (Minor). Classes: 1hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 20min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

STRG 4006 Guitar 7 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

G. Pikler (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Guitar 6 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min exam, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunchtime concert performance (100%).

STRG 4014 Guitar 7 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

G. Pikler (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Guitar 6 (Minor). Classes: 1hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 20min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

STRG 4008 Guitar 8 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

G. Pikler (Strings).

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Guitar 7 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 50min senior recital, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

STRG 4015 Guitar 8 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

G. Pikler (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Guitar 7 (Minor). Classes: 1hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 20min exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

MCGY1 0 0 8 Harmony and Analysis 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

L. Cornwell (Musicology)

Offered: February. Classes: 1 lecture, 1 tutorial, 1 keyboard class/ wk. Assessment: Lecture/tutorial component: 65%, comprising weekly assignments (40%), examination (60%). Keyboard component: 35%, comprising class tests (40%), examination (60%). Students are required to pass both the Lecture/tutorial and Keyboard components.

An understanding of the materials of tonal music is fundamental to all aspects of a student's musicianship. The acquisition of practical skills in harmony provides a means of examining in their essence issues of musical structure and technique that apply throughout the tonal repertoire. In February Semester students gain fluency in writing four-part harmonisations using diatonic vocabulary, learning the basic chord functions and voiceleading patterns that will provide a framework for later elaboration. Exercises in species counterpoint are included to assist in the comprehension of voice leading principles, and the linear conception of music is further explored through introductory exercises in analysis. Keyboard class gives students an opportunity to reinforce and extend their understanding of musical concepts through the experience of playing and listening. Structured exercises in the building and voicing of chords, improvisation, score reading, sight reading and transposition are designed to cater both for beginners and more experienced keyboard play-

Textbooks

Gauldin Robert. Harmonic practice in tonal music. NY: Norton,

Gauldin Robert. Workbook for harmonic practice in tonal music. NY: Norton, 1997

Lyke J et al. Keyboard musicianship Book 1. 7th ed. Champaign, Illinois: Stipes Publishing Company, 1998

MCGY 1009 Harmony and Analysis 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

L. Cornwell (Musicology)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Harmony and Analysis 1. Classes: 1 lecture, 1 tutorial, 1 keyboard class/wk. Assessment: Lecture/

tutorial component: 65%, comprising weekly assignments (40%), examination (60%). Keyboard component: 35%, comprising class tests (40%), examination (60%). Students are required to pass both the Lecture/tutorial and Keyboard components.

Having acquired basic skills in voice leading and an understanding of diatonic chord functions, students are introduced to more advanced concepts that are encountered frequently in the tonal repertoire. These include modulation, diatonic sequences and techniques for working with instrumental textures. Counterpoint studies are continued, both in practice and in analysis, where some aspects of Baroque musical forms are considered. Keyboard class provides an opportunity for the further development of skills in all of these areas.

**Textbooks** 

Gauldin Robert. Harmonic practice in tonal music. NY: Norton,

Gauldin Robert. Workbook for harmonic practice in tonal music. NY: Norton, 1997

Lyke J et al. Keyboard musicianship Book 1. 7th ed. Champaign, Illinois: Stipes Publishing Company, 1998

# MCGY2010HarmonyandAnalysis3

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

L. Comwell (Musicology)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Harmony and Analysis 2. Classes: 1 lecture, 1 tutorial/wk. Assessment: Analysis assignments (50%), Harmony assignments (25%), Harmony examination (25%).

In Semesters 1 and 2 some separation is maintained between studies in counterpoint and harmony but the emphasis here is upon drawing together those two aspects. An ideal model for this approach is offered by the chorales of J.S. Bach, which form a focus in Semester 3. Each topic is, however, extended to embrace later styles and assignments include the writing of short piano pieces, along with chorale settings and figured-bass exercises. With the benefit of a broader harmonic vocabulary, students investigate a range of analytical approaches to 18th century music, looking at aspects of fugal technique, motivic analysis and issues relating to sonata forms.

Textbooks

Gauldin Robert. Harmonic practice in tonal music. NY: Norton,

Gauldin Robert. Workbook for harmonic practice in tonal music. NY: Norton, 1997

# MCGY 2011 Harmony and Analysis 4

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

L. Comwell (Musicology)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Harmony and Analysis 3. Classes: 1 lecture, 1 tutorial/wk. Assessment: Analysis assignments (50%), Harmony assignments (25%), Harmony examination (25%).

The study of pre-20th century tonal harmony is completed with a consideration of chromatic techniques, particularly those found in the music of the first half of the 19th century. An exhaustive study of later 19th century chromaticism is beyond the scope of a course at this level, but is intended that students will at least acquire the ability to look further into the music of that period as they encounter it. In keeping with the stylistic orientation of the course, emphasis is placed upon developing facility with instrumental textures. Analytical skills acquired in Semester 3 are further developed in relation to 19th and 20th century music and other recent approaches, including those based on semiotics, are introduced.

Textbooks

Gauldin Robert. Harmonic practice in tonal music. NY: Norton, 1997

Gauldin Robert. Workbook for harmonic practice in tonal music. NY: Norton, 1997

# Harp Major and Minor

Harp is offered at a Major and Minor level of study. The level of study is decided in the audition. At the beginning of the major and minor study each student will be assigned a lecturer. Continuing consultation between lecturer and student, including appraisal of technical and interpretative strengths and weaknesses, will enable regular clarification of specific learning objectives and content. At the beginning of all units

included in the major and minor levels of study, the lecturer will discuss past achievements and clarify weaknesses with each student, assist them to articulate personal objectives for advancement, recommend suitable content and advise the Chair of Unit.

#### STRG1 0 0 8 Harp 1 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

**Offered:** February. **Classes:** One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. **Assessment:** 15min technical exam or equivalent, one 6min concert practice performance, concert practice attendance (100%).

# STRG1 0 3 1 Harp 1 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

**Offered:** February. **Classes:** One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. **Assessment:** 15min technical exam or equivalent, one 6min concert practice performance, concert practice attendance (100%)

#### STRG1 0 0 9 Harp 2 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Harp 1 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min jury recital, minimum one 6min concert practice performance (100%).

# STRG1 0 3 2 Harp 2 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Harp 1 (Minor). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min jury recital, minimum one 6min concert practice performance (100%).

## STRG 2008 Harp 3 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Harp 2 (Major) or audition. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

# STRG 2009 Harp 4 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Harp 3 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 40min junior recital, two 6min performances at concert practice (100%).

# STRG 3006 Harp 5 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

**Offered:** February. **Prerequisite:** Harp 4 (Major). **Classes:** One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. **Assessment:** 30min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

# STRG 3007 Harp 6 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

**Offered:** July. **Prerequisite:** Harp 5 (Major). **Classes:** One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. **Assessment:** Concerto exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

# STRG 4010 Harp 7 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Harp 6 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min technical exam, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

# STRG 4011 Harp 8 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Harp 7 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 50min senior recital, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

# Harpsichord Major and Minor

Harpsichord is offered at a Major and Minor level of study. The level of study is decided in the audition. At the beginning of the major or minor level of study each student will be assigned a teacher with whom they will normally work for the duration of the award. Continuing consultation between teacher and student, including appraisal of technical and interpretative strengths and weaknesses, will enable regular clarification of specific learning objectives and content. At the beginning of all units included in the major and minor levels of study, the teacher will discuss past achievements and clarify weaknesses with each student, assist them to articulate personal objectives for advancement, recommend suitable content and advise the Chair of Unit. In this context the unit descriptions which follow should be read as a guide to the minimum requirements of the major and minor levels of study in Harpsichord.

# KEYB 1002 Harpsichord 1 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 12min technical exam or equivalent, minimum one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

KEYB 1010 Harpsichord 1 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

E. Powell (Keyboard)

**Offered:** February. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. **Assessment:** 10min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### KEYB 1003 Harpsichord 2 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Harpsichord 1 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min jury recital 15 minutes, minimum one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

# KEYB 1011 Harpsichord 2 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Harpsichord 1 (Minor). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15 min recital of 3 pieces, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### KEYB 2001 Harpsichord 3 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Harpsichord 2 (Major) or audition. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 12min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

Students wishing to transfer from Harpsichord 2 (Minor) to Harpsichord 3 (Major) must demonstrate at both their Harpsichord 1 & 2 (Minor) examinations that they have covered equivalent syllabus and reached the standard of Major candidates.

## KEYB 2009 Harpsichord 3 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Harpsichord 2 (Minor). Classes: 1hr/wk individual lesson / class instruction and concert practice. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

## KEYB 2002 Harpsichord 4 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Harpsichord 3 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 40min junior recital, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

# KEYB 2010 Harpsichord 4 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Harpsichord 3 (Minor). Classes: 1hr/wk individual lesson / class instruction and concert practice.

**Assessment:** 15-20min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

KEYB 3000 Harpsichord 5 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

E. Powell (Keyboard)

**Offered:** February. **Prerequisite:** Harpsichord 4 (Major). **Classes:** One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. **Assessment:** 12min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances . (100%).

#### KEYB 3006 Harpsichord 5 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Harpsichord 4 (Minor). Classes: 1hr/wk individual lesson / class instruction and concert practice. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

# KEYB 3001 Harpsichord 6 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: BMus: Harpsichord 5 (Major); DipMus: Harpsichord 4 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: Concerto exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

# KEYB 3007 Harpsichord 6 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Harpsichord 5 (Minor). Classes: 1hr/wk individual lesson / class instruction and concert practice.

**Assessment:** 20-25min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### KEYB 4000 Harpsichord 7 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Harpsichord 6 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 12min technical exam, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

#### KEYB 4006 Harpsichord 7 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

E. Powell (Keyboard)

**Offered:** February. **Prerequisite:** Harpsichord 6 (Minor). **Classes:** 1hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. **Assessment:** 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### KEYB 4001 Harpsichord 8 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Harpsichord 7 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 50min senior recital, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

### KEYB 4007 Harpsichord 8 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Harpsichord 7 (Minor). Classes: 1hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: Exam (100%).

# KEYB 1004 Harpsichord Class 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Pianoforte 2 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr class/wk. Assessment: Three practical assignments (20% each), one 10min practical exam (40%).

Students will be taught the principles of harpsichord technique and will develop performance skills through the study and preparation of pieces representing a variety of styles and genres. Availability subject to sufficient enrolment numbers. For further information contact the Chair of the Keyboard Unit.

#### KEYB 1005 Harpsichord Class 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Harpsichord Class 1. Classes: One 1 hr class/wk. Assessment: Three practical assignments (20% each), one 10min practical exam (40%).

Consolidation and extension of concepts and skills introduced in Harpsichord Class 1. Availability subject to sufficient enrolment numbers. For further information contact the Chair of the Keyboard Unit.

# Historical and Cultural Studies

These general education units are designed to provide students with a historical survey of aspects of the western cultural tradition. Topics in social, political or cultural history are chosen and arranged to complement students' professional studies in Western art music.

#### GENS 2004 Historical and Cultural Studies 1

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies Dr D. Collins (General Studies)

Offered: February. Classes: 1 lecture, 1 seminar/wk. Assessment: Essay, 1500w (50%); seminar presentation (50%).

The French and industrial revolutions are usually seen as initiating the 'modem' era. This unit examines the ideological, social and cultural underpinnings of modernism. Topics include the impact of nationalism and imperialism on social, political and cultural organization; the emergence of mass consumer culture; the rise of the avant garde, the impact of psychoanalytic theory on cultural discourses; the emergence of new cultural/artistic forms (jazz, film, photography etc); the cultural roots of totalitarianism and the relationship between totalitarianism and cultural production. Students will also acquire some familiarity with the development of the concept of culture and theoretical approaches to cultural studies. The unit also aims to provide students with generic oral and written communication skills. Students will be required to undertake a variety of written and performance tasks aimed at developing skills necessary for their future professional development. Stress will be placed on developing research skills, the distinctions between formal and informal writing, report and essay writing, the processes of critical analysis and techniques of oral presentation and small group discussion. Students will be encouraged to acquire collaborative as well as individual skills. For further information contact Dr D. Collins (General Studies).

# GENS 2005 Historical and Cultural Studies 2

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies Dr D. Collins (General Studies)

Offered: July. Classes: 1 lecture, 1 seminar/wk. Assessment: Essay, 1500w (50%), seminar presentation (50%),.

The United States emerged from the Second World War as the world's leading nation. This unit examines the Americanization of Western society and the tensions and conflicts that have accompanied the emergence of a new world order. Subjects covered include the Cold War and the impact of McCarthyism; the culture of protest that emerged in the sixties; the impact of liberation movements (including the civil rights movement, anti-colonialism, women's and gay liberation); the decline of communism; the new conservatism; mass media and socio-cultural change, intellectual movements (eg. existentialism), preoccupations in aesthetic theory and production, the ways in which culture has been used as a site of resistance to both American and Soviet hegemony and post-modernism. The unit builds upon the generic communication skills component of first semester. For further information contact Dr D. Collins (General Studies).

# GENS 3004 Historical and Cultural Studies 3

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies Dr R. Gilbert (General Studies)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr lec and one 1 hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Essay, 1500w (50%), seminar presentation (50%), Beginning with a brief survey of the medieval background, this unit introduces students to contemporary interpretations of some of the seminal moments in European history: the Renaissance, the Reformation, the Scientific Revolution, the expansion of Europe overseas. Topics include the relationship between the

Renaissance, creativity and consumption, religion and the idea of a persecuting society, science and the decline of magic, science and gender, oral, print and performance culture, literary (and especially Shakespearean) texts as cultural signifiers. Stress will also be placed on European encounters with other cultures (Islam, West Africa, Meso-America) and the subsequent processes of cultural exchange and transformation. By understanding Europeans attitudes towards the 'other' students .will develop a deeper appreciation of their own cultural and social sensibilities. Students will also be continually encouraged to relate their knowledge of music and history to these larger themes and constructs. Communication skills remain a core component of the course. Students will be expected to build on the techniques developed in first year units and to develop a deeper understanding of the processes involved in effective oral and written communication. For further information contact Dr R. Gilbert (General Studies).

#### GENS 3005 Historical and Cultural Studies 4

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies Dr R. Gilbert (General Studies)

Offered: July. Classes: 1 lecture, 1 seminar/wk. Assessment: Essay, 1500w (50%), seminar presentation (50%),.

This unit looks at some of the main determinants of individual identity in western culture. It traces the history of material life, the family, manners and the emerging notion of privacy. It explores changing attitudes to childhood, women, gender, sexuality, deviance, work, culture and recreation. The impact of industrialisation on everyday life and popular culture is examined and, connected to this, the idea of the emergence of 'highbrow', 'middlebrow' and 'lowbrow' cultures. Film, literature, art and music will be used to exemplify themes basic to the unit. Communication skills and the ability to work interactively remain a core component of this unit. For further information contact Dr R. Gilbert (General Studies).

# History of Opera

These units survey the development of opera, over two semesters, from Greek theatre and mediaeval dramatic music, and Monteverdi, through to contemporary opera.

# VSAO 1004 History of Opera 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipOp

Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

**Offered:** February. **Classes:** One 2hr lec/wk. **Assessment:** Class participation (10%), written assignments (25%), class tests (15%), final exam (50%).

The development of opera from Greek theatre to Mozart. For further information contact the Chair (Vocal Studies).

## VSAO 2000 History of Opera 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipOp

Chair (Vocal Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: History of Opera 1. Classes: One 2hr class/wk. Assessment: Class participation (10%), written assignments (25%), class tests (15%), final exam (50%).

The development of opera from the early 19th century through the 20th century. For further information contact Chair (Vocal Studies).

# CMPN 2002 Instrument-Builder Composers in 20 C 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr G. Schiemer (Composition)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1hriecture/wk. Assessment: listening test (40%) essay (60%).

Throughout the history of western music, composers have frequently been productive in musical instrument design. The modern tradition of experimental composition began with composers whose purpose-built instruments, though non-electronic, preempt the most recent developments in music technology. The 1960's saw the emergence of a handful of composer/instrument-builders who performed on as well as designed the electronic instrument or system for which they composed. These composers paved the way for a new generation spurred by the commercial availability of analogue electronics in the late 1960s and the advent of the microprocessor in the mid 1970s. As computer science developed, some composers began to author their own

composition software while others even pioneered the design of algorithms for computer-generated sound. Since the arrival of MIDI in 1983, when it became possible for large numbers of musicians to accept the use of computers for performing music, music technology has continued to develop and the level of involvement of musicians in the development process continues to grow. The impact of such multi-disciplinary involvement on the traditionally segmented musical roles (eg. composer, performer, instrument-designer, patron, producer, distributor, and audience) shows what composer/instrument-builders of this epoch have in common with their counterparts in other epochs such as the Renaissance or the Industrial Revolution.

This elective surveys the work of C20th composers whose involvement in musical instrument design has influenced the way music has changed over the past century. Trends which have emerged in the second half of this century are identified in the work of composers like Partch, Cage, Antheil, Nancarrow and Darreg. The survey focuses on electronic instrument design ranging from the earliest analogue systems (Tudor, Mumma, Behrman, Neuhaus, Martirano), through software instruments (Risset, Chowning, Truax, Lansky and Jaffe), composition software (Polansky, Moore, Rodet, Kuivila, Vercoe, Piche, Wishart, etc) algorithmic composition systems (Xenakis, Hiller, Koenig, Martirano, Teitelbaum, etc), interactive instruments (Waizwicz, Chadabe, Ghelhaar, Stellarc, Machover, etc), hybrid instruments (Willem-Raes, de Marinis, Riddell, Neill, Dudon, Collins, etc), to networked instruments (League of Automatic Music, the Hub, Wessell, etc).

For further information contact Dr G. Schiemer (Composition).

# CMPN 2005 Instrument-Builder Composers in 20 C 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr G. Schiemer (Composition)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Instrument-builder composers in 20C 1. Classes: One "Ihrlecture/wk. Assessment: Instrument construction or installation (100%).

Please refer to Composer/instrument-builders in the 20th century 1. Emphasis will include some non-electronic instruments as practical work will not necessarily involve electronics. For further information contact Dr G. Schiemer (Composition).

# STRG 3008 Interpretation of Early Music 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

T. Andersson (Strings)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1hr class/wk. Assessment:

Written exam (50%) and class work (50%).

The unit is intended to help the guitarist understand the origins of the lute and vihuela music played on the modern instrument. The subject embraces reading tablature, figured bass, transcriptions from original sources, ornamentation and interpretation. This class will be offered when optimum class numbers present. For further information contact G. Pikler (Strings).

# STRG 3009 Interpretation of Early Music 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

T. Andersson (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Interpretation of Early Music 1 Classes: One 1hr class/wk. Assessment: Written exam (50%) and

Please refer to Interpretation of Early Music 1. This class will be offered when optimum class numbers present. For further information contact G. Pikler (Strings).

### MUED 1000 Intro to Music Teaching and Learning

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr P. Dunbar-Hall (Music Education)

Offered: February, July. Classes: 2hrs/wk, lecture and seminar. Assessment: Regular submission of student journal (65%); seminar presentation (35%)

The purpose of this unit is to introduce students to music teaching and learning as wide-ranging, and occurring in a number of settings. These settings include private studios, orchestras and bands, education systems from early childhood to tertiary, community activities, and hospitals and other health related institutions. Areas to be covered in this unit include: the design, delivery and assessment of music teaching programs; strategies for

utilising creativity, aural skills and performance in the development of musical understanding; generic music learning styles; music teaching strategies specific to different music learning settings; musical cognition; psychological development; and learning theory.

# CMPN 2017 Introduction to Just Intonation Tunings

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr G. Schiemer (Composition)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Computer Music Synthesis -Introductory. Classes: One 1 hr lecture and one 1 hr tut per wk. Assessment: 2 composition assignments (40% & 60%).

The harmonic language of most contemporary Western Music has evolved around 12-tone equal temperament - a tuning system where an octave is divided into 12 equal intervals. C20th composers, beginning with Harry Partch, and later Lou Hanison, Ben Johnson, La Monte Young and others, have developed new ways of organising non-equal musical intervals - extending the principles of just intonation used by the ancient Greeks. Unlike equal-tempered tuning JI is not a single system of tuning but describes the multitude of tunings commonly found in many other musical cultures. Because just intonation intervals are based on the natural harmonic series, these tunings can provide acoustic reinforcement capable of altering the musical timbre sometimes dramatically. JI tunings therefore provide composers with new opportunities for organising timbre as well as harmony. This elective introduces the theory of Just Intonation along with the myriad of tuning systems found in world music that it explains. Some reference is made to other alternative tunings such as non- 12 equal divisions of the octave. Recent developments in MIDI and computer music synthesis have made possible the investigation of Just Intonation. Computer programs such as Csound and Scala are some of the new tools which have been responsible for the explosion of activity among the growing number of experimental composers active in the field of JI composition. Limited places subject to availability of terminals. For further information contact Dr G. Schiemer (Composition). Textbooks

Doty D. The just intonation primer. San Francisco, 1992 Chalmers J. Divisions of the tetrachord. San Francisco, 1992 Partch H. The genesis of music. New York, 1972

# VSAO 1010 Italian for Singers 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipOp

N. Dorigo

Offered: February. Classes: One 2hr workshop/wk. Assessment: Written and oral exam.

The aim is to concentrate on those aspects of the language specific to the needs of singers including the rules of pronunciation and diction, including the IPA, and basic grammar and syntax as aids to comprehension and translation. Throughout the course, knowledge and skills are cumulative, and material taught is determined by the needs of individual students and the requirements of current vocal repertoire, both solo and ensemble. For further information, contact the Chair of the Vocal Studies Unit.

# VSAO 1011 Italian for Singers 2

3 credit points, BMus, BMusStudies, DipOp

N. Dorigo

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Italian for Singers 1. Classes: One 2hr workshop/wk. Assessment: Written and oral exam.

Consolidation of rules of pronunciation and diction and basic grammar and syntax as aids to comprehension and translation. For further information, contact the Chair of the Vocal Studies

# VSAO 2006 Italian for Singers 3

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipOp

N. Dorigo

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Italian for Singers 2. Classes: One 2hr workshop/wk. Assessment: Written and oral exam.

Application and development of language skills gained in Italian for Singers 1 and 2, to the translations of given texts; poetic appreciation of these texts, leading to understanding and interpretation of the word-music relationship. For further information, contact the Chair of the Vocal Studies Unit.

#### VSAO 2007 Italian for Singers 4

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipOp

N. Dorigo

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Italian for Singers 3. Classes: One 2hr workshop/wk. Assessment: Written and oral exam.

Please refer to Italian for Singers 3. For further information, contact the Chair of the Vocal Studies Unit.

## VSAO 3004 Italian for Singers 5

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipOp

N. Dorigo

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Italian for Singers 4. Classes: One 1 hr workshop/wk. Assessment: Written and oral exam.

Please refer to Italian for Singers 4. For further information, contact the Chair of the Vocal Studies Unit.

#### VSAO 3005 Italian for Singers 6

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipOp

N. Dorigo

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Italian for Singers 5. Classes: One 1 hr workshop/wk. Assessment: Written and oral exam.

Please refer to Italian for Singers 5. For further information, contact the Chair of the Vocal Studies Unit.

#### JAZZ 2008 Jazz Advanced Arranging 1

3 credit points. BMus

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Jazz Harmony and Arranging 4. Classes: One 2hr tut/wk. Assessment: One arrangement for Big Band or an equivalent large ensemble (100%).

The aim of this unit is to encourage students to explore creative approaches in arranging/composing for a large jazz ensemble (Big Band). In the first semester, a variety of technical and creative approaches and working procedures will be studied, including reharmonisation techniques and open and closed voicing procedures used in this type of scoring. At least one significant work will be presented for rehearsal by the Big Band or an equivalent large ensemble. Availability subject to sufficient numbers. For further information contact the Chair (Jazz Studies).

# JAZZ 2009 Jazz Advanced Arranging 2

3 credit points. BMus

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

**Offered:** July. **Prerequisite:** Jazz Advanced Arranging 1. **Classes:** One 2 h r tut/wk. **Assessment:** One arrangement for Big Band or an equivalent large ensemble (100%).

The unit will explore the use of counterpoint and counter melody construction, line writing technique, ensemble, section and mixed voicing combinations. At least one significant work will be presented for rehearsal by the Big Band or an equivalent large ensemble. Availability subject to sufficient numbers. For further information contact the Chair (Jazz Studies).

# JAZZ 1013 Jazz Counterpoint 1

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Classes: One 2 h r tut/wk. Assessment: Weekly assignments, set composition assignment (50%), 2hr written exam (50%).

This unit aims to help students develop a clear understanding of the basic principles of counterpoint and its relevant application to jazz performance, composition and arranging. Students gain experience in applying the theoretical knowledge through performance in class. Students may be expected to bring their instruments to class. For further information contact the Chair (Jazz Studies).

#### JAZZ 1014 Jazz Counterpoint 2

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Jazz Counterpoint 1. Classes: One 2hr tut/wk. Assessment: Weekly assignments, set composition assignment (50%), 2hr written exam (50%).

Consolidation and development of concepts and skills introduced in Jazz Counterpoint 1. For further information contact the Chair (Jazz Studies).

#### JAZZ 1015 Jazz Ear Training 1

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Corequisite: Jazz Performance 1. Classes: One 2hr tut/wk. Assessment: 2hrexam (100%).

This unit offers a systematic study of all simple intervals up to and including one octave, triadic harmony, four note chords in closed position and voice leading within these concepts, focusing on common harmonic movements that occur in the jazz repertoire. There will also be a systematic study of rhythm and form as an ear training concept. This will be accomplished by taking rhythmic and melodic dictations and developing aural practice drills and routines. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz Studies).

# JAZZ 1016 Jazz Ear Training 2

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Jazz Ear Training 1. Corequisite: Jazz Performance 2. Classes: One 2hr tut/wk. Assessment: 2hr exam (100%).

This unit consolidates and expands upon concepts and skills introduced in Jazz Ear Training 1, plus introducing compound intervals, open voicings, the addition of all upper extensions to all chord types, and increasingly complex harmonic structures. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz Studies).

# JAZZ 2038 Jazz Ear Training 3

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

**Offered:** February. **Prerequisite:** Jazz Ear Training 2. Corequisite: Jazz Performance 3. **Classes:** One 2hr tut/wk. **Assessment:** 2hr exam (80%) plus transcription (20%).

This unit consolidates and expands upon concepts and skills introduced in Jazz Ear Training 1 and 2, plus introducing nontertian chord structures, slash chords, and more complex harmonic movements from the jazz repertoire. The final grade will consist of an exam component plus a transcription component. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz Studies).

# JAZZ 2039 Jazz Ear Training 4

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Jazz Ear Training 3. Corequisite: Jazz Performance 4. Classes: One 2hr tut/wk. Assessment: 2hr exam (80%) plus transcription (20%).

This unit consolidates all concepts from Jazz Ear Training 1, 2 and 3. By its conclusion students will have systematically examined, over four semesters, aural concepts that are essential to creative musical inteiplay in jazz performance. The final grade will consist of an exam component plus a transcription component. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz Studies).

# JAZZ 1019 Jazz Harmony and Arranging 1

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Corequisite: Jazz Performance 1 OR Harmony and Analysis 2. Classes: One 2hr lec/tut/wk. Assessment: Written harmony test (75%), approved number of arrangements (25%).

Students will review clefs, key signatures, note values, dynamics, articulation, and learn copying and rehearsal techniques. In addition, instruction will include the ranges of and transpositions for the various instruments, chord symbols, scale-chord relationships, and rhythm section scoring. This subject deals with the writing of creative arrangements for small to medium size Jazz ensembles. This unit also deals with the study of the harmony of standard jazz repertoire. Students will learn to understand and use basic harmonic rules and the typical harmonic devices, diatonic progression and chord patterns which are learned with a view to generating a creative sense of jazz harmony and the ability to write small combo arrangements. The students are assessed by examination and by submitting arrangements for performance. Legibility in copying is an assessable aspect. Students will be organised into ensemble-like groups and may be expected to bring their instruments to perform the works presented. The harmonic techniques explored in Jazz Harmony and Arranging 1 are used as the theoretical basis for Jazz Improvisation. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz Studies).

JAZZ 1020 Jazz Harmony and Arranging 2 3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Jazz Harmony and Arranging 1. Classes: One 2hr lec/tut/wk. Assessment: Written harmony test (25%), approved number of arrangements (75%).

In semester two, the voicing techniques for three to five horns stressing the most effective registers, harmonisation of passing tones, clusters and other techniques will be introduced. Composition of original melodies using motivic development, thematic structure and harmonisation will also be learned. The harmonic techniques explored in Jazz Harmony and Arranging 2 are used as the theoretical basis for Jazz Improvisation 2. The students are assessed by examination and by submitting arrangements for performance. Legibility in copying is an assessable aspect. Students will be organised into ensemble-like groups and may be expected to bring their instruments to perform the works presented. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz Studies).

JAZZ 2016 Jazz Harmony and Arranging 3 3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Jazz Harmony and Arranging 2. Classes: One 2hr lec/tut/wk. Assessment: Approved number of arrangements for and compositions (75%), written harmony test (75%)

This unit is a continuation of Jazz Harmony and Arranging 2 and concentrates on more complex harmonic material that forms the basis for Jazz Improvisation 3 as well as learning arranging techniques for more complex ensemble music. Methods of reharmonisation of existing jazz and standard compositions will be introduced. Students will learn big band orchestration which will include ensemble scoring, sax soli, background writing, form and the related uses of counterpoint. There will be detailed analysis of scores of major composers and arrangers. Selected arrangements will be rehearsed by the Big Band. Students may be organised into ensemble-like groups and may be expected to bring their instruments to perform the works presented. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz Studies).

JAZZ 2017 Jazz Harmony and Arranging 4 3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Jazz Harmony and Arranging 3. Classes: One 2hr lec/tut/wk. Assessment: Approved number of arrangements for large jazz studio ensemble (100%).

This semester scoring for woodwinds and strings will be introduced. Students will study contemporary technique encompassing elements of polytonality, serial composition, extended instrumental effects and textural voicings. There will be an overview of electronic instruments and MIDI. Score analysis of the studio orchestra with emphasis on percussion will also be learned. Selected arrangements will be performed by an augmented studio orchestra where possible. This subject also deals with the harmonic concepts used in Jazz Improvisation 4. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz Studies).

JAZZ 1021 Jazz History 1

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Classes: One 2hr lec/wk. Assessment: 3000w written assignment (30%), 2hr aural exam (70%).

This unit focuses on a study of the roots of jazz until the emergence of the swing period. The classes will be structured around the use of sound recordings. Students will be expected to recognise the pathfinders of jazz, their music, the socio-economic factors and to be able to write about and to discuss these various elements. Aural examinations will be of the 'Blindfold Test' variety and written assignments will take various forms such as biographies illustrated by transcriptions. Research, writing and documentation techniques will be learned. Students will be expected to listen, in their own time, to many recordings and to attend concerts. A recommended listening and reading list will

be provided. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz Studies).

JAZZ 1022 Jazz History 2

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

**Offered:** July. **Prerequisite:** Jazz History 1. **Classes:** One 2hr lec/ wk. **Assessment:** 3000w written assignment (30%), 2hr aural exam (70%).

Introduction of swing period to beginning of Bebop such as the early work of Charlie Parker. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz Studies).

JAZZ 2018 Jazz H istory 3

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

**Offered:** February. **Prerequisite:** Jazz History 2. **Classes:** One 2hr lec/wk. **Assessment:** 3000w written assignment (30%), 2hr aural exam (70%).

This unit is a study of the careers of jazz musicians and their music from the emergence of Bebop circa 1944 until approximately 1960s. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz Studies).

JAZZ 2019 Jazz History 4

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Jazz History 3. Classes: One 2hr lec/ wk. Assessment: 3000w written assignment (30%), 2hr aural exam (70%).

The unit will focus on a study of jazz development until the present including: third stream music, the transition to fusion, and jazz-rock. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz Studies).

JAZZ 1006 Jazz Improvisation 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Classes: One 3 h r tut/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during weekly rehearsals.

This 3 hour combo-sized class meets once per week and is taught by an expert improvisation coach. Concepts necessary for learning the skills of jazz improvisation such as swing, chord reading, scale choices, ear training, phrase construction, form, time and pitch control, repertoire and standard jazz nuances will be taught. This unit is not available for jazz performance majors. Enrolment is by audition and subject to the availability of a place. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz Studies).

JAZZ 1007 Jazz Improvisation 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Jazz Improvisation 1. Classes: One 3hr tut/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during weekly rehearsals.

This unit is not available for jazz performance majors. Enrolment is by audition and subject to the availability of a place. Please refer to Jazz Improvisation 1. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz Studies).

JAZZ 2006 Jazz Improvisation 3

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Jazz Improvisation 2. Classes: One 3hr tut/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during weekly rehearsals.

This unit is not available for jazz performance majors. Enrolment is by audition and subject to the availability of a place. Please refer to Jazz Improvisation 1. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz Studies).

JAZZ 2007 Jazz Improvisation 4

3 credit points. BMus. BMusStudies

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Jazz Improvisation 3. Classes: One 3hr tut/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during weekly rehearsals.

This unit is not available for jazz performance majors. Enrolment is by audition and subject to the availability of a place. Please refer to Jazz Improvisation 1. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz Studies).

JAZZ 3006 Jazz Improvisation 5

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Jazz Improvisation 4. Classes: One 3hr tut/wk. Assessment: Afinal grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during weekly rehearsals.

This unit is not available for jazz performance majors. Enrolment is by audition and subject to the availability of a place. Please refer to Jazz Improvisation 1. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz Studies).

JAZZ 3007 Jazz Improvisation 6

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Jazz Improvisation 5. Classes: One 3hr tut/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during weekly rehearsals.

This unit is not available for jazz performance majors. Enrolment is by audition and subject to the availability of a place. Please refer to Jazz Improvisation 1. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz Studies).

JAZZ 4006 Jazz Improvisation 7

3 credit points. BMus

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Jazz Improvisation 6. Classes: One 3hr tut/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during weekly rehearsals.

This unit is not available for jazz performance majors. Enrolment is by audition and subject to the availability of a place. Please refer to Jazz Improvisation 1. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz Studies).

JAZZ 4007 Jazz Improvisation 8

3 credit points. BMus

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Jazz Improvisation 7. Classes: One 3hr tut/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during weekly rehearsals.

This unit is not available for jazz performance majors. Enrolment is by audition and subject to the availability of a place. Please refer to Jazz Improvisation 1. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz Studies).

JAZZ 1009 Jazz Performance (Arranging) 1

6 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Corequisite: Jazz Principal Instrument 1. Classes: 4hrs/wk: 1 hr arranging lesson/ 2hr ensemble /1 hr concert practice. Assessment: Approved number of arrangements submitted and rehearsed with Advanced Small Ensemble with one performance at Concert Practice (100%).

Enrolment is subject to audition and a jazz aptitude test. This unit develops methods of writing for, leading and rehearsing jazz ensembles in preparation for performances of their music. The unit begins with a review of clefs, key signatures and other fundamentals. In addition, instruction will include the ranges of and transpositions for the various instruments, chord symbols, scalechord relationships, treatment of a melodic line (both voiced and unvoiced) and rhythm section, basic two and three part counterpoint, treatment of passing notes and chords, the setting out of an arrangement (including some degree of reharmonisation), rehearsal techniques, leadership and conducting concepts, cop-

ying techniques and the professional and creative goals to be achieved by career jazz arranger/composers. This unit deals mainly with the execution of arrangements for small to medium sized jazz ensembles. An agreed upon number of completed arrangements will be required each semester to be submitted to the Advanced Small ensemble for rehearsal. The students are required to have one work performed at concert practice each semester.

JAZZ 1010 Jazz Performance (Arranging) 2

6 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Jazz Performance (Arranging) 1. Corequisite: Jazz Principal Instrument 2. Classes: 4hrs/wk: 1 hr arranging lesson/ 2hr ensemble /1 hr concert practice.

**Assessment:** Approved number of arrangements submitted and rehearsed with Advanced Small Ensemble with one performance at Concert Practice (100%).

Revision and consolidation of concepts and skills introduced in Jazz Performance (Arranging) 1. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz Studies).

JAZZ 2010 Jazz Performance (Arranging) 3

6 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Jazz Performance (Arranging) 2. Corequisite: Jazz Principal Instrument 3. Classes: 4hrs/wk: 1 hr arranging lesson/ 2hr ensemble /1 hr concert practice.

**Assessment:** Approved number of arrangements submitted and rehearsed with Big Band and one performance at Concert Practice (100%).

This unit deals with more complicated arranging, orchestration and conducting techniques associated with larger ensembles such as Big Band and Jazz Studio Orchestras. There will be extensive study of reharmonisation principles, analysis of recorded arrangements, transcription work, basic string writing and preparation and execution of full orchestral arrangements. Jazz and non-jazz related material (such as film music) are studied. An approved number of compositions are to be submitted for rehearsal by the Big Band.

JAZZ 2011 Jazz Performance (Arranging) 4

6 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Jazz Performance (Arranging) 3. Corequisite: Jazz Principal Instrument 4. Classes: 5hrs/wk: 1hr arranging lesson/3hr ensemble /1 hr concert practice.

Assessment: Approved number of arrangements submitted and rehearsed with Big Band and one performance at Concert Practice (100%).

Revision and consolidation of concepts and skills introduced in Jazz Performance (Arranging) 3. An approved number of compositions are to be submitted for rehearsal by the Big Band. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz Studies).

# Jazz Performance

Jazz Performance is offered as a major study and entrance is by audition and completion of a Jazz Aptitude Test. The units accrue six credit points per semester and comprise four components:

- 1. Individual tuition
- 2. Improvisation class
- 3. Concert practice
- 4. Tutorial classes

Students will be required to attend a weekly one hour lesson with a teacher who is a specialist on their instrument/voice, a 3 hour weekly improvisation class and attend and perform as a soloist in the weekly concert practice class. For details of individual components of the stream and examination requirements refer to the Jazz Handbook and D. Montz, Chair of Jazz Studies.

#### JAZZ 1023 Jazz Performance 1

6 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Corequisite: Jazz Piano 1. Classes: One 1hr lesson/1 hr tut/3hr impro class/1 hr concert practice. Assessment: 20 min technical exam of skills in Jazz Studies Handbook (50%) plus improvisation class component (50%) plus concert practice

Enrolment is subject to audition and a Jazz aptitude test.

#### JA77 1024 Jazz Performance 2

6 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Jazz Performance 1. Corequisite: Jazz Piano 2. Classes: One 1 hr lesson/1 hr tut/3hr impro class/1 hr concert practice. Assessment: 30 min jury exam plus concert practice component (100%).

#### JAZZ 2020 Jazz Performance 3

6 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Jazz Performance 2. Corequisite: Jazz Piano 3. Classes: One 1 hr lesson/1 hr tut/3hr impro class/1 hr concert practice. Assessment: 20 min technical exam (50%) plus improvisation class component (50%) plus concert practice component.

#### **Jazz Performance 4** JAZZ 2021

6 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Jazz Performance 3. Corequisite: Jazz Piano 4. Classes: One 1 hr lesson/1 hr tut/3hr impro class/1 hr concert practice. Assessment: ADJS: 30min jury exam plus concert practice component (100%). BMus: 40min public junior recital (75%) plus repertoire jury exam (25%) plus concert practice component.

# JAZZ 3010 Jazz Performance 5

6 credit points. BMus

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Jazz Performance 4. Classes: One 1 hr lesson/1 hr tut/3hr impro class/1 hr concert practice. Assessment: 20min technical exam (50%) plus improvisation class component (50%) plus concert practice component.

#### JAZZ 301**1** Jazz Performance 6

6 credit points. BMus

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Jazz Performance 5. Classes: One 1hr lesson/1 hr tut/3hr impro class/1 hr concert practice. Assessment: 30min jury exam plus concert practice component (100%).

#### JAZZ 4010 Jazz Performance 7

6 credit points. BMus

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Jazz Performance 6. Classes: One 1 hr lesson/1 hr tut/3hr impro class/1 hr concert practice. Assessment: 30min recital (50%) plus improvisation class component (50%) plus concert practice component.

#### JAZZ 4012 Jazz Performance 8

6 credit points. BMus

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Jazz Performance 7. Classes: One 1hr lesson/1 hr tut/3hr impro class/1 hr concert practice. Assessment: 50min senior public recital (75%) plus repertoire jury exam (25%) plus concert practice component.

#### JAZZ 1025 Jazz Piano 1

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 h r tut/wk. Assessment: 1 hr technical exam (100%).

All Jazz Studies students are required to take 4 semesters of jazz piano class. The course will focus on basic keyboard technique as well as jazz chord progressions and voicings in small classes with students of like abilities. At the end of Jazz Piano 1 and Jazz Piano 3, students are assessed on their rate of progress by demonstrating successful completion of pieces and exercises. At the end of year examinations, students are required to demonstrate scales, chords, voicings, bass lines and comping. For further information contact the Chair (Jazz Studies).

#### JAZZ 1026 Jazz Piano 2

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Jazz Piano 1. Classes: On e 1 h r tut/wk. Assessment: 1 hr technical exam (100%).

Consolidation and development of concepts and skills introduced in Jazz Piano 1. For further information contact the Chair (Jazz Studies).

#### JAZZ 2022 Jazz Piano 3

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Jazz Piano 2. Classes: One 1hr tut/wk. Assessment: 1 hr technical exam (100%).

Consolidation and further development of concepts and skills introduced in Jazz Piano 2. For further information contact the Chair (Jazz Studies).

#### JAZZ 2023 Jazz Piano 4

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Jazz Piano 3. Classes: One 1 hr tut/wk. Assessment: 1 hr technical exam (100%).

Consolidation and further development of concepts and skills introduced in Jazz Piano 3. For further information contact the Chair (Jazz Studies).

# JAZZ 1027 Jazz Principal Instrument 1

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Corequisite: Jazz Performance (Arranging) 1.

Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson/wk. Assessment: Demonstrated improvement of instrumental and performance skills

The student will attend weekly individual lessons with a teacher who is a specialist on their instrument or voice. The teacher works with the student on the proper physical techniques of performing and teaches the student musicianship as it pertains to the professional performance style of improvisational Jazz music and professional music in general. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz Studies).

# JAZZ 1028 Jazz Principal Instrument 2

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Jazz Performance (Arranging) 1; Jazz Principal Instrument 1. Corequisite: Jazz Performance (Arranging) 2. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson/wk. Assessment: Demonstrated improvement of instrumental and performance skills

(100%)

Please refer to Jazz Principal Instrument 1. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz Studies).

# JAZZ 2024 Jazz Principal Instrument 3

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Jazz Performance (Arranging) 2; Jazz Principal Instrument 2. Corequisite: Jazz Performance (Arranging) 3. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson/wk. Assessment: Demonstrated improvement of instrumental and performance skills

Please refer to Jazz Principal Instrument 1. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz Studies).

#### JAZZ 2025 Jazz Principal Instrument 4

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Jazz Performance (Arranging) 3; Jazz Principal Instrument 3. Corequisite: Jazz Performance (Arranging) 4. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson/wk. Assessment: Demonstrated improvement of instrumental and performance skills

Please refer to Jazz Principal Instrument 1. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz Studies).

# Jazz Small Ensemble

Each ensemble consists of a basic rhythm section with one or more additional instruments to make up the traditional 'Combo' format. The music that is studied and performed

covers a wide range, from early jazz to contemporary jazz. Original student composition is specifically encouraged Assessment in each semester is based on all aspects of ensemble performance, including: reading, improvisation, tone, intonation, articulation, swing, time-feel, style, professional demeanour and creative ensemble interaction. Students not enrolled in Jazz Studies may enrol in this Ensemble subject to approval by the Chair of Jazz Studies and the availability of places.

JAZZ 1029 Jazz Small Ensemble 1

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Classes: On e 2 h r tut/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour, improvisational and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

Admission is subject to audition

JAZZ 1030 Jazz Small Ensemble 2

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Jazz Small Ensemble 1. Classes: One 2 h rtut/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour, improvisational and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

Admission is subject to audition

JAZZ 2026 Jazz Small Ensemble 3

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Jazz Small Ensemble 2. Classes: One 2hr tut/wk. **Assessment:** Assessment a final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour, improvisational and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

Enrolment is subject to audition.

JAZZ 2027 Jazz Small Ensemble 4

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Jazz Small Ensemble 3. Classes: One 2hr tut/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour, improvisational and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

Enrolment is subject to audition.

JAZZ 3012 Jazz Small Ensemble 5

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Jazz Small Ensemble 4. Classes: One 2hr tut/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour, improvisational and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

Enrolment is subject to audition.

JAZZ 3013 Jazz Small Ensemble 6

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Jazz Small Ensemble 5. Classes: One 2hr tut/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour, improvisational and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

Enrolment is subject to audition.

Jazz Small Ensemble 7 JAZZ 4014

3 credit points. BMus

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Prérequisite: Jazz Small Ensemble 6. Classes: One 2hr tut/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour, improvisational and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

Enrolment is subject to audition.

Jazz Small Ensemble 8 JA77 4015

3 credit points. BMus

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Jazz Small Ensemble 7. Classes: One 2hr tut/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour, improvisational and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%). Enrolment is subject to audition.

JAZZ 3018 Jazz Transcription and Analysis (Intro) 3 credit points. BMus

C. Scott (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Jazz Harmony and Arranging 4. Classes: One 1 hr tut/wk. Assessment: A folio of an approved number of analysed transcriptions (100%).

The process of formal analysis is an essential and integral part of learning the art of jazz improvisation. The aim of this unit is to enable the student to identify the form, content, language and style used in jazz soloing by examining: note choices and their relationship to the chords, motif development, elements of jazz language, and macro and micro elements of solo structure. For further information contact C. Scott (Jazz Studies).

JAZZ 2030 Jazz Vocal Workshop 1

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Classes: One 2hr tut/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour, improvisational and ensemble skills demonstrated during classes (100%).

In this unit students are trained in the skills of part-singing in the Jazz style. Students will learn vocal production and stage deportment as well as musical interpretation of Jazz standards. Sight reading, intonation, ear training, breath control, improvisation, posture and tone are expected to be learnt to a practical performance level. For further information contact the Chair (Jazz Studies).

JAZZ 2031 Jazz Vocal Workshop 2

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Jazz Vocal Workshop 1. Classes: One 2hr tut/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour, improvisational and ensemble skills demonstrated during classes (100%). Consolidation and development of content introduced in Jazz Vocal Workshop 1. For further information contact the Chair (Jazz Studies).

MCGY 3013 Late Beethoven Seminar

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1hrclass/wk. Assessment: Seminar presentation or assignment (100%).

The aim of the unit is to examine the change in the Viennese style during the first quarter of the 19th Century, marking the transition between what are traditionally called 'classic' and 'romantic' periods. This will be done through analysis, and the discussion of historico/critical surveys, aesthetics and contemporary sources.

Topics covered will be decided in consultation with the class and may include:

- Classicism/Romanticism
- 'Problematising' Beethoven's late style
- Beethoven and the fugue in the late style
- Variations as transformations
- The late quartets
- The last 5 Piano Sonatas
- Missa Solemnis
- The 9th Symphony
- Reception of the late works during Beethoven's lifetime
- Reception of the late works during the nineteenth and twentieth century
- Schubert and the tonal expansion of classical form
- The 'late' Schubert Sonatas
- The 'late' Schubert Chamber music for strings
- Symphony and Song.

# Lute Major

Lute is offered at Major level of study. At the beginning of the study each student will be assigned a lecturer with whom they normally work for the duration of the award. Continuing consultation between lecturer and student, including appraisal of technical and interpretative strengths and weaknesses, will enable regular clarification of specific learning objectives and content. At the beginning of each unit of study, the lecturer will discuss past achievements and clarify weaknesses with each student, assist them to articulate personal objectives for advancement, and recommend suitable content.

# STRG1 0 2 9Lute1(Major)

6 credit points, BMus, BMusStudies

T. Andersson (Strings)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam and one 6min concert practice performance (100%).

# STRG1 0 3 3Lute2(Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

T. Andersson (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Lute 1 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min jury recital and one 6min concert practice performance (100%).

#### STRG 2028 Lute 3 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

T. Andersson (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Lute 2 (Major) or audition. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam and two 6min concert practice performance (100%).

#### STRG 2029 Lute 4 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

T. Andersson (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Lute 3 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 40min junior recital, two 6min performances at concert practice (100%).

# STRG 3032 Lute 5 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

T. Andersson (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Lute 4 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

# STRG 3033 Lute 6 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

T. Andersson (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Lute 5 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: Concerto exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

# STRG 4039 Lute 7 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

T. Andersson (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Lute 6 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min exam, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunchtime concert performance (100%).

# STRG 4040 Lute 8 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

T. Andersson (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Lute 7 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 50min senior recital, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

# MCGY 3015 Mahler's Vienna 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

K. Lemon (Musicology)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1hrseminar/wk. Assessment: Either one 50min seminar presentation or one 2500-3000 word essay (60%), listening test (25%), participation in class discussion

This elective examines Viennese social and cultural life in general and musical life in particular during Gustav Mahler's tenure as director the Vienna Hofoper (1897-1907). Mahler's life and

works during this period are studied, as are the early tonal works of the then emerging Viennese composer, Arnold Schoenberg. For further information contact K. Lemon (Musicology).

# MCGY 3016 Mahler's Vienna 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

K. Lemon (Musicology)

Offered: July. Classes: One 1 hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Either one 50min seminar presentation or one 2500-3000 word essay (60%), listening test (25%), participation in class discussion (15%). This elective examines the period from Gustav Mahler's resignation from the Vienna Hofoper until his death (1907-1911). Mahler's late works and his life during this period are studied, as are the early 'atonal' works of Arnold Schoenberg. For further information contact K. Lemon (Musicology).

#### GENS 1050 Managing Stress in Music Performance 3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus Offered: February. Classes: 1hr/wk. Assessment: 30% continuous assessment in tutorials; 30% tutorial presentation; 40% major written assignment.

Stress is a part of any musical performer's life, from undergraduate studies to professional performances. This elective explores the types of stresses which students may experience in their musical life, ranging from organising practice to handling music performance anxiety. This subject also explores possible solutions and strategies to deal with stress and to make performances more effective, enjoyable and stress-free. A large part of this subject is devoted to students exploring their own stresses and developing an individual music performance strategy. The emphasis of this unit is upon practical solutions to everyday performing problems.

# MCGY1023 Medieval and Renaissance Studies

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr K Nelson (Musicology)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Music History 1 and 2 and any other 2 units of Music History. Classes: One 1 hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Short presentation and bibliography for class project (15%); seminar presentation on essay topic (35%); 2000w essay (50%).

This one-semester unit gives students the opportunity to expand their knowledge of music of the Middle Ages through to the late 16th century beyond that gained in Music History 1 and 2 or similar survey courses. Students interested in this area are encouraged to take at least one semester of Palaeography. Topics for study are chosen in order to expand knowledge of repertoire and from areas such as genres, styles, music for the liturgy, aspects of performance practice, and transcription and editing of manuscript or early printed music sources. Among the composers whose work is likely to be studied are Hildegard of Bingen, Machaut, Landini, Ockeghem, Josquin, and Lassus. A short class project at the beginning of each semester may, for example, be a study of internationally-known performance ensembles specialising in music of these periods, or a study of instruments used in these eras.

## VSAO 1012 Movement and Stagecraft 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipOp

Dr R.Popenhagen

Offered: February. Corequisite: Voice 1 (Major) or Opera Voice 1. Classes: 2hrs/wk: stagecraft 1hr, movement 1 hr. Assessment: Demonstrated personal commitment to improve skills, weekly preparation and disciplined and cooperative behaviour (100%). The unit aims to develop self-confidence, assurance, an objective awareness of the body as a medium for communication and the ability to work with others. Classes develop techniques of stage presence, gesture, characterisation, and voice/body harmony. The basic principles of movement are studied: strength, flexibility and stamina are increased and a wide vocabulary of movement is developed. A variety of rhythms, tempi, dynamics and spatial shapes are experienced and the body and mind are trained to memorise movement phrases and patterns. For further information contact the Chair of Vocal Studies.

# VSAO 1013 Movement and Stagecraft 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipOp

DrR. Popenhagen

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Movement and Stagecraft 1. Corequisite: Voice 2 (Major) or Opera Voice 2. Classes: 2hrs/wk: stagecraft 1hr, movement 1 hr. Assessment: Demonstrated personal commitment to improve skills, weekly preparation and disciplined and cooperative behaviour (100%).

Please refer to Movement and Stagecraft 1. For further information contact the Chair of Vocal Studies.

# VSAO 2008 Movement and Stagecraft 3

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipOp

DrR. Popenhagen

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Movement and Stagecraft 2. Corequisite: Voice 3 (Major) or Opera Voice 3. Classes: 2hrs/wk: stagecraft 1hr, movement 1 hr. Assessment: Demonstrated personal commitment to improve skills, weekly preparation and disciplined and cooperative behaviour (100%).

Please refer to Movement and Stagecraft 1. For further information contact the Chair of Vocal Studies.

# VSAO 2009 Movement and Stagecraft 4

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipOp

Dr R.Popenhagen

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Movement and Stagecraft 3.

Corequisite: Voice 4 (Major) or Opera Voice 4. Classes: 2hrs/wk: stagecraft 1hr, movement 1hr. Assessment: Demonstrated personal commitment to improve skills, weekly preparation and disciplined and cooperative behaviour (100%).

Please refer to Movement and Stagecraft 1. For further information contact the Chair of Vocal Studies.

# VSAO 3006 Movement and Stagecraft 5

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipOp

Dr R. Popenhagen (Opera Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Movement and Stagecraft 4. Corequisite: Voice 5 (Major) or Opera Voice 5. Classes: 2hrs/wk: stagecraft 1 hr, movement 1 hr. Assessment: Demonstrated personal commitment to improve skills, weekly preparation and disciplined and cooperative behaviour (100%).

Please refer to Movement and Stagecraft 1. For further information contact the Chair of Vocal Studies.

#### VSAO 3007 Movement and Stagecraft 6

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipOp

Dr R. Popenhagen (Opera Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Movement and Stagecraft 5. Corequisite: Voice 6 (Major) or Opera Voice 6. Classes: 2hrs/wk:

stagecraft 1 hr, movement 1hr. Assessment: Demonstrated personal commitment to improve skills, weekly preparation and disciplined and cooperative behaviour (100%).

Please refer to Movement and Stagecraft 1. For further information contact the Chair of Vocal Studies.

# MUED 1006 Music Education 1: Significant Methods

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies

Dr K. Marsh (Music Education)

Offered: February. Classes: 2hr workshop/wk. Assessment: Essay; design of learning experiences which demonstrate an understanding of relevant method(s)

This unit will provide students with an opportunity to develop knowledge of, and teaching skills relating to significant music education metfiods. Students will focus on a number of internationally recognised approaches to teaching music, including those developed by Dalcroze, Kodaly and Orff, and more recent innovations. Students will participate in learning experiences which develop their musical knowledge and are suitable for application to a variety of teaching situations, especially classroom teaching.

**Textbooks** 

Choksy L et al. Teaching music in the twentieth century. Englewood Cliffs, NJ: Prentice-Hall, 1986

#### MUED 4999 Music Education 2: Pre-Secondary Music

3 credit points. BMus

Dr K. Marsh (Music Education)

Offered: July. Corequisite: Teaching Practicum 1. Classes: 2hr workshop/wk. Assessment: Planning and implementation of music experiences for children K-6. The major assignment will be linked with the student's Teaching Practicum 1 experience.

This unit develops the knowledge and skills fundamental to the planning, provision and evaluation of effective music learning experiences for children in the infants and primary school. Students will participate in a range of practical activities in order to acquire a repertoire of developmentally appropriate music experiences for teaching and learning in K-6 settings. Students will become familiar with the approaches and content of current music and creative arts curriculum documents and resources, and will plan sequential music experiences which facilitate the children's development of musical creativity, skills and concepts and which incorporate cultural diversity.

Campbell PS. Songs in their heads. New York: Oxford University

Press, 1998 Campbell PS & Scott-Kassner C. Music in childhood: preschool

through elementary grades. New York: Schirmer, 1995 Glover J & Young S. Primary music: later years. London: Falmer,

# MUED 2003 Music Education 3: History & Philosophy

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies

Dr P. Dunbar-Hall (Music Education)

Offered: July. Classes: 2hrs/wk. Assessment: Seminar presentation (30%), exam (20%), assignment (50%).

In this unit students examine the history of music education for the purpose of gaining an understanding of philosophies of music education, how these have developed, and their implications for current practice. The historical range of the unit is from the time of Plato to the present, with emphasis on the writings and methodologies of Guido d'Arrezzo, Thomas Morley, Carl Orff, Zoltan Kodaly, Jacques Dalcroze, and Bennett Reimer. Consideration of philosophies of music education in non-Western based systems will also be covered.

Textbooks

Mark D. Source readings in music education History. New York: Schirmer, 1982

Reimer B. A philosophy of music education. Englewood Cliffs, NJ: Prentice-Hall, 1989

# MUED 3000 Music Education 4: Choral Pedagogy

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies N. McEwan (Music Education)

Offered: February. Classes: 2hrs/wk. Assessment: Composition/ arrangement for available resources (40%), preparation and conducting of score (30%), assignment (30%).

This unit uses theory and practice to develop skills in choir training. There will be treatment of specific techniques in the areas of voice production, rehearsal skills and conducting. The various aspects of planning and structuring a rehearsal will be dealt with as separate components. Topics will include voice types, psychology of singing, conducting styles, choral balance and

## MUED 4002 Music Education 5: Technology in Music

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies Dr A. Hood (Music Education)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Music Technology 1. Classes: 24 hours/semester delivered as two 2hr seminars for 6 weeks.

Assessment: Composition (50%); essay (50%).

The unit examines areas of music technology relevant to musicians with an interest in Music Education. The class will explore digital sampling and the manipulation of sound files on a computer. Students will be introduced to more advanced techniques in the recording studio, using mixing desks, effects units, DAT machines and so on. The MIDI protocol will be studied in greater depth, with particular attention to external synthesis units and samplers, and alternative MIDI controllers such as the MIDI drum kit and Disklavier piano. Finally, strategies to incorporate

music technology into a school teaching program will be discussed.

MUED 2002 Music Education 6: Jnr Secondary Music 3 credit points. BMus

Dr P. Dunbar-Hall (Music Education)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Music Education 2: Pre-secondary Music. Corequisite: Teaching Practicum 2. Classes: 2hr workshop/wk. Assessment: Major assignment 40%; presentation 15%; documentation 45%. Assignment will be based on Teaching Practicum 2.

In this unit students study music education in Junior Secondary Schools. This includes:

- i. examination of Australian and international syllabuses
- ii. experience and analysis of strategies for teaching listening skills, practical music, and musical understanding
  - iii. the role of creativity in music teaching and learning
- iv. musical concepts and processes and their significance to music education
  - v. resource selection and development.

MUED 4004 Music Education 7: Multicultural Studies 3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies Dr K. Marsh (Music Education)

**Offered:** February. **Classes:** 2hr seminar/wk. **Assessment:** Annotated bibliography, fieldwork assignment and seminar presentation.

This unit prepares students to teach music in a multicultural society. Music of a range of cultures is investigated and techniques are given for transforming these findings into strategies for music education. Provision is made for the collection, evaluation and development of music resources for use in multicultural music education. Culture-specific learning processes are examined, and music is studied in terms of itself, its style and structure, and as part of the socio-cultural matrix from which it comes.

# MUED 4006 Music Education 8: Popular Music Studies

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies Dr P. Dunbar-Hall (Music Education)

Offered: February. Classes: 2hr workshop/wk. Assessment: Presentation (30%), report (20%), assignment (50%).

The purpose of this unit is to examine methods for teaching popular music. This includes study of relevant literature, investigation of the place of popular music in music education, analysis methods suitable for popular music, composition and performance of popular music, and technology aspects of popular music studies.

# MUED 4000 Music Education 9: Instrumental Pedagogy

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies Dr P. Dunbar-Hall (Music Education)

**Offered:** February. **Classes:** 2hr workshop/wk. **Assessment:** Composition (25%); rehearsal/conducting techniques (25%); take home test (20%); exam (20%); class tasks (10%).

This unit provides students with opportunities to:

- i. develop knowledge of the conventions of scoring and notating music for instrumental ensembles
  - ii. study and apply conducting techniques
  - iii. learn and refine baton technique
- iii. compose or arrange a piece of music for an available ensemble
  - iv. observe, plan and run instrumental rehearsals
- v. examine the role of instrumental ensembles in music education

**Textbooks** 

Hunsberger D, Ernst R. The art of conducting. New York: Knopf, 1983

Essential Equipment: Each student must have a baton and a blank video cassette for taping his/her conducting.

MUED 3004 Music Education 10: Senior Secondary 3 credit points. BMus

Dr P. Dunbar-Hall (Music Education)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Music Education 6: Junior Secondary Music Education. Corequisite: Teaching Practicum 3. Classes: 2hr workshop/week. Assessment: Seminar presentation, assignment. The major assignment will be based on Teaching Practicum 3 experience.

In this unit students investigate the principles of music teaching and learning at the senior secondary level. Topics include:

- · music needs and interests of senior pupils
- techniques for teaching and assessing composition
- developing student skills in aural perception and performance
- methods for teaching musicological understanding
- analytical techniques suitable for a range of musical styles
- curriculum documents
- methods of evaluation and assessment.

# MUED 4001 Music Ed 11: Adv Instrumental Pedagogy

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies Dr P. Dunbar-Hall (Music Education)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Music Education 9: Instrumental Pedagogy. Classes: 2hr workshop/wk. Assessment: Submission of an original composition scored for a workshop group (35%), running a rehearsal / conducting techniques (35%), conducting test (30%). This unit aims to address areas relevant to music education and instrumental ensembles, by providing students with opportunities to:

- extend concepts and techniques involved in conducting and rehearsing instrumental ensembles
- acquire a knowledge of the repertoire of various ensemble types including concert bands and stage bands
- refine skills in score reading and preparation of new material
- compose a piece of music for an available ensemble
- examine jazz scoring, composition and performing conventions
- examine the role of instrumental ensembles in music education.

Textbooks

Hunsberger D. Ernst R. The art of conducting. New York: Knopf, 1983

Essential Equipment: Each student must have a baton and a blank video cassette for taping his/her conducting.

# MUED 3001 Music Education 12: Adv Choral Pedagogy

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies N. McEwan (Music Education)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Music Education 4: Choral Pedagogy. Classes: 2hrs/wk. Assessment: Composition of an original score for choral group (40%), preparation and conducting of score (40%), assignment (20%).

Apractical unit aimed at deepening students' awareness of style and technique in the areas of conducting and training skills together with performance practice for vocal groups. A wide variety of repertoire and styles will be examined. Special emphasis will be given to the training of childrens' voices.

# MUED 1001 Music Education 13: Composition Studies

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies Dr P. Dunbar-Hall (Music Education)

Offered: February. Classes: 2hr workshop/wk. Assessment: Composition for small ensemble 50%; solo instrumental composition and seminar presentation 50%.

In this unit, students study composition tihrough the completion of a number of composition technique tasks for the purpose of understanding the nature of composition and how it can be taught. Work to be completed will be for available instruments and/or voices in seminar groups, and will include the documentation and evaluation of the processes of composition which have been undertaken.

MUED 1004 Music Education 14: Non Western Music 3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr P Dunbar-Hall

Offered: February. Classes: 2 hours workshop/wk. Assessment: Attendance at all sessions; performance; regular submission of written reports; major assignment.

An important expectation of all music educators is the ability to teach from a perspective which acknowledges the cultural dimensions of music. To encourage the development of this, this unit provides students with the opportunity to study a musical culture through direct experience of it, and to analyse the implications for teaching and learning that this presents. Issues dealing with methodologies of teaching, learning and research; ethical considerations; and the availability and applications of resources are covered in the unit.

### MUED 3029 Music Ed Honours 1: Research Methods 1

3 credit points. BMus

Dr K. Marsh (Music Education)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: None. Classes: 2hrseminar/week. Assessment: Literature review relating to proposed research

project; research critique; seminar presentations and participation. The aims of this subject are to develop an understanding of music education research processes, and to identify research methods suitable for individual students' research topics. It examines a range of music education research paradigms which can broadly be categorised as qualitative or quantitative and introduces students to related research procedures. Readings and seminar activities are designed to facilitate students' critical analysis of research in terms of the relevant research methodologies. Students will also develop strategies for locating and reviewing literature pertaining to their fields of research interest. At the culmination of this course, students will submit a preliminary literature review as the initial phase in the preparation of their research proposals.

# MUED 3030 Music Ed Honours 2: Research Methods 2

3 credit points. BMus

Dr K. Marsh (Music Education)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Music Education Honours 1: Research Methods 1. Classes: 2hr seminar/week. Assessment: Research proposal and associated ethics documentation; practical data analysis exercises; seminar presentations and participation.

This unit of study consolidates and extends skills acquired in Research Methods 1. The first objective is to acquaint students with the variety of data analysis procedures employed in music education research. Evolving skills will be extended through practical tasks in which students examine and apply a range of qualitative and quantitative data analysis procedures. A further objective is the completion of a research proposal. Through ongoing reading and critical evaluation of related research literature, students will prepare a research proposal for implementation in the final year of the course. Ethical issues in music education research are an adjunct area of study and students will submit all documentation required for ethics approval of their proposed research.

# MUED 4012 Music Education Hons 3: Special Study 1

3 credit points. BMus

Dr K. Marsh (Music Education)

Offered: February. Classes: 30 min supervision/wk; group seminars. Assessment: Oral presentation to peers and staff, outlining the topic and reviewing the literature; completed draft of first three chapters of the Special Study Report. In this unit students work individually on their Special Study

In this unit students work individually on their Special Study research topic, each under the supervision of a designated supervisor. The focus of research during this semester should be data collection and expansion of the literature review. To ensure continued progress, students are required to give an oral presentation on their topics and to complete a draft of the first three chapters of their Special Study Report (including an outline of the topic and its significance, a review of the relevant literature and discussion of the methodology).

# MUED 4020 Music Education Hons 4: Special Study 2

6 credit points. BMus

Dr K Marsh (Music Education)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: MUED 4012. Classes: 30 min supervision/wk; group seminars. Assessment: 10,000-15,000 word written Special Study (100%). Oral presentation of Special Study. Students continue work on their research projects under the individual supervision of Conservatorium staff. During this semester, data collection and analysis should be completed, leading to the submission of the research report by the end of the semester. Toward the end of the semester each student will make an oral presentation of their Special Study, discussing the results of the study and its implications.

# MCGY1 0 1 3 Music History 1: Medieval & Renaissance

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

Dr K. Nelson (Musicology)

Offered: February. Classes: One 50 min lecture and one 50 min tutorial/wk. Assessment: Mid semester test (20%), 1200w essay (40%) and 1.5hr final exam (40%).

This unit presents a largely chronological study of major developments in the history of Western art music of the Middle Ages and Renaissance: from the 9th century to 1600. The emergence of different styles and forms is examined through analysis of selected musical examples. Lectures also deal with the relation of music to contemporaneous events, religious and political, as well as technological developments such as music printing. Tutorials provide a detailed analysis of selected pieces, as well as the opportunity for students to discuss further the materials presented there and in the lectures. Emphasis is placed on listening to a wide variety of music. Below is a list of topics to be covered.

- chant: Gregorian chant, later medieval chant, and Hildegard of Bingen
- music of the troubadours and trouveres,
- early polyphony and the Notre Dame school
- French Ars nova and Italian Trecento: Machaut and Landini
- 15th-century English music and Dunstable
- Dufay and Ockeghem
- Josquin des Prez and his contemporaries
- the 16th-century madrigal
- 16th-century instrumental music and instruments
- 16th century sacred polyphony: Palestrina and Lasso
- monody and the beginnings of opera

Textbooks

Grout DJ, Palisca CV. A history of Western music. 5th ed. London & New York: Norton, 1996

Palisca CV, ed. Norton anthology of Western Music. Vol 1. 3rd ed. London & New York: Norton, 1996

MCGY1 0 1 4 Music History 2: Baroque

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

Dr K. Nelson (Musicology)

Offered: July. Classes: One 50 min lecture and one 50 min tutorial/ wk. Assessment: 1200w essay (50%) and 2hr final exam (50%). This unit presents a largely chronological survey of western art music of the baroque period: 1600 to 1750. The lectures deal with the emergence and development of musical forms and styles, relating these to contemporary political and social developments where possible. Tutorials are devoted to detailed analysis of selected pieces and provide opportunity for students to discuss material covered there and in lectures. Emphasis is placed on listening to a wide variety of music. Below is a list of topics to be covered.

- · the meaning of 'baroque'
- Monteverdi and the early 17th century
- early baroque instrumental music: Frescobaldi, Sweelinck, etc
- sacred concerto and 17th-century oratorio: Schiitz and Carissimi
- mid baroque opera: Purcell, Lully and Alessandro Scarlatti
- the sonata: from Corelli to J. S. Bach
- the instrumental concerto: from Torelli to J. S. Bach
- operas and oratorios of Handel
- the music of J. S. Bach

**Textbooks** 

Grout DJ, Palisca CV. A history of Western music. 5th ed. London & New York: Norton, 1996

Palisca CV, ed. Norton anthology of Western Music. Vol 1. 3rd ed. London & New York: Norton, 1996

# M C G Y 2 0 1 2 Music History 3:1751-1825

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

D. Priest (Musicology)

**Offered:** February. Classes: 1 lecture, 1 tutorial/wk. Assessment: Mid-semester test (30%), examination (50%) and tutorial contribution (20%).

The unit deals with European pre-classical and classical periods. The first lecture is on the notion of classicism, and on the political, social and philosophical background to the period. Other topics include the Empfindsamer Stil, and the growth of opera, symphony and string quartet with reference to the works of Haydn, Mozart and Beethoven.

**Textbooks** 

Grout D.J. and Palisca CV A history of Western music. 5th ed. New York, 1996

# MCGY2013MusicHistory4:1826-1890

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

D. Priest (Musicology)

Offered: July. Classes: 1 lecture, 1 tutorial / wk. Assessment: Midsemester test (30%); examination (50%) and tutorial contribution (20%).

The unit deals with European music in the Romantic period and some of the trends which prepared the way for the radical changes of the twentieth century. The first two lectures cover definitions of Romanticism, the political, social and philosophical background to the period, and trends in arts other than music. Composers to be studied include Chopin, Berlioz, Schumann, Verdi, Liszt, Brahms and Wagner.

**Textbooks** 

Grout D.J. and Palisca CV. A history of Western music. 5th ed. New York, 1996

#### MCGY 2008 Music History 5:1890-1950

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus R. Toop (Musicology)

R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1hr lec and one 1 h rtut/wk.

Assessment: Examination (100%).

Traces the essential developments in 20th century Western art music to the 2nd World War and relates them to broad changes, artistic and otherwise, in 20th century society. The overview given in the lecture series is reinforced by analysis of key-works in the tutorial. Areas covered include: Fin de siecle Romanticism in Germany; anti- and post-Romantic trends in French music; the collapse of tonality; development of new rhythmic theories; the neo-classical movement; the influence of jazz and popular music; the beginnings of serialism; music in Soviet Russia; the establishment of a 'mainstream' in the 1930s. Works analysed include compositions by Bartok, Berg, Debussy, Hindemith, Ives, Ravel, Schonberg, Scriabin, Stravinsky, Varese and Webern. For further information contact R. Toop (Musicology). *Textbooks* 

Griffiths P. Modern Music: a concise history of modern music.

London, Thames & Hudson, 1978

Morgan RP. Twentieth century music. New York: Norton, 1991 Watkins G. Soundings: music of the twentieth century. New York: Schirmer, 1986 Ford A. Illegal Harmonies. Sydney, Hale 1997

# MCGY 2009 Music History 6: Post 1950

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: February, July. Classes: One 1 hr lec and one 1 hr tut/wk. Assessment: Examination (100%).

Traces the essential developments in 20th century Western art music since the 2nd World War and relates mem to broad changes, artistic and otherwise, in post-war society. The overview given in the lecture series is reinforced by analysis of key-works in the tutorial. Areas covered include: Total serialisation; experimental tendencies in American music; electro-acoustic music; open forms and textural composition; collage; minimalism; music and politics; extended instrumental techniques; East-West fusions; neo-romanticism and the emergence of a post-modern

aesthetic. Works analysed include compositions by Andriessen, Cage, Carter, Ligeti, Lutoslawski, Messiaen, Reich, Sciarrino, Stockhausen and Xenakis. For further information contact R. Toop (Musicology).

**Textbooks** 

As for Music History 5 plus:

Griffiths P. Modern music and after. London: OUP, 1996 Schwartz E, Godfrey D. Music since 1945. New York: Schirmer, 1993

#### VSAO 1006 Music Skills 1

3 credit points. DipOp

Chair (Opera Studies)

Offered: February. Classes: 4hrs/wk. Assessment: Mid-semester: 1 hr written exam (12%), 5min sight-singing test (18%). End of semester: 1 hr written exam (20%), 10min sight-singing test (25%); piano skills (25%).

In this unit students will learn basic practical music skills aimed at considerably speeding the learning process of vocal music and its understanding. There will be one practical workshop each week, and one where reading and dictation will take place. The student will learn the following skills:

- sight reading of melody;
- singing and recognition of intervals (up to and including an 8ve);
- simple conducting patterns;
- aural recognition of orchestral instruments;
- · score reading exercises;
- aural analysis of vocal works;
- · scale singing;
- ability to sing and recognise basic harmonic progressions;
- one and two part rhythmic exercises, both practical and dictation; and
- · counterpoint and part-singing.

In cases of small enrolments, the classes for this unit may be amended or students may be included in other units of study. For further information contact the Chair (Opera Studies).

# VSAO 1007 Music Skills 2

3 credit points. DipOp

Chair (Opera Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Music Skills 1. Classes: 4hrs/wk. Assessment: Mid-semester: 1 hr written exam (12%), 5min sight-singing test (18%). End of semester: 1 hr written exam (20%), 10min sight-singing test (25%); piano skills (25%).

Consolidation and extension, at a higher level of difficulty, of concepts and skills introduced in Music Skills 1. In cases of small enrolments, the classes for this unit may be amended or students may be included in other units of study. For further information contact the Chair of Opera Studies.

# VSAO 2002 Music Skills 3

3 credit points. DipOp

Chair (Opera Studies)

**Offered:** February. Prerequisite: Music Skills 2. Classes: 2hrs/wk. Assessment: Mid-semester: 1 hr written exam (10%), 5min sight-singing test (15%). End of semester: 1 hr written exam (15%), 10min sight-singing test (20%); piano skills (30%), periodic written assignments and participation (10%).

As well as continuing with much of the work studied in Music Skills 1 and 2, many new principles and areas will be covered. These include:

- changing metre rhythms (both practical and dictation);
- · diminished 7th chords;
- · rhythmic elaboration;
- more challenging sight singing and part singing;
- chromatic harmony, and;
- aural and structural analysis of unsighted works.

In cases of small enrolments, the classes for this unit may be amended or students may be included in other units of study. For further information contact the Chair of Opera Studies.

VSAO 3000 Music Skills 4

3 credit points. DipOp Chair (Opera Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Music Skills 3. Classes: 2hrs/wk. Assessment: Mid-semester: 1 hr written exam (10%), 5min sightsinging test (15%). End of semester: 1hr written exam (15%), 10min sight-singing test (20%); piano skills (30%), periodic written assignments and participation (10%).

A continuation of the previous two years' studies in Music Skills with emphasis placed on the following areas:

- sight singing from the late Romantic and 20th century vocal literature; wholetone; octatonic scales; atonal melody;
- rhythm practice and identification from the periods;
- chromatic harmony techniques;
- basic atonal analysis and techniques:
- aural analysis of the vocal music of this period; and
- part singing.

Students are expected to understand the major compositional techniques used in the early 20th century repertoire and demonstrate this understanding through analysis assignments using vocal works of this period. In cases of small enrolments, the classes for this unit may be amended or students may be included in other units of study. For further information contact the Chair of Opera Studies.

#### MUED 1002 Music Technology 1

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies Dr A Hood (Music Education)

Offered: February, July. Classes: One 1 hour lecture and one 1hour tutorial/wk. Assessment: Short essay (30%); composition or arrangement (40%); studio assessment (30%).

The aim of this unit is to give students proficiency in key areas of music technology. Students will be introduced to the Internet and gain experience on the World Wide Web, with a particular focus on current music resources. The MIDI protocol will be studied, and key soundfile formats examined. Finally, students will develop studio techniques, using the mixing desk, microphone, effects units and so on.

Students with last names commencing with A to K should enrol in the February Semester; those with last name commencing with L to Z should enrol in July Semester.

#### MCGY 3017 Music Through Literature

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Associate Professor P. McCallum (Musicology)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Seminar presentation (50%), 2000w essay (50%).

This unit will explore specific works of literature which deal with musical matters or which make significant statements about musical aesthetics. The contribution towards understanding musical experience of creative artists who are not, or not primarily, musicians, is sometimes ignored in courses for the training of musicians. Yet, in the case of writers, such artists are often better equipped than musical professionals to capture in words, the ineffable nature of musical experience and aesthetics. Moreover their place as receivers rather man creators sometimes enables them to make statements about the broader cultural significance from a perspective outside that of production and performance. This course exists to allow trainee performers, teachers and musicologists an opportunity to explore such perspectives.

Topics will include novels by: Thomas Mann, Herman Hesse, Gunter Grass, Milan Kundera, James Joyce, Brace Chatwin, Thea Astley, Vikram Seth and others. For further information contact Associate Professor P. McCallum (Musicology).

#### CMPN 2018 Musical Applicn: Psychological Acoustics

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Cabrera (Composition)

Offered: July. Classes: One 2hr class/wk. Assessment:

Assessment will involve a major exercise (60%) and a minor exercise (40%). One of these will be a short composition, and the other an analysis - the student will decide which exercise to

After an introduction to physical and psychological acoustics, the unit will study the measurement and synthesis of basic psychoacoustic phenomena including loudness, pitch, and timbre. It will also examine methods of synthesising more complex phenomena, including auditory space and temporal structures. There will be an emphasis on the practical application of theory using computers.

# Musicology Major, Honours and Minor

Musicology is offered at Major and Minor levels, with the possibility of Honours for those studying at the major level in the Bachelor of Music. The study of musicology is suitable for students who intend to become professional musicologists, to specialise in the higher levels of music education, or to follow careers in broadcasting, recording, music administration, music librarianship, publishing, criticism and other related industries.

Musicology trains students in the methods and skills of musicological study and research. Students gain experience in various methodologies, and in the application of techniques of observation and analysis which are traditionally cultivated for the detailed investigation of Western art music. Students will develop skills in music information literacy, research method, writing, and the presentation of spoken papers. They will furthermore develop a deeper and broader knowledge and understanding of music history than is normally possible in the undergraduate degrees. By the end of the third year students will have the independent research skills suitable for the conduct of the substantial project which is undertaken throughout the fourth year. Subjects for study in the fourth year and earlier may be chosen by students subject to the availability of suitable supervisory staff.

Transfer from another major is allowed, subject to the consent of the Chair of Musicology, at any time up to the end of the second year. Transferring students must complete the first year of the Musicology major before any advanced standing will be considered. Transfer from Musicology minor to Musicology major is also possible subject to the consent of the Chair of Musicology. Two units of the minor will normally be deemed equivalent to one unit of the major.

For further information contact R. Toop (Musicology).

# MCGY 1017 Musicology 1 (Major) 6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: February. Classes: One 2hr class/wk. Assessment: Annotated bibliography and 2500w paper on a topic of medieval music (to early 15th century), research process (100%).

The emphasis in Musicology 1-4 (Major) is strongly methodological, and is directed towards training students to become increasingly self-reliant researchers, as well as assisting them in the clear and accurate presentation of their findings. Topics to some extent will relate to areas covered contemporaneously in the foundation Music History courses. Assessment is primarily based on the major written paper for each semester. In addition, the assessing tutor will normally take into account the research process and initiative demonstrated by the student throughout the semester. The paper lengths specified are a guide only and are likely to vary according to the project. It is strongly recommended that students taking Musicology land 2 (Major) attend Musicology Workshop whilst enrolled in the first year of the major. From Musicology 3 (Major), students will be required to enrol and participate in Musicology Workshop as a corequisite. **Textbooks** 

Turabian KL. A manual for writers of term papers, theses, and dissertations. 6th ed. Chicago: University of Chicago Press,

#### MCGY 1004 Musicology 1 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Ft. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: February. Classes: One half-hr individual tuition or one 1 hr small class tut/wk. Assessment: 2000-2500W paper (100%). Topics for study are chosen according to student interest with the guidance of the tutor but may be limited by the availability of suitable supervision. It is recommended that for a student taking more than two semesters of Musicology Minor, historical topics be chosen from different periods of music history in such a way that no more man two semester topics are from the same period. Furthermore, a student hoping to transfer to Musicology Major or planning to undertake the Minor for two or more years is advised to undertake topics in their first three semesters similar to those being covered in the first year of the Major.

MCGY1 0 1 8 Musicology 2 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Musicology 1 (Major). Classes: One 2hr ciass/wk. Assessment: 2500w paper on Renaissance music, 1200w bibliographic essay on atopic of 17th century music, research process (100%).

Please refer to Musicology 1 (Major). It is strongly recommended that students taking Musicology land 2 (Major) attend Musicology Workshop whilst enrolled in the first year of the major. From Musicology 3 (Major), students will be required to enrol and participate in Musicology Workshop as a corequisite.

MCGY1 0 0 5 Musicology2 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: July. Classes: One haif-hr individual tuition or one 1 hr small class tut/wk. Assessment: 2000-2500w paper (100%).

Please refer to Musicology 1 (Minor).

MCGY2 0 1 4Musicology3(Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Musicology 2 (Major).

Corequisite: Musicology Workshop 1. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson/wk. Assessment: Reading assignment with informal written report on a topic complementary to that of the main semester paper, 3000w paper on a topic of 18th century music, research process (100%)

Please refer to Musicology 1 (Major).

MCGY2 0 2 3 Musicology 3 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Musicology 2 (Minor). Classes: One half-hr individual tuition or one 1 hr small class tut/wk.

Assessment: 2500w paper (100%).

Please refer to Musicology 1 (Minor).

MCGY2 0 1 5 Musicology 4 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Musicology 3 (Major). Corequisite: Musicology Workshop 2. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson/wk. Assessment: Reading assignment / literature survey with written report, 3000w paper, research process (100%).

Please refer to Musicology 1 (Major).

MCGY 2024 Musicology 4 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Toop (Musicology)

**Offered:** July. **Prerequisite:** Musicology 3 (Minor). **Classes:** One half-hr individual tuition or one 1 hr small class tut/wk. **Assessment:** 2500w paper (100%).

Please refer to Musicology 1 (Minor).

MCGY 3020 Musicology 5 (Honours)

6 credit points. BMus R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Musicology 4 (Major).

Corequisite: Musicology Workshop 3. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson/wk. Assessment: One major paper of about 3500w, reading assignment on the discipline of musicology and/or music

historiography, research process (100%). Please refer to Musicology 5 (Major).

MCGY 3019 Musicology 5 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Musicology 4 (Major).

Corequisite: Musicology Workshop 3. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson/wk. Assessment: Major paper of about 3500w, research process (100%).

Musicology 5 and 6 (Major and Honours) lead to a greater degree of autonomy and specialisation. Each student prepares one major paper each semester, and is expected to participate to an

increasing extent in the selection and definition of research topics. Attention is given to the criteria which lead to the definition of fruitful research areas, and to the discipline required to conduct independent study within prescribed time limits. Assessment is based primarily on the major paper in its final submitted form. In addition the assessing tutor will normally take into account the research process and initiative demonstrated by the students throughout the semester. Honours students will normally be encouraged to acquire a reading knowledge of a major European language if they do not already have such knowledge.

Students taking the major as part of the BMusStudies may apply to undertake a single substantial paper in the third year instead of the usual structure of a different paper for each of Musicology 5 and 6.

MCGY 3045 Musicology 5 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Musicology 4 (Minor). Classes: One half-hr individual tuition or one 1 hr small class tut/wk.

**Assessment:** 3000w paper (100%). Please refer to Musicology 1 (Minor).

MCGY 3022 Musicology 6 (Honours)

6 credit points. BMus R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Musicology 5 (Honours). Corequisite: Musicology Workshop 4. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson/wk. Assessment: Major paper of about 3500w, review of literature dealing with varied contemporary approaches to musicological research, research process (100%).

Please refer to Musicology 5 (Major).

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MCGY 3021 Musicology 6 (Major) 6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Musicology 5 (Major). Corequisite: Musicology Workshop 4. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson/wk. Assessment: Major paper of about 3500w, research process (100%).

Please refer to Musicology 5 (Major).

MCGY 3046 Musicology 6 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Toop (Musicology)

**Offered: July. Prerequisite:** Musicology 5 (Minor). **Classes:** One half-hr individual tuition or one 1 hr small class tut/wk. **Assessment:** 3000w paper (100%).

Please refer to Musicology 1(Minor).

MCGY 4003 Musicology 7 (Honours)

6 credit points. BMus R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Musicology 7 (Honours).

**Corequisite:** Musicology Workshop 5. **Classes:** One 1 hr individual lesson/wk. **Assessment:** Work-in-progress including a formal research proposal in preparation for the thesis to be presented at the end of Musicology 8 (Honours) (100%).

For further information contact R. Toop (Musicology).

MCGY 4002 Musicology 7 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Musicology 6 (Major).

Corequisite: Musicology Workshop 5. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson/wk. Assessment: Work-in-progress towards the research paper to be presented in Musicology 8 (Major).

For further information contact R. Toop (Musicology).

MCGY 4047 Musicology 7 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Musicology 6 (Minor). Classes: One half-hr individual tuition or one 1 hr small class tut/wk.

Assessment: Literature survey and written work-in-progress towards the major paper to be completed in semester 8 (100%). Please refer to Musicology 1 (Minor).

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## MCGY 4005 Musicology 8 (Honours)

6 credit points. BMus

R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Musicology 7 (Honours). Corequisite: Musicology Workshop 6. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson/wk. Assessment: 14,000-16,000w thesis of a standard suitable for submission to a refereed musicological journal (70%); public presentation of this paper or parts of it in a situation replicating the presentation of a conference paper (30%).

For further information contact R. Toop (Musicology).

MCGY 4004 Musicology 8 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Musicology 7 (Major). Corequisite: Musicology Workshop 6. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson/wk. Assessment: 11,000-12,000w research paper (100%).

For further information contact R. Toop (Musicology).

MCGY 4048 Musicology 8 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Musicology 7 (Minor). Classes: One half-hr individual tuition or one 1 hr small class tut/wk. Assessment: One major paper of approx. 6000w.

Please refer to Musicology 1 (Minor).

# Musicology Workshop

Musicology Workshop is a forum for undergraduate Musicology majors and postgraduate musicology students. It gives students the opportunity to present their own work in a seminar format and to discuss issues and methodology with the whole group, gaining practice in presentation and feedback. Occasional class projects are also held in which the whole group focusses on a project such as the discussion of a recent conference, musicological issues, recent literature, book reviewing, methods of spoken and written presentation, or editorial method. Workshop meetings may occasionally take place at a different time or place when opportunities arise for attendance of special lectures or consulting specialist collections

MCGY 1019 Musicology Workshop 1

3 credit points, BMus, BMusStudies

Dr K. Nelson (Musicology)

Offered: February, July. Corequisite: Musicology 3 (Major). Classes: One 2hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Presentation of seminar on major study, assignment and participation in discussion (100%).

For further information contact Dr K. Nelson (Musicology).

#### MCGY 1020 Musicology Workshop 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr K. Nelson (Musicology)

Offered: February, July. Corequisite: Musicology 4 (Major). Classes: One 2hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Presentation of seminar on major study, assignment and participation in discussion (100%).

For further information contact Dr K. Nelson (Musicology).

# MCGY 2018 Musicology Workshop 3

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr K. Nelson (Musicology)

Offered: February, July. Corequisite: Musicology 5 (Major) or Musicology 5 (Honours). Classes: One 2hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Presentation of seminar on major study, assignment and participation in discussion (100%).

For further information contact Dr K. Nelson (Musicology).

# MCGY 2019 Musicology Workshop 4

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr K. Nelson (Musicology)

**Offered:** February, July. Corequisite: Musicology 6 (Major) or Musicology 6 (Honours). Classes: One 2hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Presentation of seminar on major study, assignment and participation in discussion (100%).

For further information contact Dr K. Nelson (Musicology).

MCGY 3023 Musicology Workshop 5

3 credit points. BMus

Dr K. Nelson (Musicology)

Offered: February, July. Corequisite: Musicology 7 (Major) or Musicology 7 (Honours). Classes: One 2hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Presentation of one or more seminars on major study,

assignment and participation in discussion (100%).

For further information contact Dr K. Nelson (Musicology).

MCGY 3024 Musicology Workshop 6

3 credit points. BMus

Dr K. Nelson (Musicology)

Offered: February, July. Corequisite: Musicology 8 (Major) or Musicology 8 (Honours). Classes: One 2hr seminar/wk.

Assessment: Presentation of one or more seminars on major study, assignment and participation in discussion (100%).

For further information contact Dr K. Nelson (Musicology).

# Oboe Major and Minor

Oboe is offered at a Major and Minor level of study. The level of study is decided in the audition. At the beginning of the major or minor study each student will be assigned a lecturer with whom they will normally work for the duration of the award. Continuing consultation between lecturer and student, including appraisal of technical and interpretative strengths and weaknesses, will enable regular clarification of specific learning objectives and content. At the beginning of all units included in the major study the lecturer will discuss past achievements and clarify weaknesses with each student, assist them to articulate personal objectives for advancement, recommend suitable content and advise the Chair of Unit. In this context the unit descriptions which follow should be read as a guide to the minimum requirements of the major and minor levels of study in Oboe.

#### WIND 1008 Oboe 1 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and one 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, minimum one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

## WIND 1025 Oboe 1 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 10min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

# WIND 1009 Oboe 2 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Oboe 1 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and one 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min jury recital, minimum one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

# WIND 1026 Oboe 2 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Oboe 1 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min jury recital, one concert practice (100%).

### WIND 2008 Oboe 3 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Oboe 2 (Major) or audition. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and one 2hr concert practice/ wk. Assessment: 20min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

#### WIND 2028 Oboe 3 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Oboe 2 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### WIND 2009 Oboe 4 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: BMus: Oboe 3 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and one 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 40min junior recital, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

#### WIND 2029 Oboe 4 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Oboe 3 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 15-20min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### WIND 3008 Oboe 5 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Oboe 4 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and one 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

#### WIND 3030 Oboe 5 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Oboe 4 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

# WIND 3009 Oboe 6 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: BMus: Oboe 5 (Major); DipMus: Oboe 4 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and one 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: Concerto exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

#### WIND 3031 Oboe 6 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Oboe 5 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 20-25min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

# WIND 4016 Oboe 7 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

**Offered:** February. **Prerequisite:** Oboe 6 (Major). **Classes:** One 1 hr individual lesson and one 2hr concert practice/wk. **Assessment:** 20min technical exam, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

#### WIND 4040 Oboe 7 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Oboe 6 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

## WIND 4018 Oboe 8 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Oboe 7 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and one 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 50min senior recital, one 6min concert practice, one 12min lunchtime concert performance (100%).

#### WIND 4041 Oboe 8 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Oboe 7 (Minor). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: Exam (100%).

#### MCGY 3026 Opera and Shakespeare

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr M. Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: July. Classes: One 1hrseminar/wk. Assessment: Seminar presentation (25%), 2000w essay (75%).

This unit examines the relationship between the plays of Shakespeare and their operatic adaptations. There are striking similarities between the dramaturgical structure of the plays and generic operatic structure, as well as significant performance parallels. Shakespeare's importance as an operatic source from the 17th century to the present day will be discussed and this course will investigate central works in the operatic Shakespearean can-

Plays and operas to be examined include Macbeth (Verdi); A Midsummer Night's Dream (Purcell and Britten); The Merry Wives of Windsor (Salieri, Nicolai and Verdi) and Romeo and Juliet (Bellini and Gounod). For further information contact M. Halliwell (Vocal Studies).

# Opera Repertoire

Students will explore the style and operatic traditions of repertoire from Monteverdi to the major works of the twentieth century. Individual and ensemble coaching sessions will assist students to learn specific roles. Lectures will focus on topics including: recitative, baroque ornamentation and stylistic embellishments appropriate for da capo arias; traditions in Donizetti and Rossini and appropriate cadenzas, and the use of portamento. Emphasis is placed on an awareness of text and correct pronunciation as well as the musical and dramatic interplay of characters.

#### VSAO 1016 Opera Repertoire 1

3 credit points. DipOp

S Kimmorley (Opera Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Vocal Repertoire 1. Classes:.5hr coaching/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

#### VSAO 2014 Opera Repertoire 2

3 credit points. DipOp

S Kimmorley (Opera Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Opera Repertoire 1. Classes: 1hr coaching/wk, plus ensemble workshops and rehearsals.

Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

#### VSAO 2015 Opera Repertoire 3

3 credit points. DipOp

S Kimmorley (Opera Studies)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Opera Repertoire 2. Classes: 1 hr coaching/wk, plus ensemble workshops and rehearsals.

Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

## VSAO 3012 Opera Repertoire 4

3 credit points. DipOp

S Kimmorley (Opera Studies)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Opera Repertoire 3. Classes: 1 hr coaching/wk, plus ensemble workshops and rehearsals. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

#### VSAO 3013 Opera Repertoire 5

3 credit points. DipOp

5 Kimmorley (Opera Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Opera Repertoire 4. Classes: 1 hr coaching/wk, plus ensemble workshops and rehearsals. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

# VSAO 1014 Opera Voice 1

6 credit points. DipOp

Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: February. Corequisite: Diction for Singers 1 and Italian for Singers 1. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson/wk. Assessment: 15 min technical exam, performance and attendance in Concert Practice (100%).

The aim of this unit is to develop the voice as an operatic instrument through work on style, phrasing, diction, enunciation, and interpretation. For further information, contact the Chair of the Vocal Studies Unit.

# VSAO 1015 Opera Voice 2

6 credit points. DipOp

Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Opera Voice 1. Corequisite: Diction for Singers 2 and Italian for Singers 2. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson/wk. Assessment: Jury examination of two contrasting operatic arias, in the original language, performance in two concert practices and concert practice attendance (100%). Consolidation of vocal techniques begun in Opera Voice 1 through work with operatic vocal repertoire. For further information, contact the Chair of the Vocal Studies Unit.

#### VSAO 2012 Opera Voice 3

6 credit points. DipOp

Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Opera Voice 2. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson/wk. Assessment: Technical examination 15 min including one song, performance in two concert practices and concert practice attendance (100%).

For further information, contact the Chair of the Vocal Studies

# VSAO 2013 Opera Voice 4

6 credit points. DipOp

Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Opera Voice 3. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson/wk. Assessment: Jury examination of three contrasting operatic arias, in the original language, performance in two concert practices and concert practice attendance (100%). For further information, contact the Chair of the Vocal Studies Unit.

#### VSAO 3010 Opera Voice 5

6 credit points. DipOp

Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Opera Voice 4. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson/wk. Assessment: Technical examination 15 min including one song, performance in two concert practices and concert practice attendance (100%).

For further information, contact the Chair of the Vocal Studies

# VSAO 3011 **Opera Voice 6** 6 credit points. DipOp

Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Opera Voice 5. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson/wk. Assessment: 25min recital including operatic and song repertoire, performance in two concert practices and concert practice attendance (100%).

For further information, contact the Chair of the Vocal Studies

# Orchestral Studies

The Orchestral Studies subject will comprise weekly orchestral repertoire classes for all enrolled students and special orchestral studies projects for which students will be rostered. The orchestral studies projects will include three oneweek orchestral projects and one additional project in opera, choral performance, contemporary music or similar activity. During the three orchestral project weeks lectures will cease to allow concentration on the project. There will also be orchestral repertoire sessions from time to time under the direction of visiting guest conductors. Students not rostered into the orchestral project weeks will balance their weekly orchestral repertoire class with intensive orchestral studies sessions, mock auditions and other relevant projects.

Skills to be studied throughout semesters 1-8 of this subject include intonation, ensemble skills (playing together precisely and rhythmically), interpreting the gestures, mannerisms and/ or wishes of the conductor along with tone control as well as the ethics and correct behaviour expected of a member of such an ensemble. In this regard, assessment is based on aspects of participation in the ensemble and will be, in part, assessed by the conductor.

Assessment is based on aspects of participation in the ensemble (assessed by the conductor), on weekly repertoire class participation and a final exam. These aspects considered for assessment are: level of preparation, performance in the ensemble, commitment, concentration, ability and teamwork. Assessment Weighting:

- Class mark awarded by Orchestral Studies lecturer (30%)
- Orchestral Studies exam audition to be determined by Chair of Unit (30%)
- Special Projects (2/sem) mark awarded by Chair of Unit in consultation with relevant conductor (40%)

For further information contact the relevant Chair of Unit. Contact the Ensembles Coordinator for administrative arrangements.

#### ENSE 1018 Orchestral Studies 1‡

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

Relevant Chair of Unit

Offered: February. Corequisite: Principal Study (Major) 1 in an appropriate orchestral instrument. Classes: 1 hr/wk - repertoire class alternating with sectional class, participation in two projects. Assessment: See Orchestral Studies.

#### ENSE 1022 Orchestral Studies 2‡

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

Relevant Chair of Unit

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Orchestral Studies 1. Corequisite: Principal Study (Major) 2 in an appropriate orchestral instrument. Classes: 1 hr/wk - repertoire class alternating with sectional class, participation in two projects. Assessment: See Orchestral Studies.

#### ENSE 2011 Orchestral Studies 3‡

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

Relevant Chair of Unit

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Orchestral Studies 2. Corequisite: Principal Study (Major) 3 in an appropriate orchestral instrument. Classes: 1 hr/wk - repertoire class alternating with sectional class, participation in two projects. Assessment: See Orchestral Studies

#### ENSE 2015 Orchestral Studies 4‡

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

Relevant Chair of Unit

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Orchestral Studies 3. Corequisite: Principal Study (Major) 4 in an appropriate orchestral instrument. Classes: 1 hr/wk - repertoire class alternating with sectional class, participation in two projects. Assessment: See Orchestral Studies.

## ENSE 3010 Orchestral Studies 51

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

Relevant Chair of Unit

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Orchestral Studies 4. Corequisite: Principal Study (Major) 5 in an appropriate orchestral instrument. Classes: 1 hr/wk- repertoire class alternating with sectional class, participation in two projects. Assessment: See Orchestral Studies.

#### ENSE 3014 Orchestral Studies 6‡

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

Relevant Chair of Unit

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Orchestral Studies 5. Corequisite: Principal Study (Major) 6 in an appropriate orchestral instrument. Classes: 1 hr/wk- repertoire class alternating with sectional class, participation in two projects. Assessment: See Orchestral Studies.

#### ENSE 4011 Orchestral Studies 7‡

3 credit points. BMus

Relevant Chair of Unit

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Orchestral Studies 6. Corequisite: Principal Study (Major) 7 in an appropriate orchestral instrument. Classes: 1 hr/wk-repertoire class alternating with sectional class, participation in two projects. Assessment: See Orchestral Studies

# ENSE 4015 Orchestral Studies 8‡

3 credit points. BMus

Relevant Chair of Unit

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Orchestral Studies 7. Corequisite: Principal Study (Major) 8 in an appropriate orchestral instrument. Classes: 1 hr/wk- repertoire class alternating with sectional class, participation in two projects. Assessment: See Orchestral Studies.

# Organ Major and Minor

Organ is offered at a Major and Minor level of study. The level of study is decided in the audition. At the beginning of the major or minor level of study each student will be assigned a lecturer with whom they will normally work for the duration of the award. Continuing consultation between lecturer and student, including appraisal of technical and interpretative strengths and weaknesses, will enable regular clarification of specific learning objectives and content. At the beginning of all units included in the major and minor levels of study the lecturer will discuss past achievements and clarify strengths and weaknesses with each student, assist them to articulate personal objectives for advancement, and recommend suitable content. In this context the unit descriptions which follow should be read as a guide to the minimum requirements of the major and minor levels of study in Organ.

ORGN 1004 Organ 1 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: February. Corequisite: Organ Seminar 1. Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min technical exam, minimum one performance at organ seminar (100%)

ORGN 1012 Organ 1 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: February. Corequisite: Organ Seminar 1. Classes: 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one organ seminar performance (100%).

ORGN 1005 Organ 2 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Organ 1 (Major). Corequisite: Organ Seminar 2. Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min jury recital, minimum one performance at organ seminar (100%).

ORGN 1013 Organ 2 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Organ 1 (Minor). Corequisite: Organ Seminar 2. Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one organ seminar performance (100%).

ORGN 2004 Organ 3 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Organ 2 (Major). Corequisite: Organ Seminar 3. Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min technical exam, two 6min performances at organ seminar (100%).

ORGN 2007 Organ 3 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus. BMusStudies

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Organ 2 (Minor). Corequisite: Organ Seminar 3. Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one organ seminar performance (100%).

ORGN 2005 Organ 4 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Organ 3 (Major). Corequisite: Organ Seminar 4. Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 40min junior recital, two 6min performances at organ seminar (100%).

ORGN 2012 Organ 4 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisité: Organ 3 (Minor). Corequisite: Organ Seminar 4. Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min jury recital, one organ seminar performance (100%)

ORGN 3002 Organ 5 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Organ 4 (Major). Corequisite: Organ Seminar 5. Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min technical exam, two 6min performances at organ seminar (100%).

ORGN 3006 Organ 5 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Organ 4 (Minor). Corequisite: Organ Seminar 5. Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min technical exam, one organ seminar performance (100%).

ORGN 3010 Organ 6 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Organ 5 (Major). Corequisite: Organ Seminar 6. Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: Concerto exam or equivalent (a substantial ensemble performance may be approved) (100%); two 6min performances at organ seminar.

ORGN 3007 Organ 6 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Organ 5 (Minor). Corequisite: Organ Seminar 6. Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min technical exam, one organ seminar performance (100%).

ORGN 4001 Organ 7 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Organ 6 (Major). Corequisite: Organ Seminar 7. Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 25min technical exam, minimum one 6min performance at organ seminar (100%), minimum three 12min performances during either Organ 7 (Major) or Organ 8 (Major).

ORGN 4003 Organ 7 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Organ 6 (Minor). Corequisite: Organ Seminar 7. Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min technical exam, one organ seminar performance (100%).

ORGN 4002 Organ 8 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Organ 7 (Major). Corequisite: Organ Seminar 8. Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 50min senior recital (100%), minimum 1 performance at organ seminar, minimum of three 12min performances during either Organ 7 (Major) or Organ 8 (Major).

ORGN 4005 Organ 8 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Organ 7 (Minor). Corequisite: Organ Seminar 8. Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min jury recital (100%).

ORGN 3000 Organ Research Project 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

**Offered:** February. **Classes:** One 1 h r tut/wk. **Assessment:** Research report/essay of 2000-3000w in advanced draft form (100%).

To give students scope for in-depth research into a specialised area of the organ repertoire. The topic chosen will be approved by P. Swanton and supervised by staff from Musicology and/or Organ Studies Units.

#### ORGN 3001 Organ Research Project 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisité: Organ Research Project 1. Classes: One 1 hr tut/wk. Assessment: Research report/essay of 5000-6000w (100%) OR research report/essay of 3000w in finalised form (25%) plus presentation of research topic as 60min public lecture/

Continuation of individual research project begun in Organ Research Project 1.

# ORGN 4007 Organ Research Project 3

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Organ Research Project 2. Classes: One 1 hr tut/wk. Assessment: Research report/essay of 2000-3000w in advanced draft form (100%).

To give students scope for in-depth research into a specialised area of the organ repertoire other than that studied in Organ Research Project 1 and 2.

# ORGN 4008 Organ Research Project 4

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisité: Organ Research Project 3. Classes: One 1 hr tut/wk. Assessment: Research report/essay of 5000-6000w (100%) OR research report/essay of 3000w in finalised form (25%) plus presentation of research topic as 90min public lecture/ recital (75%).

Continuation of individual research project begun in Organ Research Project 3.

# Organ Resources

Organ Resources is a series of units designed to supplement the practical aspects of organists' training. Topics to be studied include organ-building and maintenance, tuning and temperament, performance practice (especially registration and ornamentation), continuo-playing and accompaniment techniques, improvisation and extemporisation. For further information contact P. Swanton (Organ Studies).

#### ORGN 1008 Organ Resources 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr tut/wk. Assessment: Prac tests (100%)

The unit will focus on the development of essential practical skills for organists.

# ORGN 1009 Organ Resources 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisité: Organ Resources 1. Classes: One 1 hr tut/wk. Assessment: Prac tests (100%).

Consolidation of concepts and skills introduced in Organ Resources 1.

#### ORGN 2008 Organ Resources 3

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Organ Resources 2. Classes: One 1 hr tut/wk. Assessment: Prac tests (100%).

The unit will focus on the development of essential practical skills for organists.

# ORGN 2009 Organ Resources 4

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisité: Organ Resources 3. Classes: One 1 hr tut/wk. Assessment: Prac tests (100%).

Consolidation of concepts and skills introduced in Organ Resources 3.

# ORGN 3008 Organ Resources 5

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Organ Resources 4. Classes: One 1 hr tut/wk. Assessment: Prac tests (100%).

The unit will focus on the development of essential practical skills for organists.

#### ORGN 3003 Organ Resources 6

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Organ Resources 5. Classes: One 1hr tut/wk. Assessment: Prac tests (100%).

Consolidation of concepts and skills introduced in Organ Re-

# ORGN 4009 Organ Resources 7

3 credit points. BMus

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Organ Resources 6. Classes:

One 1 hr tut/wk. Assessment: Prac tests (100%).

The unit will focus on the development of essential practical skills for organists.

#### ORGN 4010 Organ Resources 8

3 credit points. BMus

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Organ Resources 7. Classes: One 1 hr tut/wk. Assessment: Prac tests (100%).

Consolidation of concepts and skills introduced in Organ Resources 7.

# Organ Seminar

This is an obligatory series of units for all students enrolled in Principal Study Organ (Major) and (Minor). The material taught varies according to the availability of local and visiting lecturers. The unit will provide opportunities for:

- student performances and critical comment;
- interaction with local and visiting lecturers;
- concert performances by or of interest to students;
- presentation of research findings in a collegial atmosphere.

#### ORGN 1010 Organ Seminar 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Essay (2000w) or equivalent assignment based on topics covered in seminars and approved by the lecturer.

Offers a series of lectures, masterclasses, visits to organs and other relevant activity as arranged by the Organ Studies Unit.

# ORGN 1011 Organ Seminar 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Organ Seminar 1. Classes: One 1 hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Essay (2000w) or equivalent assignment based on topics covered in seminars and approved by the lecturer. Please refer to Organ Seminar 1.

#### ORGN 2010 Organ Seminar 3

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Organ Seminar 2. Classes: One 1 hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Essay (2000w) or equivalent assignment based on topics covered in seminars and approved by

Please refer to Organ Seminar 1.

# ORGN 2011 Organ Seminar 4

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisité: Organ Seminar 3. Classes: One 1 hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Essay (2000w) or equivalent assignment based on topics covered in seminars and approved by the lecturer. Please refer to Organ Seminar 1.

# ORGN 3004 Organ Seminar 5

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Organ Seminar 4. Classes: One 1 hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Essay (2000w) or equivalent assignment based on topics covered in seminars and approved by the lecturer.

Please refer to Organ Seminar 1.

#### ORGN3005 Organ Seminar 6

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Organ Seminar 5. Classes: One 1 hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Essay (2000w) or equivalent assignment based on topics covered in seminars and approved by the lecturer. Please refer to Organ Seminar 1.

#### ORGN4011 Organ Seminar 7

3 credit points. BMus

P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Organ Seminar 6. Classes: One 1 hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Essay (2000w) or equivalent assignment based on topics covered in seminars and approved by the lecturer.

Please refer to Organ Seminar 1.

#### ORGN4012 Organ Seminar 8

3 credit points. BMus P. Swanton (Organ Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisité: Organ Seminar 7. Classes: One 1hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Essay (2000w) or equivalent assignment based on topics covered in seminars and approved by the lecturer. Please refer to Organ Seminar 1.

#### MCGY3027 Palaeography 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr K. Nelson (Musicology)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Music History 1. Classes: 1 hr tut/ wk. Assessment: Transcription assignment (20%), end of semester examination (80%).

This semester is likely to include introductory studies of square chant notation, white mensural notation, keyboard tablature, Italian lute tablature and musica ficta.

# MCGY3030 Palaeography 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr K Nelson (Musicology)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Palaeography 1. Classes: 1 hr tutorial/ week. Assessment: Transcription assignment (20%), end of semester exam (80%).

This semester builds and expands upon the fust semester's studies in Palaeography 1. It is likely to include further study of white mensural notation, as well as introducing further instrumental notation such as French lute tablature and another type of medieval chant notation such as Aquitanian chant notation. The methods of text underlay of Renaissance music may be introduced.

#### BRSS 3006 Pedagogy Brass and Percussion 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 h r tut/wk. Assessment: Written assignment (50%), prac demonstration (50%).

To provide students with knowledge of educational approaches and strategies for teaching brass and percussion instruments to individuals and small groups. Topics for brass will include: breathing and breath control, basic anatomical details, balance and economical usage of the body. Percussion students will focus on rudimentary stick technique and mallets, keyboard, snare drum and timpani. For further information contact BMus Course Coordinator.

# BRSS 3007 Pedagogy Brass and Percussion 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Pedagogy Brass and Percussion 1. Classes: One 1 hr tut/wk. Assessment: Written assignment (50%), prac demonstration (50%)

Students will be begin to be able to articulate concepts learned in Brass Pedagogy 1; will practise lesson presentation in a class and will examine left and right brain learning modes and tfieir impact on instrumental instruction. Students will also investigate the role of memory, and work on remedial teaching and performance stress. For further information contact BMus Course Coordinator.

# STRG 3010 Pedagogy Guitar 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

P. Andrews (Strings)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 h r tut/wk. Assessment: Regular class presentations (50%) and exam (50%).

This unit introduces players to the art and craft of instrumental teaching through the analysis of various pedagogical methods and approaches. Topics covered include: philosophies underlying some important and innovative teaching methods; repertoire and resources for beginning students; integration of aural training, note reading and memory training. For further information contact G. Pikler (Strings).

#### STRG 3011 Pedagogy Guitar 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

P. Andrews (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Pedagogy Guitar 1. Classes: One 1 hr tut/wk. Assessment: Regular class presentations (50%) and exam

Consolidation and extension of concepts and skills introduced in Pedagogy Guitar 1. For further information contact G. Pikler

#### KEYB 3002 Pedagogy Keyboard 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

E. Powell (Keyboard).

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr lec/wk. Assessment: Two

The study of piano teaching from elementary to intermediate levels, with particular attention to technical development, including rhythm, touch and reading skills, as well as practice methods and repertoire. Availability subject to sufficient enrolment numbers. For further information contact E. Powell (Keyboard).

# KEYB 3003 Pedagogy Keyboard 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Pedagogy Keyboard 1. Classes: One 1 hr lec/wk. Assessment: Two essays (100%).

Extension of concepts and skills introduced in Pedagogy Keyboard 1 with particular attention to technical development at advanced levels, as well as added emphasis on aspects relating to style and interpretation. Availability subject to sufficient enrolment numbers. For further information contact E. Powell (Keyboard).

#### STRG 3012 Pedagogy Strings 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

G. Richter (Strings)

**Offered:** February. **Classes:** One 1 hr tut/wk. **Assessment:** 2 class presentations (50 % each).

This unit of study is an introduction to the basic principles of teaching bowed string instruments. Topics covered will include the teaching of principles of movement, holding instrument (and bow), starting bow strokes, principles of left hand placement, legato and detache strokes. The emphasis will be on the teaching of beginners and the development of elementary instrumental and interpretative skills. Students will be expected to research and become familiar with the main teaching methods and literature relevant to beginners. Opportunity for supervised teaching and lesson observation will be provided and will form part of the semester workload.

# STRG 3013 Pedagogy Strings 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Pedagogy Strings 1. Classes: One 1 hr tut/wk. Assessment: 2 class presentations (50% each).

Concepts introduced in Pedagogy Strings 1 will be further developed. Advanced technical and interpretative issues will be explored and theoretical teaching literature will be researched. Some of the technical issues covered in detail include shifting, vibrato, martele, spiccato and staccato, practice techniques and development of advanced interpretative skills. Students will be expected to present one demonstration lesson.

#### VSAO 3014 Pedagogy Voice 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Chair (Vocal Studies)

Offered: February. Classes: 2hrs/wk. Assessment: Assignment. Details of this course are available from the Chair (Vocal Stud-

#### VSAO 3015 Pedagogy Voice 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Pedagogy Voice 1. Classes: 2hrs/wk. **Assessment:** Assignment.

Details of this course are available from the Chair of Vocal Stud-

# WIND 3010 Pedagogy Woodwind 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 h r tut/wk. Assessment: Written assignment (50%), class participation (50%).

To provide students with knowledge about educational approaches and strategies for teaching wind instruments to individuals and small groups. Topics will include aspects of breathing and bream control; basic anatomical details; balance and economical usage of the body; playing exercises and the principles of Kodaly and Suzuki teaching methods and Alexander Technique. For further information contact Chair (Woodwind).

#### WIND 3011 Pedagogy Woodwind 2

3 credit points. BMus,  $\bar{\text{BMus}}$ Studies, DipMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Pedagogy Woodwind 1. Classes: One 1 h r tut/wk. Assessment: Written assignment (50%), class participation (50%).

Students will begin to be articulate with concepts learned in Pedagogy Woodwind 1. They will practise lesson presentation in a class and will examine left and right brain learning modes and their impact on instrumental instruction. Studies will also investigate the role of memory, work on remedial teaching and consider performance stress. For further information contact Chair (Woodwind).

# Percussion Major and Minor

Percussion is offered at a Major and Minor level of study. The level of study is decided in the audition. At the beginning of the major or minor level of study students will be assigned a lecturer with whom they will normally study for the duration of the award. Continuing consultation between teacher and student, including appraisal of technical and interpretative strengths and weaknesses, will enable regular clarification of specific learning objectives and content. At the beginning of all Percussion units the teacher will discuss past achievements and clarify weaknesses with each student, assist them to articulate personal objectives for advancement, and recommend suitable content. In this context the unit descriptions and works should be a guide to the minimum requirements of the major and minor levels of study in Percussion.

#### PRCN1000 Percussion 1 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Pratt (Percussion)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 30min technical exam or equivalent, minimum one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

#### PRCN1004 Percussion 1 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Pratt (Percussion)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 10min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### PRCN 1001 Percussion 2 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Pratt (Percussion)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Percussion 1 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min jury recital, minimum one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

#### PRCN 1005 Percussion 2 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Pratt (Percussion)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Percussion 1 (Minor). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### PRCN 2000 Percussion 3 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Pratt (Percussion)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Percussion 2 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 30min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances

#### PRCN 2004 Percussion 3 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Pratt (Percussion)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Percussion 2 (Minor). Classes: 1hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### PRCN 2001 Percussion 4 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Pratt (Percussion)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Percussion 3 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 40min junior recital, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

#### PRCN 2005 Percussion 4 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Pratt (Percussion)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Percussion 3 (Minor). Classes: 1hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15-20min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

# PRCN 3000 Percussion 5 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Pratt (Percussion)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Percussion 4 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 30min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

#### PRCN 3005 Percussion 5 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Pratt (Percussion)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Percussion 4 (Minor). Classes: 1hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### PRCN 3001 Percussion 6 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Pratt (Percussion)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Percussion 5 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: Concerto exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

# PRCN 3006 Percussion 6 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Pratt (Percussion)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Percussion 5 (Minor). Classes: 1hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 20-25min recital 20 to 25, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### PRCN 4001 Percussion 7 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

D. Pratt (Percussion)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Percussion 6 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 30min technical exam, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

PRCN 4007 Percussion 7 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

D. Pratt (Percussion)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Percussion 6 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

PRCN 4003 Percussion 8 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

D. Pratt (Percussion)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Percussion 7 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 50min senior recital, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

PRCN 4008 Percussion 8 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

D. Pratt (Percussion)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Percussion 7 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: Exam (100%).

#### Percussion Ensemble

This sequence of units is a continuing investigation of ensemble performance ranging from small chamber works to large conducted works for percussion. The repertoire incorporates 20th century pieces as well as transcriptions arranged for percussion. Students will become progressively more skilled and cognisant of all aspects of ensemble work including: rehearsal technique, pre-rehearsal preparation, musical issues such as ensemble balance and rhythm, public performance skills, disciplined and appropriate behaviour and program design. Students will be required to perform with the ensemble in public concerts.

PRCN 1002 Percussion Ensemble 1 3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus D. Pratt (Percussion)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Audition. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: Demonstrated personal commitment to improve skills, weekly preparation and disciplined and cooperative behaviour.

PRCN 1003 Percussion Ensemble 2 3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus D. Pratt (Percussion)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Percussion Ensemble 1. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: Demonstrated personal commitment to improve skills, weekly preparation and disciplined and cooperative behaviour.

PRCN 2002 Percussion Ensemble 3 3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus D. Pratt (Percussion)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Percussion Ensemble 2. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: Demonstrated personal commitment to improve skills, weekly preparation and disciplined and cooperative behaviour.

PRCN 2003 Percussion Ensemble 4 3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus D. Pratt (Percussion)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Percussion Ensemble 3. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: Demonstrated personal commitment to improve skills, weekly preparation and disciplined and cooperative behaviour.

PRCN 3002 Percussion Ensemble 5 3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus D. Pratt (Percussion)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Percussion Ensemble 4. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: Demonstrated personal commitment to improve skills, weekly preparation and disciplined and cooperative behaviour.

PRCN 3003 Percussion Ensemble 6 3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus D. Pratt (Percussion)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Percussion Ensemble 5. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: Demonstrated personal commitment to improve skills, weekly preparation and disciplined and cooperative behaviour.

PRCN 4005 Percussion Ensemble 7

3 credit points. BMus

D. Pratt (Percussion)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Percussion Ensemble 6. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: Demonstrated personal commitment to improve skills, weekly preparation and disciplined and cooperative behaviour.

PRCN 4009 Percussion Ensemble 8

3 credit points. BMus

D. Pratt (Percussion)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Percussion Ensemble 7. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: Demonstrated personal commitment to improve skills, weekly preparation and disciplined and cooperative behaviour.

CMPN 1000 Performance Practice 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

J. Bailey (Composition)

Offered: February, Classes: One 1 hr session p/wk. Assessment: Weekly assignments (70%), final recorded composition (30%). The unit aims, through performance, to help students develop vital aural and improvisational skills which will significantly enhance their compositional capacity.

CMPN 1003 Performance Practice 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

J. Bailey (Composition)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Performance Practice 1. Classes: One 1 hr session p/wk. Assessment: Weekly assignments (70%), final recorded composition (30%).

The unit aims through performance to help students develop vital aural and improvisational skills which will significantly enhance their compositional process.

CMPN 2000 Performance Practice 3

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Pratt (Percussion)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Performance Practice 2. Classes: One 1hr session p/wk. Assessment: Weekly assignments (20%), 2 exams (20% each), solo work (40%).

The unit aims to introduce students to the instruments and techniques required for composition and performance in percussion. The unit will also focus on the fundamentals of rhythm in order to develop solo and ensemble performance skills.

CMPN 2001 Performance Practice 4

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Pratt (Percussion)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Performance Practice 3. Classes: One 1 hr session p/wk. Assessment: Weekly assignments/classroom participation (50%), composition and performance of a piece for percussion ensemble (50%).

The unit aims to introduce students to the instruments and techniques required for composition and performance in percussion. The unit will also focus on the fundamentals of rhythm in order to develop solo and ensemble performance skills.

CMPN 3010 Performance Practice 5

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

J. Bailey (Composition)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Performance Practice 4. Classes: 1 hr session p/wk. Assessment: Weekly assignments (70%), final recorded composition (30%).

The unit aims to help students gain a clear understanding of the various musical components inherent to the Jazz genre. Issues relating to harmonic structure, voicing and rhythmic syncopated phrasing are explored to enable students to write for jazz ensembles (large or small, instrumental or vocal).

CMPN 3011 Performance Practice 6

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

D. Pratt (Percussion)

Offered: July. Preréquisite: Performance Practice 5. Classes: 1hr session p/wk. **Assessment:** Weekly assignments (70%, final recorded composition (30%).

The unit aims, through performance, to develop ensemble and compositional skills. Students may produce individual compositions/or be involved with contributing to collectively devised pieces. The unit will continue to work with skills introduced in Performance Practice 1-5, e.g., improvisation and percussion.

# Pianoforte Major and Minor

Pianoforte is offered at a Major and Minor level of study. The level of study is decided in the audition. At the beginning of the major or minor level of study each student will be assigned a lecturer with whom they will normally work for the duration of the award. Continuing consultation between lecturer and student, including appraisal of technical and interpretative strengths and weaknesses, will enable regular clarification of specific learning objectives and content. At the beginning of all units included in the major and minor levels of study the lecturer will discuss past achievements and clarify weaknesses with each student, assist them to articulate personal objectives for advancement, recommend suitable content and advise the Chair of Unit. In this context the unit descriptions which follow should be read as a guide to the minimum requirements of the major and minor levels of study in Pianoforte. Those students enrolled at the major level are required to attend all nominated Pianoforte masterclasses and special projects. Students enrolled at the minor level are encouraged to also attend all masterclasses and special activities.

KEYB 1008 Pianoforte 1 (Major) 6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk and up to 15 hrs masterclasses and special projects per semester. Assessment: 15min technical exam or equivalent, minimum one 6min concert practice performance (100%).

KEYB 1013 Pianoforte 1 (Minor) 3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

E. Powell (Keyboard)

**Offered:** February. **Classes:** One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. **Assessment:** 10min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

KEYB 1009 Pianoforte 2 (Major) 6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Pianoforte 1 (Major).
Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk and up to 15 hrs masterclasses and special projects per semester.
Assessment: 15min jury recital, minimum one 6min concert practice performance (100%).

KEYB 1014 Pianoforte 2 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Pianoforte 1 (Minor). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15 min recital of 3 pieces, one concert practice performance (100%).

KEYB 2007 Pianoforte 3 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Pianoforte 2 (Major) or audition. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk and up to 15 hrs masterclasses and special projects per semester. Assessment: 15min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

Students wishing to transfer from Pianoforte 2 (Minor) to Pianoforte 3 (Major) must have been examined for and passed Pianoforte 1 and 2 (Major) and have studied the Major syllabus of the year and reached required standard.

KEYB 2011 Pianoforte 3 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Pianoforte 2 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson / class instruction and concert practice. Assessment: 10min technical exam (2 studies), one concert practice performance (100%).

KEYB 2008 Pianoforte 4 (Major) 6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Pianoforte 3 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk and up to 15 hrs masterclasses and special projects per semester. Assessment: 40min junior recital, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

KEYB 2012 Pianoforte 4 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Pianoforte 3 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson / class instruction and concert practice.

Assessment: 15min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

KEYB 3004 Pianoforte 5 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

E. Powell (Keyboard)

**Offered:** February. **Prerequisite:** Pianoforte 4 (Major). **Classes:** One 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk and up to 15 hrs masterclasses and special projects per semester. **Assessment:** 15min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

KEYB 3008 Pianoforte 5 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Pianoforte 4 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson / class instruction and concert practice. Assessment: 10min technical exam (2 studies), one concert practice performance (100%).

KEYB 3005 Pianoforte 6 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Pianoforte 5 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk and up to 15 hrs masterclasses and special projects per semester. Assessment: Concerto exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

KEYB 3009 Pianoforte 6 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Pianoforte 5 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson / class instruction and concert practice. Assessment: 20-25min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

KEYB 4002 Pianoforte 7 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Pianoforte 6 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk and up to 15 hrs masterclasses and special projects per semester. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

KEYB 4008 Pianoforte 7 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: February, July. **Prerequisite:** Pianoforte 6 (Minor). **Classes:** 1 hr/wk individual lesson / class instruction and concert practice. **Assessment:** 10min technical exam (2 studies), one concert practice performance (100%).

KEYB 4004 Pianoforte 8 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Pianoforte 7 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk and up to 15 hrs masterclasses and special projects per semester. Assessment: 50min senior recital, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

KEYB 4009 Pianoforte 8 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus E. Powell (Keyboard)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Pianoforte 7 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson / class instruction and concert practice.

Assessment: 15min exam (100%).

GENS 2002 Practical Stagecraft

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies Dr R. Gilbert (General Studies)

Offered: July. Classes: One 1 hr lec and one 1 hr prac tut/wk. Assessment: 1hr open book exam (35%), 2000w essay (35%), prac assignment (30%).

This General Studies unit is designed to give students an understanding of the process of staging theatre and music theatre in a student or community environment. It covers areas such as the historical development of the actor/audience relationship, form and style and its relationship to theatre design, technical production, basic acting technique and direction. These areas will be covered in lectures, practical experiences, excursions and research. For further information contact Dr R. Gilbert (General Studies).

#### PERF 1000 Principal Study (Diploma) 1

6 credit points. DipMus

Chair of Unit for student's Principal Study

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: Technical exam or equivalent, minimum one 6 min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

For further information students should contact the Chair of Unit for their Principal Study.

#### PERF 1001 Principal Study (Diploma) 2

6 credit points. DipMus

Chair of Unit for student's Principal Study

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Principal Study (Diploma) 1. Classes:

One 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk.

**Assessment:** Jury recital, minimum one 6 min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

For further information students should contact the Chair of Unit for their Principal Study.

## PERF 2000 Principal Study (Diploma) 3

12 credit points. DipMus

Chair of Unit for student's Principal Study

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Principal Study (Diploma) 2. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice; 1-2hrs performance class/wk (in some units only: students should consult with the relevant Chair of Unit. Assessment: 40 minute junior recital, minimum two 6 min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

For further information students should contact the Chair of Unit for their Principal Study.

#### PERF 2001 Principal Study (Diploma) 4

12 credit points. DipMus

Chair of Unit for student's Principal Study

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Principal Study (Diploma) 3. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice; 1-2hrs performance class/wk (in some units only: students should consult with the relevant Chair of Unit. Assessment: Concerto exam or equivalent, minimum two 6 min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

For further information students should contact the Chair of Unit for their Principal Study.

#### PERF 2002 Principal Study (Diploma) 5

12 credit points. DipMus

Chair of Unit for student's Principal Study

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Principal Study (Diploma) 4. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice; 1-2hrs performance class/wk (in some units only: students should consult with the relevant Chair of Unit. Assessment: 40 minute recital (70%), Technical examination (see separate requirements under appropriate instruments or voice) (30%), minimum two 6 min concert practice performances and/or studio class.

For further information students should contact the Chair of Unit for their Principal Study.

# PERF 2003 Principal Study (Diploma) 6

12 credit points. DipMus

Chair of Unit for student's Principal Study

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Principal Study (Diploma) 5. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice; 1-2hrs

performance class/wk (in some units only: students should consult with the relevant Chair of Unit. **Assessment:** 50min public recital, minimum two 6 min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

For further information students should contact the Chair of Unit for their Principal Study.

# Principal Study (Honours)

The Honours strand of the BMus (Performance) exists to allow performance students of superior performance ability and potential to extend their knowledge and skill base and to develop artistic autonomy in the area of their Principal Study in preparation for employment within the musical profession or postgraduate study.

The aim of the Honours program in BMus (Performance) is to develop superior performance skills, greater artistic autonomy and a sounder understanding of the scope of skills and knowledge relating to performance in their area of Principal Study than would be expected normally of Pass BMus students. By the conclusion of this course, students will have demonstrated a superior performance ability in recital, and the understanding and artistic autonomy to develop and carry out a specialised performance project.

Candidates are required to undertake a Performance Project in the area of their Principal Study in each of the final two semesters. Normally at least one of these will be a unified project displaying focus on a particular area of specialisation in Principal Study (Honours) 7 and a recital of 45-50 minutes duration to be taken in Principal Study (Honours) 8. Each Performance Project will be accompanied by notes which give the aim of the project, background to the project in terms of relevant work or critical writings, and critical commentary or analysis.

In addition to the formal prerequisites listed for Principal Study (Honours) 7, candidates for admission to the Honours program must have achieved a Distinction in Principal Study 4 and 6 and a Credit (or higher) average in all other units and have gained at least 18 credit points in History and Analysis of Music as set out in the Table of Courses [Table 5.27]. Candidates wishing to take Principal Study (Honours) 7 must apply in writing, setting out their proposed Performance Project. To qualify for an Honours degree, candidates should enrol in Principal Study (Honours) 7 and 8 in place of Principal Study (Major) 7 and 8, and successfully complete those units of study. The units of study are taken as part of the normal full-time load of 24 credit points per semester in semesters 7 and 8 of the course.

# PERF 4002 Principal Study (Honours) 7

12 credit points. BMus

Chair of Unit for student's Principal Study

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Harmony and Analysis 4 or Jazz Harmony and Arranging 4, Aural Perception 4 or Jazz Ear Training 4, Music Technology 1, Introduction to Music Teaching and Learning, Historical and Cultural Studies 4. Classes: 14 x 1hr one-to-one lessons in the area of Principal Study and up to 5hrs supervision for the Performance Project/sem; 2hrs concert practice/wk; up to 5hrs Honours seminar/sem. Assessment: Mid-semester Principal Study (Major) 7 technical examination (see separate requirements under appropriate instrument or voice or Repertoire Class for Jazz Studies students) (30%); Performance Project 1 (70% consisting of project 50% and notes 20%)).

Students must complete requirements for Principal Study (Major) 7 in their instrument or voice at mid-semester and complete Performance Project 1 at the end of the semester. Normally the Performance Project 1 will display a unified focus on a specialised performance area relating to the candidate's Principal Study in an area such as repertoire, style, performance practice, aesthetic ideology or innovative use of instrumental techniques or technology. The Performance Project must be accompanied by notes which give the aim of the project, background, and critical commentary or analysis. Performance Project 1 may take the form of a recital (40-45 minutes) or lecture recital, a recording or other innovative performance medium. Performance Projects will be developed and workshopped in the Honours Seminar in the first five weeks of semester after which students will work

further with their supervisor. At the end of week 5 students will be expected to submit a final proposal for the Honours project. Performance Project 1 will be assessed according to three broad criteria: exposition of aims and background; originality; musical and technical achievement (as detailed for each instrument in recital assessment).

# PERF 4003 Principal Study (Honours) 8

12 credit points. BMus

Chair of Unit for student's Principal Study

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Principal Study (Honours) 7. Classes: 14 x 1hr one-to-one lessons in the area of Principal Study and up to 5hrs supervision for the Performance Project/sem; 2hrs Concert practice/wk; Honours seminar. Assessment: Performance Project 2 (100% consisting of recital 90%; notes 10%).

Students must complete Performance Project 2. Normally Performance Project 2 will be a public recital of 45-50 minutes duration displaying superior performance knowledge and skills. The Performance Project must be accompanied by notes which give, where appropriate, the aim of the project, background, and critical and historical commentary and analysis. Performance Project 2 will be assessed according to three broad criteria: exposition of aims and background; creativity; and musical and technical achievement (as detailed for each instrument in recital assessment).

#### VSAO 2001 Production 1

3 credit points. DipOp

S Kimmorley (Opera Studies)

Offered: February. Classes: 35-45hrs/sem, consisting of acting classes, workshops, rehearsals, encounters and conversations. As this is a production based unit, students must understand that as performances/special programs approach additional hours may be involved. Assessment: Progressive assessment based on class/workshop activities.

This unit introduces students to the processes involved in bringing a scene to dramatic life, through practical workshops, seminars, demonstrations and visits to performances and rehearsals. For further information contact the Chair of Opera Studies.

#### VSAO 2010 Production 2

3 credit points. DipOp

S Kimmorley (Opera Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Production 1. Classes: 35-45hrs/sem, consisting of acting classes, workshops, rehearsals, encounters and conversations. As this is a production based unit, students must understand that as performances/special programs approach additional hours may be involved. Assessment: Progressive assessment based on class/workshop activities.

Classes continue to be based on a practical/workshop approach. Students are encouraged towards self-discovery while their work becomes more rehearsal oriented. For further information contact the Chair of Opera Studies.

#### VSAO 3001 Production 3

3 credit points. DipOp

S Kimmorley (Opera Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Production 2. Classes: 35-45hrs/sem, consisting of acting classes, workshops, rehearsals, encounters and conversations. As this is a production based unit, students must understand that as performances/special programs approach additional hours may be involved. Assessment: Progressive assessment based on class/workshop activities.

The experience students have gained enables them to continue their development and consolidate their competencies. Students are also introduced to rehearsal methods, rehearsal structure and opera production history. For further information contact the Chair of Opera Studies...

#### VSAO 3008 Production 4

3 credit points. DipOp

S Kimmorley (Opera Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Production 3. Classes: 35-45hrs/sem, consisting of acting classes, workshops, rehearsals, encounters and conversations. As this is a production based unit, students must understand that as performances/special programs approach additional hours may be involved. Assessment: Progressive assessment based on class/workshop.

In this final semester the student continues to work in character and role building, acting and performance styles with more challenging and complex tasks. For further information contact the Chair of Opera Studies.

# MCGY1 0 0 6 Radical Rock 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

K. Hill (Musicology)

Offered: February, July. Classes: One 1 hr seminar/wk.

Assessment: Seminar-based assignment/essay.

Radical Rock 1 surveys developments in rock and popular music from the 1940s to 1970s. Topics will include: African Retentions in American popular music, the influence of the blues and rhythm and blues, the mythology of the blues, Mersey Beat and the early Beatles, Phil Spector/The Beach Boys and the origins of 'pop' music, folk music and the influence of Bob Dylan, sixties psychedelia, avant-garde and jazz influences, soul to funk music and androgyny in rock.

For further information contact K. Hill (Musicology). Textbooks

DeCurtis A, Henke J, ed. The Rolling Stone illustrated history of rock and roll. London: Plexus, 1992

Marcus G. Mystery train: images of America in rock'n'roll. 3rd ed. New York: Penguin, 1990

#### MCGY1 0 0 7 Radical Rock 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

K. Hill (Musicology)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: None, but Radical Rock 1 recommended. Classes: One 1 hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Seminar-based assignment/essay.

Radical Rock 2 will study further developments in rock and popular culture from the 1970s to the present. Possible topics are: progressive rock and English experimental music, punk rock, rock poets (Lou Reed, Patti Smith), evolution of R&B to heavy metal, origins of Rap and Hip and Hop, non-western influences (Jajouka music to WOMAD), the Art of Noise (Velvet Underground to Sonic Youth), Seattle Grunge, Brit Pop (Blur), American Gothic (the music of Nick Cave), New Romantics to Techno (Kraftwerk to Chemical Brothers).

For further information contact K. Hill (Musicology).

# Recorder Major and Minor

Recorder is offered at a Major and Minor level of study. The level of study is decided in the audition. At the beginning of the major or minor level of study each student will be assigned a lecturer with whom they will normally work for the duration of the award. Continuing consultation between lecturer and student, including appraisal of technical and interpretative strengths and weaknesses, will enable regular clarification of specific learning objectives and content. At the beginning of all units included in the major and minor levels of study the lecturer will discuss past achievements and clarify weaknesses with each student, assist them to articulate personal objectives for advancement, recommend suitable content and advise the Chair of Unit. In this context the unit descriptions which follow should be read as a guide to the minimum requirements of the major and minor levels of study in Recorder.

#### WIND 1012 Recorder 1 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Classes: 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, minimum one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

#### WIND 1027 Recorder 1 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 10min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

# WIND 1013 Recorder 2 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Recorder 1 (Major). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min jury recital, minimum one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

# WIND 1028 Recorder 2 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Recorder 1 (Minor). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min jury recital, one concert practice (100%).

#### WIND 2012 Recorder 3 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Recorder 2 (Major) or audition.

Classes: 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

#### WIND 2030 Recorder 3 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Recorder 2 (Minor). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### WIND 2013 Recorder 4 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: BMus: Recorder 3 (Major). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 40min junior recital, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

#### WIND 2031 Recorder 4 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Recorder 3 (Minor). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 15-20min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### WIND 3014 Recorder 5 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Recorder 4 (Major). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

# WIND 3032 Recorder 5 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Recorder 4 (Minor). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

# WIND 3015 Recorder 6 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: BMus: Recorder 5 (Major); DipMus: Recorder 4 (Major). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: Concerto exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

# WIND 3033 Recorder 6 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Recorder 5 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 20-25min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### WIND 4022 Recorder 7 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

**Offered:** February. **Prerequisite:** Recorder 6 (Major). **Classes:** 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. **Assessment:** 20min technical exam, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

#### WIND 4042 Recorder 7 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Recorder 6 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam. one concert practice performance (100%).

#### WIND 4024 Recorder 8 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Recorder 7 (Major). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 50min senior recital, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

#### WIND 4043 Recorder 8 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Recorder 7 (Minor). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: Exam (100%).

# PRCN 2006 Resource Class - Percussion

3 credit points. AssDipJazz Studies, BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus I. Scotland (Percussion)

**Offered:** February. **Classes:** One **1** hr lec/wk. **Assessment:** Weekly assignments and class participation (50%), viva voce exam (20%), prac assignment (30%).

This unit provides students with an introduction to and performance experience on a wide range of percussion instruments. The aim of this unit is to:

- introduce students to performance techniques on orchestral, latin, ethnic and commercial percussion instruments;
- provide students with historical information about instruments in the percussion family; and
- enable students to assemble and perform basic maintenance on school percussion instruments.

The course is limited to ten students.

For further information contact the Chair (Percussion).

#### MCGY 3029 Romanticism and the Fantastic 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

K. Hill (Musicology)

Offered: February. Classes: 1 hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Seminar presentation (50%); essay (50%).

Topics discussed will include:

- Defining Romanticism: what happens when the Romantics confront the Enlightenment's rationalised world view: 'there are more things in heaven and earth than are dreamt of in your philosophy Horatio';
- Influence of composer, story writer and music critic E.T.A.
   Hoffmann: from his critiques on Beethoven, and Gluck to fantasy novels;
- 3. The Romantics' interpretation of Beethoven: emergence of artist as Promethean Hero;
- 4. Literary influences: Shakespeare, Goethe and Bryon;
- 5. The Faust Legend as interpreted by Berlioz, Liszt, Busoni,
- Mephistopheles and the Romantic Virtuoso: Paganini and Liszt and extended instrumental techniques.
   For further information contact the Chair (Musicology).

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David Charlton ed., E. T. A. Hoffmann's Musical Writings (Cambridge University Press, 1989)

# MCGY 3037 Romanticism and the Fantastic 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Ms K Hiİl

**Offered:** July. **Classes:** 1 hr seminar/week. **Assessment:** Seminar presentation (50%) and essay (50%).

This tutorial will explore further developments in Romanticism in the later half of the 19th century. Possible topics will include:

- 1. Nationalism: Wagner's interpretation of the Niebelungen
- 2. Music and Madness: the influence of the writers Hoffmann and Jean Paul in the music of Robert Schumann
- 3. Opium and Romantic Imagination: from Thomas DeQuincy to Berlioz' Symphony fantastique
- Symbolism in the music of Claude Debussy and the influence of symbolist poets
- 5. Spiritualism in Mahler and Rachmaninov
- 6. Mysticism: Scriabin and Theosophy.

# Saxophone Major and Minor

Saxophone is offered at a Major and Minor level of study. The level of study is decided in the audition. At the beginning of the major or minor level of study each student will be assigned a lecturer with whom they will normally work for the duration of the award. Continuing consultation between lecturer and student, including appraisal of technical and interpretative strengths and weaknesses, will enable regular clarification of specific learning objectives and content. At the beginning of all units included in the major and minor levels of study the lecturer will discuss past achievements and clarify weaknesses with each student, assist them to articulate personal objectives for advancement, recommend suitable content and advise the Chair of Unit. In this context the unit descriptions which follow should be read as a guide to the minimum requirements of the major and minor levels of study in Saxophone.

WIND 1014 Saxophone 1 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and one 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, minimum one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

WIND 1029 Saxophone 1 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 10min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

# WIND 1015 Saxophone 2 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Saxophone 1 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and one 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min jury recital, minimum one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

WIND 1030 Saxophone 2 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Saxophone 1 (Minor). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min jury recital, one concert practice (100%).

# WIND 2014 Saxophone 3 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Saxophone 2 (Major) or audition. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and one 2hr concert practice/ wk. Assessment: 20min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

#### WIND 2032 Saxophone 3 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Saxophone 2 (Minor). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

WIND 2015 Saxophone 4 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: BMus: Saxophone 3 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and one 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 40min junior recital, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

WIND 2033 Saxophone 4 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Saxophone 3 (Minor). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 15-20min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### WIND 3016 Saxophone 5 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Saxophone 4 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and one 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

WIND 3034 Saxophone 5 (Minor)

3 credit points, BMus, BMusStudies

M Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Saxophone 4 (Minor). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

WIND 3017 Saxophone 6 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: BMus: Saxophone 5 (Major); DipMus: Saxophone 3 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and one 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: Concerto exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

#### WIND 3035 Saxophone 6 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Saxophone 5 (Minor). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 20-25min recital, one concert practice performance

#### WIND 4026 Saxophone 7 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Saxophone 6 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and one 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min technical exam, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

#### WIND 4044 Saxophone 7 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Saxophone 6 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### WIND 4028 Saxophone 8 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Saxophone 7 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and one 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 50min senior recital, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

WIND 4045 Saxophone 8 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Saxophone 7 (Minor). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and class instruction/wk. Assessment: Exam

# Saxophone Orchestra

The classical saxophone has few ensemble opportunities so the Saxophone Orchestra has been formed to fill this gap. Students are assisted to develop skills of playing in a section, listening for internal balance and pitch and adjusting tonal colour consistent with style. Repertoire includes specially composed works often involving contemporary techniques, pieces in popular/jazz style, transcriptions of music from medieval to the present day. The Saxophone Orchestra gives several public performances each year to help establish the classical saxophone as a legitimate 20th century instrument.

WIND 1016 Saxophone Orchestra 1 3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

WIND 1017 Saxophone Orchestra 2 3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Saxophone Orchestra 1. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

WIND 2016 Saxophone Orchestra 3 3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Saxophone Orchestra 2. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances

WIND2017 Saxophone Orchestra 4 3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Saxophone Orchestra 3. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

WIND 3018 Saxophone Orchestra 5 3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Saxophone Orchestra 4. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

WIND 3019 Saxophone Orchestra 6 3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Saxophone Orchestra 5. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

WIND 4030 Saxophone Orchestra 7

3 credit points. BMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Saxophone Orchestra 6. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

WIND 4031 Saxophone Orchestra 8

3 credit points. BMus M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Saxophone Orchestra 7. Classes: One 2hr rehearsal/wk. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of professional demeanour and ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals and performances (100%).

JAZZ 4016 Sound Enhancement and Recording 1 3 credit points. BMus

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: February. Corequisite: Jazz Performance 7 or Principal Study (Honours) 7. Classes: One 2 h rtut/wk. Assessment: 2hr theoretical exam (100%).

Students will he expected to learn the characteristics of basic microphone types and their uses, with special emphasis on microphone techniques for the various acoustic instruments plus an understanding of recording media currently in use (analogue, digital, hard-disk) along with differing editing possibilities and the advantages of each. In addition students will learn the fundamental properties of acoustics and the various techniques of mixing for recording and onstage sound enhancement, including the qualities of different monitor speaker systems, their importance to the final mix result and the uses of various sound contouring devices including: equalisation, reverb, compression, and limiting. The vital importance of planning will be stressed throughout the unit. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz Studies).

JAZZ 4017 Sound Enhancement and Recording 2 3 credit points. BMus

D. Montz (Jazz Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Sound Enhancement and Recording 1. Corequisite: Jazz Performance 8 or Principal Study (Honours) 8. Classes: Recording project. Assessment: Recording project

The focus of this unit is on the practical application of theoretical concepts and skills acquired in Sound Enhancement and Recording 1. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz

# Strings Performance Class

The strings performance class provides an opportunity for students to perform works-in-progress and receive constructive comments from teachers and their peers in the string unit. Students will further develop analytical, diagnostic and problem solving skills which they can use to improve their own practice and rehearsal skills and which can assist them to fully understand the relationship between technical and interpretative decisions. Visiting artists are invited from time to time to give presentations or masterclasses and students are encouraged to explore a variety of repertoire including orchestral audition repertoire. While performances of worksin-progress are not assessed, students will be expected to give one assessed presentation (10-15 min) per semester or, alternatively, submit a 2000 word essay, in which they explore a topic (selected in consultation with the class coordinator) relevant to performers such as practise techniques, technical analysis of selected works or problem-constellations, choice of fingerings/ bowings and their interpretative implications, comparative analysis of editions of selected works, stylistic requirements and appropriate means of interpretative realisation, etc. For further information contact the Chair (Strings).

STRG 1015 Strings Performance Class 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February, July. Classes: One 2hr class/wk. Assessment: One presentation or one 2000w essay; two performances (100%). All students enrolling in Strings Performance Class must be concurrently enrolled in Principal Study in a String instrument.

STRG 1016 Strings Performance Class 2 3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Strings Performance Class 1. Classes: One 2hr class/wk. Assessment: One presentation or one 2000w essay; two performances (100%).

All students enrolling in Strings Performance Class must be concurrently enrolled in Principal Study in a String instrument.

STRG 2014 Strings Performance Class 3

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Strings Performance Class 2. Classes: One 2hr class/wk. Assessment: One presentation or one 2000w essay; two performances (100%).

All students enrolling in Strings Performance Class must be concurrently enrolled in Principal Study in a String instrument.

STRG 2015 Strings Performance Class 4

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Strings Performance Class 3. Classes: One 2hr class/wk. Assessment: One presentation or one 2000w essay; two performances (100%).

All students enrolling in Strings Performance Class must be concurrently enrolled in Principal Study in a String instrument.

STRG 3018 Strings Performance Class 5

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Strings Performance Class 4. Classes: One 2hr class/wk. Assessment: One presentation or one 2000w essay; two performances (100%).

All students enrolling in Strings Performance Class must be concurrently enrolled in Principal Study in a String instrument.

STRG 3019 Strings Performance Class 6

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Strings Performance Class 5. Classes: One 2hr class/wk. Assessment: One presentation or one 2000w essay; two performances (100%).

All students enrolling in Strings Performance Class must be concurrently enrolled in Principal Study in a String instrument.

STRG 4016 Strings Performance Class 7

3 credit points. BMus G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Strings Performance Class 6. Classes: One 2hr class/wk. Assessment: One presentation or one 2000w essay; two performances (100%).

All students enrolling in Strings Performance Class must be concurrently enrolled in Principal Study in a String instrument.

STRG 4017 Strings Performance Class 8

3 credit points. BMus

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Strings Performance Class 7. Classes: One 2hr class/wk. Assessment: One presentation or one 2000w essay; two performances (100%).

All students enrolling in Strings Performance Class must be concurrently enrolled in Principal Study in a String instrument.

# **Teaching Practicum**

Teaching Practicum is available only in Bachelor of Music (Music Education). Details of the content, organisation, procedures and evaluation of the program are to be found in the Conservatorium Practicum Handbook. Students who fail a Practicum unit will not be permitted to continue in the Music Education program until that unit is passed.

GENS 2003 Teaching Practicum 1\$

3 credit points. BMus

Dr R. Gilbert (General Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Music Education 1, Education 1. Corequisite: Music Education 2, Education 2. Classes: See course description. Assessment: Fulfilment of criteria in Practicum Handbook - Pass/Fail scale.

The purpose of this primary school practicum is that students will develop: an understanding of the developing child, an understanding of developmental processes in music education, basic skills in teaching, and an overview of the process of schooling. The practicum consists of 9 half days on Mondays during Semester 3 of the award and ten full days in a block after the examinations at the end of Semester. This unit of study is associated with Music Education 2 and Education 2. For further information contact Dr R. Gilbert (General Studies).

GENS 3002 Teaching Practicum 2

9 credit points. BMus

Dr R. Gilbert (General Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Teaching Practicum 1. Corequisite: Music Education 6, Education 4. Classes: 5wk block between the end of Semester 3 and the beginning of Semester 4. Assessment: Fulfilment of criteria in Practicum Handbook.

This first secondary practicum is a seven week block which takes place from Week 4 to Week 10 of Semester 2, Year 3 of the award. The main purposes of the practicum are that students develop the ability to plan and teach lessons to Year 7-10 classes and acquire an understanding of the developing adolescent. For further information contact Dr R. Gilbert (General Studies).

GENS 4003 Teaching Practicum 3

9 credit points. BMus

Dr R. Gilbert (General Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Teaching Practicum 2. Corequisite: Music Education 10, Education 7. Classes: 5wk block between the end of Semester 5 and the beginning of Semester 6. Assessment: Fulfilment of criteria in Practicum Handbook.

This second secondary practicum is a seven week block which takes place from Week 4 to Week 10 of Semester 2, Year 4 of the award. Students will be required initially to teach twelve music

periods a week. Some of these periods should be on senior secondary classes. Towards the end of the practicum it would be expected that, on two days a week, the student would be responsible for a teacher's full day program. For further information contact Dr R. Gilbert (General Studies).

# Trombone and Bass Trombone Major and Minor

Trombone and Bass Trombone are offered at a Major and Minor level of study. The level of study is decided in the audition. At the beginning of the major or minor study each student will be assigned a lecturer with whom they will normally work for the duration of the award. Continuing consultation between lecturer and student, including appraisal of technical and interpretative strengths and weaknesses, will enable regular clarification of specific learning objectives and content. At the beginning of all units included in the major and minor levels of study the lecturer will discuss past achievements and clarify weaknesses with each student, assist them to articulate personal objectives for advancement, recommend suitable content and advise the Chair of Unit. The unit descriptions which follow should be read as a guide to the minimum requirements of the major study and minor study in Trombone and Bass Trombone.

BRSS 1004 Trombone 1 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

**Offered:** February. **Classes:** One 1hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. **Assessment:** 30min technical exam, minimum one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

BRSS 1012 Trombone 1 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

**Offered:** February. **Classes:** One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. **Assessment:** 10min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

BRSS 1005 Trombone 2 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Trombone 1 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min jury recital, minimum one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

BRSS 1013 Trombone 2 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Trombone 1 (Minor). Classes: 1hr individual lessons and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min recital exam, one concert practice (100%).

BRSS 2006 Trombone 3 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Trombone 2 (Major) or audition. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 30min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

BRSS 2012 Trombone 3 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Trombone 2 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/ wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

BRSS 2007 Trombone 4 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: BMus: Trombone 3 (Major); DipMus: Trombone 2 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 40min junior recital, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

BRSS2013 Trombone 4 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Trombone 3 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction.

Assessment: 15-20min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

BRSS 3010 Trombone 5 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Trombone 4 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 30min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances

BRSS 3016 Trombone 5 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Trombone 4 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/ wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

BRSS 3011 Trombone 6 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: BMus: Trombone 5 (Major); DipMus: Trombone 4 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. **Assessment:** Concerto exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

BRSS 3017 Trombone 6 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Trombone 5 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 20-25min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

BRSS 4010 Trombone 7 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Trombone 6 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 30min technical exam, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

BRSS 4008 Trombone 7 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Trombone 6 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/ wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

BRSS 4012 Trombone 8 (Major) 6 credit points. BMus

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Trombone 7 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 50min senior recital, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

BRSS 4009 Trombone 8 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Trombone 7 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: Exam (100%).

# Trumpet Major and Minor

Trumpet is offered at a Major and Minor level of study. The level of study is decided in the audition. At the beginning of the major or minor study each student will be assigned a lecturer with whom they will normally work for the duration of the award. Continuing consultation between lecturer and student, including appraisal of technical and interpretative strengths and weaknesses, will enable regular clarification of specific learning objectives and content. At the beginning of all units included in the major and minor levels of study the lecturer will discuss past achievements and clarify weaknesses with each student, assist them to articulate personal objectives for advancement, recommend suitable content and advise the Chair of Unit. The unit descriptions which follow should be

read as a guide to the minimum requirements of the major study and minor study in trumpet.

BRSS 1006 Trumpet 1 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 30min technical exam, minimum one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

BRSS 1014 Trumpet 1 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 10min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

BRSS 1007 Trumpet 2 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Trumpet 1 (Major). Classes:

One 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min jury recital, minimum one 6min concert

practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

BRSS 1015 Trumpet 2 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Trumpet 1 (Minor). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min recital exam, one concert practice (100%).

BRSS 2008 Trumpet 3 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Trumpet 2 (Major) or audition. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 30min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

BRSS 2014 Trumpet 3 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Trumpet 2 (Minor). Classes: 1hr/ wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

BRSS 2009 Trumpet 4 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: BMus: Trumpet 3 (Major); DipMus: Trumpet 2 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 40min junior recital, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

BRSS 2015 Trumpet 4 (Minor) 3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Trumpet 3 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15-20min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

BRSS 3012 Trumpet 5 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Trumpet 4 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 30min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

BRSS 3018 Trumpet 5 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Trumpet 4 (Minor). Classes: 1hr/ wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### BRSS 3013 Trumpet 6 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: BMus: Trumpet 5 (Major); DipMus: Trumpet 4 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: Concerto exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

#### BRSS 3019 Trumpet 6 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

**Offered:** February, July. **Prerequisite:** Trumpet 5 (Minor). **Classes:** 1hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. **Assessment:** 20-25min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### BRSS 4014 Trumpet 7 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

R. Johnson (Brass)

**Offered:** February. **Prerequisite:** Trumpet 6 (Major). **Classes:** One 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. **Assessment:** 30min technical exam, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

# BRSS 4026 Trumpet 7 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Trumpet 6 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/ wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

# BRSS 4016 Trumpet 8 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Trumpet 7 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 50min senior recital, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

#### BRSS 4022 Trumpet 8 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Trumpet 7 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: Exam (100%).

# Tuba Major and Minor

Tuba is offered at a Major and Minor level of study. The level of study is decided in the audition. At the beginning of the major and minor level of study, each student will be assigned a lecturer with whom they will normally work for the duration of the award. Continuing consultation between lecturer and student, including appraisal of technical and interpretative strengths and weaknesses, will enable regular clarification of specific learning objectives and content. At the beginning of all units included in the major and minor levels of study the lecturer will discuss past achievements and clarify weaknesses with each student, assist them to articulate personal objectives for advancement, recommend suitable content and advise the Chair of Unit. The unit descriptions which follow should be read as a guide to the minimum requirements of the major and minor levels of study in Tuba.

#### BRSS 1008 Tubal (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 30min technical exam, minimum one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

# BRSS 1016 Tubal (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

**Offered:** February. **Classes:** One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. **Assessment:** 10min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### BRSS 1009 Tuba 2 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Tuba 1 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min jury recital, minimum one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

# BRSS 1017 Tuba 2 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

**Offered:** July. **Prerequisite:** Tuba 1 (Minor). **Classes:** One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. **Assessment:** 15min recital exam, one concert practice (100%).

#### BRSS 2010 Tuba 3 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Tuba 2 (Major) or audition. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 30min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

#### BRSS 2016 Tuba 3 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

**Offered:** February. **Prerequisite:** Tuba 2 (Minor). **Classes:** 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. **Assessment:** 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### BRSS 2011 Tuba 4 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: BMus: Tuba 3 (Major); Dip Mus: Tuba 2 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 40min junior recital, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

#### BRSS 2017 Tuba 4 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Tuba 3 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15-20min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### BRSS 3014 Tuba 5 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Tuba 4 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 30min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

#### BRSS 3020 Tuba 5 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

**Offered:** February. **Prerequisite:** Tuba 4 (Minor). **Classes:** 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. **Assessment:** 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

# BRSS 3015 Tuba 6 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: BMus: Tuba 5 (Major); DipMus: Tuba 4 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: Concerto exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

# BRSS 3021 Tuba 6 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Tuba 5 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 20-25min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

# BRSS 4018 Tuba 7 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Tuba 6 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 30min technical exam, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

BRSS4 0 2 3Tuba7(Minor)

3 credit points. BMus R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Tuba 6 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

BRSS4 0 2 0Tuba8(Major)

6 credit points. BMus

R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Tuba 7 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 50min senior recital, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

BRSS4 0 2 4Tuba8 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus R. Johnson (Brass)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Tuba 7 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: Exam (100%).

# Viola Major and Minor

Viola is offered at a Major and Minor level of study. The level of study is decided in the audition. At the beginning of the major or minor study each student will be assigned a lecturer. Continuing consultation between lecturer and student, including appraisal of technical and interpretative strengths and weaknesses, will enable regular clarification of specific learning objectives and content. At the beginning of all units included in the major and minor levels of study the lecturer will discuss past achievements and clarify weaknesses with each student, assist them to articulate personal objectives for advancement, recommend suitable content and advise the Chair of Unit.

STRG1 0 1 7 Viola1 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one 6min concert practice performance (100%).

STRG1 0 2 3 Viola 1 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

**Offered:** February. **Classes:** One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. **Assessment:** 10min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

STRG1 0 1 8 Viola 2 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Viola 1 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min jury recital, one 6min concert practice performance (100%).

STRG1 0 2 4 Viola 2 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Viola 1 (Minor). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min recital program, one concert practice performance (100%).

STRG 2016 Viola 3 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Viola 2 (Major) or audition. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

STRG 2022 Viola 3 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Viola 2 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

STRG 2017 Viola 4 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Viola 3 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 40min junior recital, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

STRG 2023 Viola 4 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Viola 3 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

STRG 3020 Viola 5 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

**Offered:** February. **Prerequisite:** Viola 4 (Major). **Classes:** One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. **Assessment:** 15min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

STRG 3030 Viola 5 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Viola 4 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

STRG 3021 Viola 6 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Viola 5 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: Concerto exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

STRG 3031 Viola 6 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Viola 5 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 20min exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

STRG 4018 Viola 7 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Viola 6 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min technical exam, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

STRG 4030 Viola 7 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Viola 6 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

STRG 4020 Viola 8 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Viola 7 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 50min senior recital of music, two 10min concert practice performances (100%).

STRG 4031 Viola 8 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Viola 7 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 20 min exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### Violin Major and Minor

Violin is offered at a Major and Minor level of study. The level of study is decided in the audition. At the beginning of the major or minor study each student will be assigned a lecturer. Continuing consultation between lecturer and student, including appraisal of technical and interpretative strengths and weaknesses, will enable regular clarification of specific learning objectives and content. At the beginning of all units included in the major and minor levels of study the lecturer

will discuss past achievements and clarify weaknesses with each student, assist them to articulate personal objectives for advancement, recommend suitable content and advise the Chair of Unit.

#### STRG 1019 Violin 1 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, minimum one 6min concert practice performance (100%).

#### STRG 1025 Violin 1 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

**Offered:** February. **Classes:** One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. **Assessment:** 10min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### STRG 1020 Violin 2 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Violin 1 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min jury recital, one 6min concert practice performance (100%).

#### STRG 1026 Violin 2 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Violin 1 (Minor). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min recital program, one concert practice performance (100%).

# STRG 2018 Violin 3 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Violin 2 (Major) or audition. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

# STRG 2024 Violin 3 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Violin 2 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### STRG 2019 Violin 4 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Violin 3 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 40min junior recital, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

#### STRG 2025 Violin 4 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Violin 3 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

# STRG 3022 Violin 5 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

**Offered:** February. **Prerequisite:** Violin 4 (Major). **Classes:** One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. **Assessment:** 15min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

# STRG 3026 Violin 5 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Violin 4 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

# STRG 3023 Violin 6 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Violin 5 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: Concerto exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

#### STRG 3027 Violin 6 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Violin 5 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 20min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### STRG 4022 Violin 7 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Violin 6 (Major). Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min technical exam, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

#### STRG 4032 Violin 7 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Violin 6 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### STRG 4024 Violin 8 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Violin 7 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 50min senior recital, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

#### STRG 4035 Violin 8 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Violin 7 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 20min exam, one concert practice performance.

# Violoncello Major and Minor

Violoncello is offered at a Major and Minor level of study. The level of study is decided in the audition. At the beginning of the major or minor study each student will be assigned a lecturer. Continuing consultation between lecturer and student, including appraisal of technical and interpretative strengths and weaknesses, will enable regular clarification of specific learning objectives and content. At the beginning of all units included in the major and minor levels of study the lecturer will discuss past achievements and clarify weaknesses with each student, assist them to articulate personal objectives for advancement, recommend suitable content and advise the Chair of Unit.

### STRG 1021 Violoncello 1 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one 6min concert practice performance (100%).

#### STRG 1027 Violoncello 1 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

**Offered:** February. **Classes:** One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. **Assessment:** 10min exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### STRG 1022 Violoncello 2 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Violoncello 1 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min jury recital, one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

#### STRG 1028 Violoncello 2 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Violoncello 1 (Minor). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min recital program, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### STRG 2020 Violoncello 3 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Violoncello 2 (Major) or audition. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

#### STRG 2026 Violoncello 3 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Violoncello 2 (Minor). Classes: 1hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### STRG 2021 Violoncello 4 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Violoncello 3 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 40min junior recital, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

#### STRG 2027 Violoncello 4 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Violoncello 3 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

# STRG 3024 Violoncello 5 (Major) 6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Violoncello4 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 30min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

# STRG 3028 Violoncello 5 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Violoncello 4 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### STRG 3025 Violoncello 6 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Violoncello 5 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: Concerto exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

#### STRG 3029 Violoncello 6 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Violoncello 5 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 20min recital, one concert practice performance (100%).

# STRG 4026 Violoncello 7 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Violoncello 6 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20min technical exam, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

#### STRG 4033 Violoncello 7 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Violoncello 6 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 20min exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

# STRG 4028 Violoncello 8 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Violoncello 7 (Major). Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 50min senior recital, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

#### STRG 4034 Violoncello 8 (Minor)

3 credit points, BMus

G. Richter (Strings)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Violoncello 7 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 20min exam, one concert practice performance.

#### Vocal Performance Class

This free choice unit, open to all singers, is designed to facilitate performance experience and learning. In this class essential ingredients of good performance practice are identified, discussed and applied. By analysing the various elements in performance, Vocal Performance Class gives students the opportunity to focus on specific issues in their own performance and address any issues arising through performing experience. Areas to be covered include: breathing and posture; stress and performance anxiety; communicating text; presentation and programming for specific audiences. Students will be required to perform at least three times per semester. For further information contact the Chair (Vocal Studies).

# VSAO1 0 1 7 Vocal Performance Class 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: February, July. Classes: One 2 h rtutorial/wk. Assessment: 3 performances per semester; class attendance and discussion; 3 essays of 800-1 000w each (100%).

See the description under Vocal Performance Class.

#### VSAO1 0 1 8 Vocal Performance Class 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr M. Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Vocal Performance Class 1. Classes: One 2hr tutorial/wk. Assessment: 3 performances per semester; class attendance and discussion; 3 essays of 800-1 000w each (100%).

See the description under Vocal Performance Class.

# VSAO 1035 Vocal Repertoire 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipOp Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: February. Classes: 2hrs class tuition/wk. Assessment: 15min prac exam (100%).

Students will study and perform a comprehensive repertoire of vocal literature for soloist and small ensemble. The unit will comprise an historical survey of literature, style and performance practice. For further information, contact the Chair of the Vocal Studies Unit.

# VSAO 2018 Vocal Repertoire 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipOp

Chair (Vocal Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Vocal Repertoire 1. Classes: 2hrs class tuition/wk. Assessment: 15min prac exam (100%). Please refer to Vocal Repertoire 1. For further information, contact the Chair of the Vocal Studies Unit.

# Voice Major and Minor

Voice is offered at a Major and Minor level of study. The level of study is decided in the audition. At the beginning of the major study each student will be assigned a lecturer with whom they will normally work for the duration of the award. Continued consultation between lecturer and student. including appraisal of technical and interpretative strengths and weaknesses, will enable regular clarification of specific learning objectives and content. In this context the unit descriptions which follow should be read as a guideline to the minimum requirements of the major and minor levels of study in voice.

# VSAO1 0 3 9Voice1(Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: February. Corequisite: Diction for Singers 1. Classes: 1hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, minimum one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

# VSAO1 0 0 2 Voice 1 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: February. Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 10min jury exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### VSAO 1040 Voice 2 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Voice 1 (Major). Corequisite: Diction for Singers 2. Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/ wk. Assessment: In a jury exam, presentation of four pieces minimum one 6min concert practice performance and/or studio class (100%).

#### VSAO 1003 Voice 2 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Voice 1 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15-20min jury exam, one concert practice performance (presentation of two pieces).

#### VSAO2020 Voice 3 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Voice 2 (Major). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

#### VSAO2011 Voice 3 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Voice 2 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### VSAO 2021 Voice 4 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)
Offered: July. Prerequisite: Voice 3 (Major). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 20-25min junior recital (90%), two 6min concert practice performances, program notes (including song texts) (10%).

#### VSAO 2016 Voice 4 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus. BMusStudies

Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)
Offered: July. Prerequisite: Voice 3 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: Jury exam, one concert practice performance (presentation of two pieces)

#### VSAO 3018 Voice 5 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Voice 4 (Major). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15min technical exam, two 6min concert practice performances (100%).

## VSAO 3017 Voice 5 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Voice 4 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

# VSAO 3019 Voice 6 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Voice 5 (Major). Classes: 1hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: Two 6min concert practice performances (100%) consisting of 10-15min (approx.) presentation, for a panel, of a song cycle, or a piece written for voice and orchestra to be performed with piano. If a larger work is prepared, only a portion may be heard.

#### VSAO 3020 Voice 6 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Voice 5 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min technical exam, one concert practice performance (100%).

#### VSAO 4002 Voice 7 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Voice 6 (Major). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 15 min technical exam, one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance (100%).

#### VSAO 4000 Voice 7 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Voice 6 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: 15min jury exam, one concert practice performance presenting two pieces

#### VSAO 4004 Voice 8 (Major)

6 credit points. BMus

Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Voice 7 (Major). Classes: 1 hr individual lesson and 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: 50min senior recital (90%), one 6min concert practice performance, one 12min lunch-time concert performance, program notes (including song texts) (10%).

# VSAO 4001 Voice 8 (Minor)

3 credit points. BMus

Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Voice 7 (Minor). Classes: 1 hr/wk individual lesson and class instruction. Assessment: Jury exam presenting two pieces (100%).

# Wagner

The objective of this seminar is to consider Wagner's contribution to music and aesthetics of the late 19th century through the study of his operas, the musical and dramatic philosophies that gave rise to them, their performance and reception history, and interpretation by a range of leading commentators both past and present. Areas of interest include methods of composition, theories on music and drama, political and social ideology, the philosophical background, and issues of psychology, race, and gender as applied to the works. Classes (two hours in duration on a fortnightly basis) consist of reports by students on selected readings, extensive listening to selected works, and general discussion. The works set for study are Der Ring des Nibelungen (semester 1); Tannhauser, Die Meistersinger von Niirnberg, and Parsifal (semester 2).

# MCGY 3031 Wagner 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Music History 4. Classes: One 2hr seminar/fn. Assessment: Class report: a 10-12min content summary of a reading chosen by the student from a prescribed list (20%); listening test: ten brief excerpts from the set works requiring identification of the opera, act, character(s), action, and noteworthy musical features (30%); essay (1000-2000w) chosen by the student from a prescribed list (50%).

Please see the description under Wagner.

#### MCGY 3032 Wagner 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies

R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Music History 4. Classes: One 2hr seminar/fn. Assessment: Class report: a 10-12min content summary of a reading chosen by trie student from a prescribed list (20%); listening test: ten brief excerpts from the set works requiring identification of the opera, act, character(s), action, and noteworthy musical features (30%); essay (1000-2000w) chosen by the student from a prescribed list (50%).

Please see the description under Wagner 1.

# Wind Symphony

Entry to this ensemble is by way of application followed by an audition. Positions within the ensemble are allocated on a yearly basis. Participants must re-audition for placement each year. Membership of this ensemble is open to the public for a fee.

As is a standard practice in many conservatoires in Australia and abroad, this subject mixes all years of all awards into a composite class. First year students work side by side with their colleagues in other years and learn the necessary skills of orchestral performance in the same way as do younger, less experienced musicians in first class ensembles in the professional music world.

The skills to be studied include intonation, ensemble skills (playing together precisely and rhythmically), interpreting the gestures, mannerisms and wishes of the conductor, tone control as well as the ethics and correct behaviour expected of a member of an ensemble. In this regard, assessment is based on aspects of participation in the ensemble and will be assessed by the conductor. These aspects will be: level of preparation, performance in the ensemble, commitment, concentration, ability and teamwork.

The repertoire for this ensemble is enormous and covers a wide range of styles ranging from transcriptions of early baroque works through to contemporary scores requiring new performance techniques.

The units Wind Symphony 1-8 endeavour to give students a picture of these styles over a cycle of four years. During that time, progressive assessment will be made regularly by the ensemble director and/or visiting conductors and improvement and greater understanding of the technique, styles and skills outlined earlier will be expected. Students can expect to take part in public performance.

Students enrolled in this subject who are also taking Practice Teaching are expected to attend all rehearsals, which will be arranged after school hours.

For more information on teaching and assessment, contact M. Walton (Woodwind). For organisational matters, contact the Ensembles Coordinator.

ENSE 1017 Wind Symphony 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

Offered: February. Classes: 3hrs/wkplus performances. Activities will also take place during Special Projects Weeks.

ENSE 1021 Wind Symphony 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus Offered: July. Prerequisite: Wind Symphony 1. Classes: 3hrs/wk plus performances. Activities will also take place during Special Projects Weeks.

ENSE 2010 Wind Symphony 3

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Wind Symphony 2. Classes: 3hrs/ wk plus performances. Activities will also take place during Special Projects Weeks.

ENSE 2014 Wind Symphony 4

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Wind Symphony 3. Classes: 3hrs/wk plus performances. Activities will also take place during Special Projects Weeks.

ENSE 3009 Wind Symphony 5

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Wind Symphony 4. Classes: 3hrs/ wk plus performances. Activities will also take place during Special Projects Weeks.

ENSE 3013 Wind Symphony 6‡

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Wind Symphony 5. Classes: 3hrs/wk plus performances. Activities will also take place during Special Projects Weeks.

ENSE 4010 Wind Symphony 7

3 credit points. BMus

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Wind Symphony 6. Classes: 3hrs/ wk plus performances. Activities will also take place during Special Projects Weeks. Assessment: See Wind Symphony.

ENSE 4014 Wind Symphony 8

3 credit points. BMus

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Wind Symphony 7. Classes: 3hrs/wk plus performances. Activities will also take place during Special

WIND 2018 Woodwind Class 1

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 h r tut/wk. Assessment: Preparation of class material, master class performances, class participation (100%).

This class gives students an opportunity to perform regularly at master classes. Students will be expected to discuss and criticise each other's performances in an articulate and constructive manner. Detailed analysis of musical style, breathing, posture and performance techniques will be covered. For further information, contact the Chair (Woodwind).

WIND 2019 Woodwind Class 2

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Woodwind Class 1. Classes: One 1hr tut/wk. Assessment: Preparation of class material, master class performances, class participation (100%).

Please refer to Woodwind Class 1. For further information contact the Chair (Woodwind).

WIND 3020 Woodwind Class 3

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Woodwind Class 2. Classes: One 1 hr tut/wk. Assessment: Preparation of class material, masterclass performances, class participation (100%).

Please refer to Woodwind Class 1. For further information contact the Chair (Woodwind).

WIND 3021 Woodwind Class 4

3 credit points. BMus, BMusStudies, DipMus

M. Walton (Woodwind)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Woodwind Class 3. Classes: One 1 hr tut/wk. Assessment: Preparation of class material, masterclass performances, class participation (100%).

Please refer to Woodwind Class 1. For further information contact the Chair (Woodwind).

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CHAPTER 7

# Postgraduate courses

This information should be read in conjunction with the Postgraduate Research Studies Handbook and the Postgraduate Coursework Studies Handbook, published by The University of Sydney and available from the Conservatorium or online at <a href="https://www.usyd.edu.au/study/">www.usyd.edu.au/study/</a> postgrad.html.

# Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)

The Doctor of Philosophy is available in musicology, music education and composition. Regulations for doctoral study at the Conservatorium are governed by the regulations of the Senate of the University of Sydney for the Doctor of Philosophy and by resolutions of the Academic Board. These regulations are available in the *Postgraduate Research Studies Handbook* available from the Conservatorium.

The degree of Doctor of Philosophy is awarded by the University to appropriately qualified candidates who have pursued a program of research and submitted a thesis. The thesis requirements can be met by a portfolio of musical compositions where the thesis includes prefatory analytical notes for each composition.

- Admission is determined on the basis that applicants will:
- (a) have gained a Master's degree or a Bachelor's degree with 1st or 2nd class Honours; and
- (b) submit to the Conservatorium a proposed course of research and/or a program of composition which, in the opinion of the Conservatorium, is appropriate for research or composition at the doctoral level and is likely to make a substantial contribution to the candidate's field; and
- (c) demonstrate to the Conservatorium that they have completed the necessary training and have the necessary skills and ability to pursue the proposed course of study and research.

Applicants who have not completed a Master's degree would normally enrol in a Master's degree and transfer later to a PhD after completing appropriate coursework and demonstrating research ability of suitable calibre. Admission to candidature for the PhD is normally probationary for the first twelve months of candidature.

Intending candidates should refer to the admission and degree requirements in the University of Sydney *Statutes and Regulations* and the *Postgraduate Research Studies Handbook*, and discuss their intended research with the Assistant Principal or the relevant Chair of Unit in the first instance.

# Master of Music (Composition), MMus(Comp)

The Master of Music (Composition) is classified as a research degree. Its objectives are:

- to facilitate the development of advanced compositional skills and allow candidates to work on compositions of a length and complexity not possible during undergraduate award programs;
- to give exposure to theoretical, philosophical and sociological aspects of composition;
- to give candidates a deep background knowledge of the possibilities of electronic technology in music which will enable them to play a part in the revolutionary changes which this technology is bringing about in the music profession;

- to give candidates, where possible, the opportunity to hear their pieces - while in progress or shortly after completion by drawing on the performance resources of the Conservatorium;
- to develop skills in, and an understanding of, all aspects of the successful completion of a composition project.

Admission is determined on the basis that applicants will:

- (a) have gained a Bachelor of Music degree with a Major in Composition from the Sydney Conservatorium of Music; or
- (b) have completed studies deemed by the Conservatorium to be equivalent to the standard of knowledge and ability required for the award of the degree of Bachelor of Music with a Major in Composition from the Sydney Conservatorium of Music; or
- (c) in exceptional circumstances, if the Board determines that the applicant, although not meeting the requirements of (a) and (b), has exceptional qualifications and the aptitude required for undertaking the award program; and
- (d) submit a folio of original compositions; and
- (e) attend an interview.

#### Course structure

The Master of Music (Composition) can be completed either in four semesters of full-time study or eight semesters of part-time study. The emphasis in the first year will be primarily in the Major study area. In the second year it will be in the Major study area together with the thesis. Expectations of candidates in terms of craft skills and imagination in both areas is high. Candidature will include:

- attendance for one hour of individual supervision in composition of various works under the guidance of a supervisor;
- participation in the Introduction to Research Methods course;
- participation in the Australian Music 1-2 seminars;
- presentation of a long essay on an approved topic;

Students should use Table 7.1 as a guide to the acquisition of credit points by normal progression through the Master of Music (Composition) course.

Table 7.1: Master of Music (Composition)

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Required unit of study	Sem 1	Sem 2	Sem 3	Sem 4
Principal Study Composition 1-4	16	16	16	16
Introduction to Research Method	8			
Australian Music 1-2		8	8	
Composition Thesis				8
Total units per semester Total units for the Award	24	24	24	24 96

# Master of Music (Music Education), MMus(MusEd)

The Master of Music (Music Education) is a research degree consisting of two streams of study. The first stream of study is a semester-based series of seminar topics covering the following four fields: Foundations of Music Education; Comparative Music Education; Curriculum Design for Music Education; and Multicultural Studies in Music Education. A concurrendy running research stream provides instruction in research methodology which underpins the writing of a thesis, the major component of the degree. The term 'thesis' is interpreted loosely in this context, and refers to any form of research based work approved by the Conservatorium.

Admission is determined on the basis that applicants will:

- (a) have gained a Bachelor of Music degree with a Major in Music Education from the Sydney Conservatorium of Music; or
- (b) have completed studies deemed by the Conservatorium to be equivalent to the standard of knowledge and ability required for the award of the degree of Bachelor of Music with a Major in Music Education from the Sydney Conservatorium of Music; or

- (c) in exceptional circumstances, demonstrate exceptional qualifications, experience and the aptitude required for undertaking the award program; and
- (d) attend an interview. Candidates should be prepared to discuss their background, attitudes and research interest in music education and their music teaching background.

#### Course structure

The Master of Music (Music Education) can be completed either in four semesters of full-time study or eight semesters of part-time study. The emphasis in the first year will be primarily in the major study area. In the second year it will be in the major study area together with the thesis.

Students should use Table 7.2 as a guide to the acquisition of credit points by normal progression through the Master of Music (Music Education) course.

**Table 7.2: Master of Music (Music Education)** 

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Required unit of study	Sem 1	Sem2	Sem3	Sem4
Seminar in Music Education 1-4	8	8	8	8
Music Education Research Methods 1	16			
Music Education Research Methods 2		16		
Music Education Thesis 1			16	
Music Education Thesis 2				16
Total units per semester Total units for the Award	24	24	24	24 96

# Master of Music (Musicology), MMus(Musicol)

The Master of Music (Musicology) aims to train students to become independent scholars in Western Historical Musicology and to communicate their findings in appropriate written and spoken forms. This research degree may stand alone or serve as preliminary to PhD study in the discipline.

Admission is determined on the basis that applicants will:

- (a) have gained a Bachelor of Music degree with a Major in Musicology from the Sydney Conservatorium of Music; or
- (b) have gained a Bachelor of Music of the University of Sydney (Board of Studies in Music); or
- (c) have completed studies deemed by the Conservatorium to be equivalent to the standard of knowledge and ability required for the award of the degree of Bachelor of Music with a major in Musicology at the Sydney Conservatorium of Music; or
- (d) in exceptional circumstances, demonstrate exceptional qualifications, experience and the aptitude required for undertaking the award program; and
- (e) demonstrate reading knowledge of German, French, Italian, Spanish or Latin: (candidates may be asked to translate a short passage from the musicological literature with the aid of a dictionary); and
- (f) complete a written diagnostic test; and
- (g) attend an interview.

#### Course structure

The Master of Music (Musicology) can be completed in either four semesters of full-time study or eight semesters of part-time study.

The degree includes core studies which are compulsory for all candidates and which provide methodology appropriate to postgraduate study in the discipline. The core studies units (Musicological Research Methods and Musical Analysis) require extensive reading in addition to specific requirements.

Musicology Seminar topics are offered on a rotating basis depending on the availability of staff in any one semester. In addition, candidates may apply to fulfil part of the Seminar requirement by taking a seminar offered in one of the other Master of Music research programs offered at the Conservatorium and approved for the Musicology program.

At the end of the first year candidates may be required to take a qualifying examination. This examination is designed to test a number of aspects of the progress of the candidate and to assess his/her preparedness and ability to undertake the

intellectual demands of independent research. Candidates will not be permitted to proceed to the thesis without being able to demonstrate that they have integrated and can apply what they have learned thus far in the course, and that their methodological base is sound.

Attendance at the weekly Musicology Workshop supplements classes and individual research. It provides a public forum for discussion and candidates will be required to contribute regular reports of their research to this workshop. In addition, it provides a practicum in techniques of paper giving, and a venue for discussions of recent musicological literature and other issues such as musicological conferences. It also offers the opportunity to hear occasional research papers from visiting scholars and from staff.

Since the reporting of new research at conferences is a dynamic aspect of musicology, each candidate will be strongly encouraged to attend conferences in the discipline and to participate where appropriate. This will be integrated into the Musicology Workshop. Candidates will be expected to prepare for each conference by reading in advance in particular areas of interest, and to provide a verbal or written report on their return. This component of the course exposes candidates to a variety of approaches to the discipline, allows him/her to see professionals in action, develops a critical approach to the art of paper-giving, and can start to foster professional contacts in the discipline.

Table 7.3 is a guide to the acquisition of credit points by normal progression through the Master of Music (Musicology) course

Table 7.3: Master of Music (Musicology)

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Required unit of study	Sem 1	Sem 2	Sem 3	Sem 4
Musicological Research Methods	8			
Musical Analysis	8			
Seminar 1	8			
Seminar 2		8		
Musicology Thesis 1-3		16	24	24
Total units per semester Total units for the Award	24	24	24	24 96

# Master of Music (Performance), MMus(Perf)

On successful completion of the Master of Music (Performance), which is a research degree, each candidate will be able to organise and present performances which demonstrate independence of thought, critical powers, interpretative capacities and high potential as a musician and scholar. Candidates will be able to articulate the contribution which their performance makes towards extending the boundaries of the discipline of performance through such means as expanded stylistic or interpretative horizons, investigation of historical performance practice, development of new performance modes, relationships and techniques, or through enhanced critical, historical or analytical perspectives.

Admission is determined on the basis that applicants will:

- (a) have gained a Bachelor of Music from the Sydney Conservatorium of Music; or
- (b) have completed studies deemed by the Conservatorium to be equivalent to the standard of knowledge and ability required for the award of the degree of Bachelor of Music from the Sydney Conservatorium of Music; or
- (c) submit such other evidence of general and professional qualifications as will satisfy the Graduate Studies Committee that the applicant possesses the educational preparation and capacity to pursue graduate research studies; and
- (d) undertake an audition and interview (including research aptitude test).

Applicants should be prepared to present an audition comprising a 50min recital of works at an advanced level of difficulty to a high standard of excellence. The audition panel retains the right to curtail the performance and select excerpts of the works presented as it sees fit. At the interview,

candidates should be prepared to discuss their proposed area of research and its relationship to their performance work.

#### Course structure

The Master of Music (Performance) course is minimally completed in two years of full-time study and comprises a Major study in an instrument or voice, and academic units.

The Major study includes individual lessons together with masterclasses and graduate seminars (attendance and performances mandatory).

The academic studies component assumes that candidates have a sound basic knowledge of the history and harmonic practice of Western music from at least the Baroque era to the present day. The purpose of the seminar program is to build upon this knowledge in a manner appropriate to the requirements of the mature postgraduate performance Major.

The seminars deal with the broad, essential areas of research method and music analysis and with transitional periods in western music history, mainly because their relative complexity and wealth of internal contradictions make them ideally suited to post-graduate study.

Students are expected to develop performance projects which demonstrate originality and which investigate and expand the boundaries of the discipline of performance through such matters as expanded stylistic and interpretative horizons, investigation of historical performance practice, development of new performance modes, relationships and techniques, or enhanced critical, historical or analytical perspectives.

The proposed program of study will be approved in consultation between the Chair of Unit and each individual student. An instrumental or vocal teacher will be appointed for each candidate to act as the principal supervisor. In addition, where appropriate, a co-supervisor will be appointed who will advise the student on research and the Critical Notes.

Students should use Table 7.4 as a guide to the acquisition of credit points by normal progression through the Master of Music (Performance) course.

Table 7.4: Master of Music (Performance)

Required unit of study	Sem 1	Sem 2	Sem 3	Sem 4
Principal Study (MMus) 1-4	16	16	16	16
Introduction to Research Method	8			
Music Analysis Today		4		
Seminar Elective 1		4		
Seminar Elective 2			4	
Special Project (Pro-Seminar)			4	
Special Project Seminar				8
Total credit points per semester Total credit points for the Award	24	24	24	24 96

# Graduate Diploma in Music (Performance) and Master of Performance, GradDipMus(Perf) and MPerf

Graduate Diploma in Music (Performance) and Master of Performance are designed to extend the student's technical mastery of *their* instrument or voice while deepening their knowledge of the repertoire and performance practice. The primarily practical focus of these awards will interest those technically and artistically advanced students who wish to pursue advanced study in related aspects of their particular performance area while at the same time achieving a fully professional level of performance. Upon completion, the student will be fully equipped for entry to a professional career in performance.

Individual instruction by an acknowledged expert in the student's musical discipline forms the primary teaching strategy. This is usually a consultative process which takes the form of supervision as well as identification and encouragement of a student's musical strengths. Through this is achieved the enhancement of skills and musicianship as well as the generation of a spirit of research and enquiry.

On successful completion, graduates will be able to:

- select, research and perform repertoire at standards of excellence:
- command the relevant performing techniques;
- communicate through musical performance; and
- deal with the exigencies of the concert stage.

Admission is determined on the basis of:

- (a) successful completion of a relevant undergraduate program. Applicants who do not have a recognised tertiary award but who demonstrate an equivalent musical ability and maturity at the audition and interview, and who can show considerable performing experience may be admitted; and
- (b) an audition; and
- (c) an interview

#### Course structure

Candidates enrolled in the Graduate Diploma and in the Masters will study the relevant performance literature and be encouraged to seek opportunities for musical development, such as additional performances, teaching practice, participation in masterclasses and leadership of ensembles. Students will also normally participate in chamber music ensembles but may apply to participate in an ensemble other than chamber music.

The Related Studies Seminar allows students to undertake a range of electives primarily with the Musicology Unit. However there are also opportunities to take specified postgraduate electives in other faculties of the University of Sydney. Students intending to enrol in the Master of Performance must take 'Introduction to Performance Portfolio' as the Related Studies Seminar 4.

The Performance Portfolio is a written record of activities during the final two semesters of the Master of Performance course and may include other media such as audio and video recordings and CD-ROM. It is intended to offer students creative flexibility in the selection of topic areas, however, all projects must expand the creative discipline through such means as the exploration of new repertoire, performance techniques, stylistic approaches, conceptual frameworks or the use of new technology. Students will be expected to document their portfolio in such a way as to articulate the aims and objectives, the contribution to the candidate's discipline area and the outcomes and conclusions of the project, and to demonstrate a capacity for reflection on the performance process.

Study for the Graduate Diploma may be undertaken on a full-time or a part-time basis. The Master of Performance is only available for full-time study.

Students enrolled in the Graduate Diploma may apply for admission to the Master of Performance at the end of Semester 2 if they wish to continue and do not take out the Graduate Diploma.

Capacity exists within the Graduate Diploma in Music (Performance) for students to select topics within the Related Studies program to cater for particular performance interests. Examples are Early Music; Orchestral Studies in Percussion; and Repetiteur.

#### **Early Music**

This selection of topics provides the opportunity for candidates whose interest is in early music performance to develop skill and knowledge through both performance and historical studies. In Principal Study candidates study with an instrumental specialist in early music. In Related Studies students take medieval and renaissance studies, palaeography, and baroque studies. In Ensemble, students have the opportunity of working either in a chamber music group or in Early Music Seminar. For further information, contact Dr Kathleen Nelson (Musicology).

#### **Orchestral Studies in Percussion**

The Percussion Unit offers Principal Study, Ensemble and Related Studies options which are specifically aimed at developing technical, ensemble and musical skills, and attitudinal requirements particular to the context of orchestral repertoire, orchestral performance and orchestral auditioning across the broad range of percussion instruments and orchestral styles. In place of public recitals, students will take jury examinations. Performance aspects relevant to Orchestral Percussion (timpani, snare drum, mallet keyboards and auxiliary percussion) will be assessed. For further information, contact Daryl Pratt (Percussion).

#### Repetiteur

This selection of topics allows accomplished pianists to develop the various skills which professional companies require of repetiteurs.

At the audition and interview, candidates should:

- demonstrate key performance skills through a program and prepared solo piece;
- demonstrate vocal accompaniment skills: two vocal items required:
- demonstrate vocal coaching: candidates may be asked to demonstrate a short coaching session;
- discuss, in an interview, their knowledge and experience of the work of a repetiteur.

In their Principal Study students develop skills in vocal coaching, score reading and repertoire, taking an assessment relating to these skills rather than a public recital. In Related Studies, students take units of study relating to languages for singers, in addition to working with singing teachers in a studio situation. Where appropriate, students also work with singers and producers in opera encounters and production as part of the ensemble program. For further information contact Sharolyn Kimmorley, Chair of Opera Studies.

Tables 7.5 and 7.6 show the structures of the Graduate Diploma in Music (Performance) and the Master of Performance. Part-time students in the Graduate Diploma in Music (Performance) take Principal Study (GradDip) 1A, IB, 2A, 2B in place of Principal Study (Performance) 1-2.

Table 7.5: Graduate Diploma ini Music (Performance)

Semester 1		Semester 2	
Principal Study (Performance) 1	12	Principal Study (Performance) 2	12
Ensemble 1	4	Ensemble 2	4
Related Studies Seminar 1	4	Related Studies Seminar 3	4
Related Studies Seminar 2	4	Related Studies Seminar 4	4
	24		24

Table 7.6: Master of Performance (MPerf)

Semester 1		Semester 2	
Principal Study (Performance) 1	12	Principal Study (Performance) 2	12
Ensemble 1	4	Ensemble 2	4
Related Studies Seminar 1	4	Related Studies Seminar 3	4
Related Studies Seminar 2	4	Related Studies Seminar 4 (Intro to Performance Portfo	4 lio)
	24		24
Semester 3		Semester 4	
Principal Study	12	Principal Study	12
(Performance) 3		(Performance) 4	
Ensemble 3	4	Ensemble 4	4
Performance Portfolio 1	8	Performance Portfolio 2	8
	24		24

# Graduate Diploma in Music (Opera) and Master of Performance (Opera), GradDipMus(Opera) and MPerf(Opera)

The study of opera within the Graduate Diploma and the Master of Performance is designed to meet the needs of graduate opera students who wish to extend their technical knowledge of the repertoire and performance practice. It is intended for graduates and professional singers who wish to

enhance those skills required on the opera and music theatre stage.

Admission is determined on the basis of:

- (a) successful completion of a relevant undergraduate program. Applicants who do not have a recognised tertiary award but who demonstrate an equivalent musical ability and maturity at the audition and interview, and who can show considerable performing experience may be admitted; and
- (b) an audition; and
- (c) an interview.

Candidates should note that this program normally is available only for March semester entry.

#### **Audition requirements**

Candidates should be prepared to present a varied program of at least four arias at an advanced level of difficulty and to a high standard of excellence. In an interview following the performance, the student will outline a proposed plan of study.

#### Course structure

The course aims to develop and refine the technical and interpretive qualities of the student's voice as an operatic instrument with emphasis on developing self-sufficiency in role selection, concert repertoire and program building.

It includes a focus on text related matters in various kinds of vocal music to foster the development of skills as an interpreter in all the major operatic languages. Candidates also study language structure, poetry, and operatic text within a cultural and historical context and will focus on increasing awareness of the word/music relationship.

Both the Graduate Diploma and the Masters include a series of encounters, conversations, ensemble rehearsals, workshops and concert and/or staged performances to develop skills as an operatic performer, with particular emphasis on character and role building, movement and gesture, the understanding of emotional context and general communication skills.

The Opera Performance Portfolio in the Masters course requires selection of a particular aspect of operatic specialisation for an extensive exploration. This investigation may focus on the historical, cultural, and political contexts of the operas or could explore unifying thematic or stylistic elements of selected roles. The final presentation of all the roles studied is accompanied by a written reflective element.

Tables 7.7 and 7.8 show the structures of the Graduate Diploma of Music (Opera) and the Master of Performance (Opera). These programs normally are available only for full-time study.

Students enrolled in the Graduate Diploma of Music (Opera) may apply for admission to the Master of Performance (Opera) at the end of Semester 2 if they wish to continue and do not take out the Graduate Diploma.

Table 7.7: Graduate Diploma ini Music (Opera)

Semester 1		Semester 2	
Principal Study (Opera) 1	8	Principal Study (Opera) 2	8
Language and Interpretation 1	4	Language and Interpretation 2	4
Graduate Production 1	8	Graduate Production 2	8
Opera Performance Repertoire 1	4	Opera Performance Repertoire 2	4
	24		24

**Table 7.8: Master of Performance (Opera)** 

Semester 1		Semester 2	
Principal Study (Opera) 1	8	Principal Study (Opera) 2	8
Language and Interpretation 1	4	Language and Interpretation 2	4
Graduate Production 1	8	Graduate Production 2	8
Opera Performance Repertoire 1	4	Opera Performance Repertoire 2	4
	24		24

Semester 3		Semester 4
Principal Study (Opera) 3	8	Principal Study (Opera) 4 8
Language and Interpretation 3	4	Language and Interpretation 4 4
Graduate Production 3	8	Graduate Production 4 8
Opera Performance Portfolio 1	4	Opera Performance Portfolio 2 4
	24	24

# Graduate Diploma in Music (Accompaniment), GradDipMus(Accompan)

The Graduate Diploma in Music (Accompaniment) is designed to provide high quality experience in accompaniment for those students who have begun to work towards a career as an accompanist during an undergraduate course. This award is normally completed in one year of full-time study.

At the audition and interview, applicants will be required to demonstrate:

- (a) ability and experience in the areas of accompanying and active participation in ensemble playing;
- (b) proficiency in sight reading;
- (c) general instrumental facility;
- (d) some familiarity with standard literature of keyboard and instrumental ensemble.

# Each candidate should:

- present (whole or in part) two major solo works from the standard keyboard repertoire;
- present two prepared programs of 10-15 minutes' duration, one with a singer and one with an instrumentalist:
  - the program with a vocalist should contain two or three works written for voice and piano
  - the program with an instrumentalist should contain only original works written for the piano and one other instrument:
- play and sing at sight a song from the classical or romantic repertoire;
- rehearse and perform (within 10-15 minutes) an unseen work in front of the audition panel (instrumental partner provided); and
- · attend an interview.

Table 7.9: Graduate Diploma in Music (Accompaniment)

Semester 1		Semester 2	
Instrumental Study 1	6	Instrumental Study 2	6
Accompaniment (Graduate) 1	6	Accompaniment (Graduate) 2	6
Studio Experience	4	Studio Experience	4
Vocal and Instrumental	4	Vocal and Instrumental	4
Literature 1		Literature 2	
Music Craft 1	4	Music Craft 2	4
	24		24

# Public examination recitals (graduate)

All instrumental and voice students are required to present public performance examination recitals as part of their course. Examination recitals normally take place in June and October/November each year.

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- 50 minute recital at the end of each semester;
- students enrolled in Performance Portfolio present performances related to their portfolio during Semester 2.

Master of Performance (Opera) and Graduate Diploma in Music (Opera)

- a recital not exceeding 20 minutes overall in Semesters 1 and 3:
- a recital of 25-30 minutes in Semesters 2 and 4;
- students enrolled in Performance Portfolio present performances related to their portfolio during Semester 2.

Graduate Diploma in Music (Accompaniment)

• 50 minute recital at the end of each semester.

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# **CHAPTER 8**

# Postgraduate units of study

#### **ENSE 5000** Accompaniment Graduate 1

6 credit points. GradDipMus(Accomp)

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and regular masterclasses or performance workshops plus concert practices Assessment: Accompanist for professional soloists in one vocal or one instrumental recital (minimum 50min) (100%) [Students are expected to have accompanied one vocal and one instrumental recital by the end of the course].

An advanced study of the keyboard player working in ensemble. Students will gain experience in chamber music, instrumental duo, vocal accompaniment, choral accompaniment and orchestral keyboard. A wide range of repertoire will be studied. Students will be expected to undertake a variety of learning experiences, each of which will be analysed and evaluated. For further information contact D. Miller (Ensemble Studies).

#### **ENSE 5001** Accompaniment Graduate 2

6 credit points. GradDipMus(Accomp)

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Accompaniment (Graduate) 1. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson and regular masterclasses or performance workshops plus concert practices. Assessment: Accompanist for professional soloists in one vocal or one instrumental recital (minimum 50min) (100%) [Students are expected to have accompanied one vocal and one instrumental recital by the end of the course].

Consolidation and continuation of concepts and skills introduced in Accompaniment (Graduate) 1.

#### CMPN 5000 Australian Music 1

8 credit points. MMus(Composition)

DrT. Pearce (Composition)

Offered: February, July. Classes: One 2hr lec or seminar/wk.

Assessment: Seminar paper(s) (100%).

A general overview of Australian music will be provided. Students will choose a topic of their own choice and research it thoroughly. Topics might include: the music of a particular Australian composer or the music of an ethnic group. While focussing on concert, electronic and computer music of this century the unit will also cover historical, cultural and sociological aspects of Australian music. For further information contact Dr T. Pearce (Composition).

#### CMPN 6000 Australian Music 2

8 credit points. MMus(Composition)

M. Smetanin (Composition)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Australian Music 1. Classes: One 2hr lec and seminar/wk. Assessment: Seminar paper(s)

Please refer to Australian Music 1. For further information contact M. Smetanin (Composition).

# CMPN 6002 Composition Thesis

8 credit points. MMus(Composition)

Dr B. Kos (Composition)

Offered: February, July. Classes: To be advised. Assessment: 15000w (minimum) thesis (or some other form of presentation of original research) on a topic, usually associated with the student's composition work (100%).

For further information contact Dr B. Kos (Composition).

# Ensemble

Students participate in chamber music ensembles or in other approved ensemble activities. The subject comprises participation in rehearsals and performances of a relevant ensemble. Students wishing to participate in an ensemble other than chamber music should make a request to the Assistant

Principal, detailing the proposed unit of ensemble study, the objectives of the planned course of activities, and the outcomes. Refer to the appropriate unit descriptions for details concerning contact hours and assessment procedures.

ENSE 5010 **Ensemble 1** 4 credit points. GradDipMus(Perf), MPerf

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: February. Classes: Ten 1 hr tutorials plus one seminar performance/sem. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals, tutorials and seminars (60%) plus one major performance (40%).

Please see the description under 'Ensemble'. For further information contact D. Miller (Ensemble Studies).

#### ENSE 5011 Ensemble 2

4 credit points. GradDipMus(Perf), MPerf

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Ensemble 1. Classes: As for Ensemble 1. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals, tutorials and seminars (60%) plus one major performance (40%)

Please see the description under 'Ensemble'. For further information contact D. Miller (Ensemble Studies).

#### ENSE 6000 Ensemble 3

4 credit points. MPerf

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

**Offered:** February, July. **Prerequisite:** Ensemble 2. **Classes:** As for Ensemble 1. **Assessment:** A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals, tutorials and seminars (60%) plus one major performance (40%).

Please see the description under 'Ensemble'. For further information contact D. Miller (Ensemble Studies).

#### ENSE 6001 Ensemble 4

4 credit points. MPerf

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Ensemble 3. Classes: As for Ensemble 1. Assessment: A final grade will be compiled from continual assessment of ensemble skills demonstrated during rehearsals, tutorials and seminars (60%) plus one major performance (40%) Please see the description under 'Ensemble'. For further information contact D. Miller (Ensemble Studies).

#### Graduate Production

These units aim to explore with students the processes involved in bringing operatic scenes to life, and to encourage a process of inner development in order to build the skills and knowledge of the personal resources necessary for confident and skilled performance.

#### VSAO 5008 Graduate Production 1

8 credit points. GradDipMus(Opera), MPerf(Opera)

5 Kimmorley (Opera Studies)

Offered: February. Classes: 60-70hrs/sem consisting of encounters, conversations, ensemble rehearsals, workshops and concert and/or staged performances. Assessment: Progressive assessment based on workshop/performance activities.

To develop skills as an operatic performer, with particular emphasis on character and role building, movement and gesture, the understanding of emotional context, and general communication skills. As this is a workshop/production-based unit, students must understand that additional hours may be necessary.

#### VSAO 5009 Graduate Production 2

8 credit points. GradDipMus(Opera), MPerf(Opera)

S Kimmorley (Opera Studies)

performance activities.

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Graduate Production 1. Classes: 60-70hrs/sem consisting of encounters, conversations, ensemble rehearsals, workshops and concert and/or staged performances. Assessment: Progressive assessment based on workshop/

The further development and refinement of skills studied in Graduate Production 1.

#### VSAO 6002 Graduate Production 3

8 credit points. MPerf(Opera) S Kimmorley (Opera Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Graduate Production 2. Classes: 60-70hrs/sem consisting of encounters, conversations, ensemble rehearsals, workshops and concert and/or staged performances. Assessment: Progressive assessment based on workshop/ performance activities.

As in Graduate Production 2, with increasing emphasis on selfdiscovery and personal interpretation.

# VSAO 6003 Graduate Production 4

8 credit points. MPerf(Opera)

5 Kimmorley (Opera Studies)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Graduate Production 3. Classes: 60-70hrs/sem consisting of encounters, conversations, ensemble rehearsals, workshops and concert and/or staged performances. Assessment: Progressive assessment based on workshop/performance activities.

The further development and refinement of skills studied in Graduate Production 3.

#### ENSE 5002 Instrumental Study 1

6 credit points. GradDipMus(Accomp)

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: February. Corequisite: Accompaniment (Graduate) 1. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and one 2hr grad seminar/wk. Assessment: Two term progress reports (50% each).

Students will undertake a program of technical studies and solo repertoire chosen by the instrumental teacher to suit their particular needs. The aim of the unit is to maintain a high standard of keyboard technique and facility. Attention will be paid to expanding the student's knowledge of different styles and historical periods. A special study will be made of the problems peculiar to the pianist working in ensemble, while students will also have the opportunity to gain a basic understanding of other keyboard instruments (organ, harpsichord and fortepiano). For further information contact D. Miller (Ensemble Studies).

#### ENSE 5003 Instrumental Study 2

6 credit points. GradDipMus(Accomp)

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Instrumental Study 1. Corequisite: Accompaniment (Graduate) 2. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson and one 2hr grad seminar/wk. Assessment: Two term progress reports (50% each).

Consolidation and continuation of work introduced in Instrumental Study 1. For further information contact D. Miller (Ensemble Studies).

#### MCGY 5000 Introduction to Research Method

8 credit points. MMus(Composition), MMus(Performance) Assoc Prof P McCallum

Offered: February. Classes: 2hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Presentation of a number of short papers.

Provides students with the knowledge and practical skills necessary to undertake private research into virtually any aspect of the musical repertoire, and to present the results of this research in a succinct and coherent manner. Basic elements of the unit include the use of library resources, bibliographical method, and consideration of scholarly criteria for the presentation of reports, essays and papers. After some introductory classes, students will be required to present short papers on a variety of topics, thus demonstrating their ability to apply basic methods. Depending on the number of students, the class may be divided into 2 sections. For further information contact R. Toop (Musicology).

# Language and Interpretation

Language and Interpretation units focus on text-related matters in various kinds of vocal music in order to develop skills as an interpreter in all the major operatic languages. Knowledge of language structure, poetry, and operatic text will be developed within a cultural and historical context. Emphasis is on a heightened awareness of the word/music relationship and the development of confidence enabling students to become autonomous interpretive artists through the study of lyric diction and syntax.

#### VSAO 5030 Language and Interpretation 1

4 credit points. GradDipMus(Opera), MPerf(Opera)

5 Kimmorley (Opera Studies)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr tut; one 1 hr language workshop/wk. Assessment: Written and oral examination at end of semester.

Each semester will have a tutorial devoted to one language: English, Italian, German and French, as well as a workshop on repertoire in any given language. At the end of four semesters each student will have completed all four different components.

### VSAO 5031 Language and Interpretation 2

4 credit points. GradDipMus(Opera), MPerf(Opera)

5 Kimmorley (Opera Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Language and Interpretation 1.

Classes: One 1 hr tut; one 1 hr language workshop/wk.

Assessment: Written and oral examination at end of semester.

A continuation of work begun in Semester 1.

#### VSAO 6004 Language and Interpretation 3

4 credit points. MPerf(Opera)

5 Kimmorley (Opera Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Language and Interpretation 2. Classes: One 1 hr tut; one 1 hr language workshop/wk.

Assessment: Written and oral examination at end of semester. A continuation from Semester 2.

#### VSAO 6005 Language and Interpretation 4

4 credit points. MPerf(Opera)

5 Kimmorley (Opera Studies)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Language and Interpretation 3. Classes: One 1 hr tut; one 1hr language workshop/wk.

Assessment: Written and oral examination at end of semester.

At the end of this semester, students will have completed all four components of Language and Interpretation.

#### MCGY 5001 Music Analysis Today

4 credit points. MMus(Performance) Associate Professor P. McCallum (Musicology)

Offered: July. Classes: One 50min lec/seminar/wk. Assessment: 2500-3000W essay (100%).

Consolidates previously acquired analytic skills and makes the student aware of recent developments in music theory and analysis applicable to music since 1650, with particular emphasis on 19th and early 20th century music. The basic approach is discursive rather than dictatorial, and students are required to discuss and criticise the analytic methods dealt with in the seminar. The precise contents of the unit are subject to revision in the light of recent research but typical subjects might include the analysis of composers' sketches from Beethoven to Webern; the limits and limitations of layer analysis after Schenker; the application of the Golden Section in formal analysis; Allen Forte's criteria for the analysis of atonal music; analysis and cultural studies. Students taking Principal Study in Jazz examine analytic methodologies appropriate to research in Jazz. For further information contact Associate Professor P McCallum (Musicology).

# ENSE 5004 Music Craft 1

4 credit points. GradDipMus(Accomp)

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr tut and discussion/2wk.

Assessment: 1 hr prac and viva voce exam (100%).

Students will study sight reading, transposition, improvisation and keyboard harmony. Rehearsal and performance techniques will be analysed and evaluated. Particular attention will be paid to the philosophy of communication both between music colleagues and between performers and their audience. For further information contact D. Miller (Ensemble Studies).

## ENSE 5005 Music Craft 2

4 credit points. GradDipMus(Accomp)

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Music Craft 1. Classes: One 1 hr tut and discussion/2wk. Assessment: 1hr prac and viva voce exam including 10min demonstration of vocal coaching.

Consolidation and extension of concepts and skills introduced in Music Craft 1.

MUED 5008 Music Education Research Methods 1 16 credit points. MMus(MusEd) Dr K. Marsh (Music Education)

Offered: February. Classes: 2hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Continual assessment and individual task assessment; literature

The aims of this unit of study are to develop an understanding of music education research processes, and to identify research methods suitable for individual students' research topics. In this unit of study, students examine a range of music education research paradigms which can broadly be categorised as qualitative or quantitative, and are introduced to related research procedures. Readings and seminar activities are designed to facilitate students' critical analysis of research in terms of the relevant research methods. Students will also develop strategies for locating and reviewing literature pertaining to their fields of research interest. At the culmination of this course, students will submit a preliminary literature review as the initial phase in the preparation of their research.

MUED 5016 Music Education Research Methods 2 16 credit points. MMus(MusEd)

Dr K Marsh (Music Education)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Music Education Research Methods 1. Classes: 2 hr seminar per week. Assessment: Continual assessment and individual task assessment; research proposal and ethics documentation.

This unit of study consolidates and extends skills acquired in Research Methods 1. The first objective is to acquaint students with a variety of data analysis procedures employed in music education research. Evolving skills will be extended through practical tasks in which students examine and apply a range of qualitative and quantitative data analysis procedures. A further objective is the completion of a research proposal. Through ongoing reading and critical evaluation of related research literature, students will prepare a research proposal for implementation in the final year of the program. Ethical issues in music education research are an adjunct area of study, and students will submit all documentation required for ethics approval for their proposed research.

MUED 5010 Music Education Thesis 1

16 credit points. MMus(MusEd) Dr P. Dunbar-Hall (Music Education)

Offered: February. Classes: 1hr supervision/wk. Assessment: Continual assessment on progress; presentation of regular progress reports; submission of documentation as required by supervisor. In this unit students work on their individual research topics under the guidance of a supervisor. Regular attendance at seminars at which students report on the progress of their research is a requirement of this unit. These seminars give students the opportunity to discuss their work with their peers and with staff

members. For further information contact Dr R Dunbar-Hall (Music Education).

MUED 6005 Music Education Thesis 2

16 credit points. MMus(MusEd) Dr P. Dunbar-Hall (Music Education)

Offered: February, July. Classes: 1 hr supervision/wk. Assessment: Continual assessment on progress; presentation of regular progress reports; submission of documentation as required by supervisor plus submission of a thesis.

In this unit students complete and submit their research thesis. Work is supervised by relevant staff members, and students present reports on their research at regular seminars for the comments of their peers and staff members. For further information contact Dr R Dunbar-Hall.

MCGY 5011 Musical Analysis

8 credit points. MMus(Musicology) Associate Professor P McCallum

Offered: February. Classes: 2hrseminar/wk. Assessment: Portfolio (40%) and survey article (60%).

The course aims to survey current methodologies and issues in music analysis to a level relevant to the contemporary scholar, and to develop expertise in analytical methodologies relevant to the student's area of research expertise. It is assumed that students will have at least an introductory knowledge of current methodologies such as Schenkerian analysis, set theory and a sound understanding of traditional approaches to form. The unit extends and deepens this knowledge with an emphasis on both critical discussion and on developing analytical skills. Topics studied include: aspects of Schenkerian theory, semiotic approaches to music, issues in the analysis of atonal music, a historical survey of approaches to the analysis of music, modernist analysis and "new" musicology, and analysis and the creative process. For further information contact Associate Professor P. McCallum

MCGY 5010 Musicological Research Methods 8 credit points. MMus(Musicology)

Dr K Nelson (Musicology)

Offered: February. Classes: 2hr seminar plus attendance at Musicology Workshop. Assessment: Bibliographic essay, written research proposal (100%).

This unit addresses the methodological basis for research in western historical musicology and therefore provides fundamental training necessary for the preparation of a thesis and other research projects. The final assignment of the semester is the written research proposal which may represent the first stage of research for the candidate's thesis. Topics to be covered include information searching, types of information and access to these, survey and assessment of literature, preparation of a bibliography and bibliographic essay, research topic selection and definition, writing and referencing skills, and preparation of a research proposal. For further information contact Dr K Nelson (Musicology)

**Textbooks** 

Turabian K.L. A Manual for Writers of Term Papers, Theses and Dissertations. 6th ed. Chicago, 1996

# Musicology Thesis

The candidate will write a research thesis on an approved topic. The thesis length should normally be approximately 40,000 words.

In addition to attendance at regular meetings with the research supervisor, the candidate will attend Musicology Workshop. In the Musicology Workshop the candidate will present regular reports on the progress of the research, the Workshop providing a forum for discussion of ideas and feedback. For further information on Musicology Workshop contact Dr K. Nelson (Musicology).

MCGY 5009 Musicology Thesis 1

16 credit points. MMus(Musicology)

Pi. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Musical Analysis; Musicological Research Methods. Classes: 1 hr supervision/wk plus attendance at Musicology Workshop.

Please refer to Musicology Thesis. For further information contact R. Toop (Musicology).

MCGY 6005 Musicology Thesis 2

24 credit points. MMus(Musicology)

R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Musicology Thesis 1. Classes: 1hr supervision/wk plus attendance at Musicology Workshop. Please refer to Musicology Thesis. For further information contact R. Toop (Musicology).

MCGY 6006 Musicology Thesis 3

24 credit points. MMus(Musicology)

R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Musicology Thesis 2. Classes: 1 hr supervision/wk plus attendance at Musicology Workshop. Please refer to Musicology Thesis. For further information contact R. Toop (Musicology).

# Opera Performance Portfolio

These units continue work commenced in Opera Performance Repertoire 1 and 2 and are devoted to an extensive exploration of a particular aspect of a student's operatic specialisation. It will usually take the form of a more intensive exploration of operatic roles chosen in consultation with teacher and supervisor.

# VSAO 6006 Opera Performance Portfolio 1

4 credit points. MPerf(Opera)

5 Kjmmortey (Opera Studies)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr class/wk with a coach and meetings (as required) with the supervisor. Assessment: Oral presentation of work-in-progress.

Extensive exploration of the role(s) chosen which could include aspects of performance theory and performance practice. This investigation may focus on the historical, cultural and political contexts of the operas, or could explore unifying thematic or stylistic elements of the roles to be studied. A short study of research method will form part of the semester's activities.

# VSAO 6007 Opera Performance Portfolio 2

4 credit points. MPerf(Opera)

5 Kimmorley (Opera Studies)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Opera Performance Portfolio 1. Classes: One 1 hr class/wk with a coach and meetings (as required) with the supervisor. Assessment: Lecture/recital accompanied by a written reflection on roles studied over the two

Students would be expected to give a final presentation representing the roles they have studied during the two semesters. The lecture/demonstration accompanied by a written reflective element is the culmination of all work done in Opera Performance Portfolio 1-2.

# Opera Performance Repertoire

Over the span of four semesters in Opera Performance Repertoire 1-2 and Opera Performance Portfolio 1-2, the student, in consultation with their voice teacher and coach, will choose and study a variety of operatic roles appropriate for their particular voice type. Opera Performance Repertoire 1-2 will also serve as an introduction to the more intensive and deeper study to be undertaken in Opera Performance Portfolio 1-2.

#### VSAO 5004 Opera Performance Repertoire 1

4 credit points. GradDipMus(Opera), MPerf(Opera)

5 Kimmorley (Opera Studies)
Offered: February. Classes: 1 hr coaching/wk. Assessment: Performance of selected excerpts from the role(s) chosen before a

Students work with a coach to prepare role(s) chosen in consultation with the teacher.

# VSAO 5005 Opera Performance Repertoire 2

4 credit points. GradDipMus(Opera), MPerf(Opera)

5 Kimmorley (Opera Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Opera Performance Repertoire 1. Classes: 1 hr coaching/wk. Assessment: Performance of selected excerpts from the role(s) chosen before a panel.

Students work with a coach to prepare role(s) chosen in consultation with their teacher.

#### Performance Portfolio

Study is devoted to an intensive exploration of a particular aspect of the student's specialisation. This could be in areas of the repertoire such as Orchestra, Chamber Music, Early Music, Contemporary Music, Vocal Music, or Opera and will be an area of study distinct from repertoire studied as part of the normal requirements of Principal Study and will be supervised by someone other than the Principal Study teacher. The Portfolio will take the form of a written record of the student's activities during the final two semesters of the course. The documentation may also include other media such as audio and video recordings and CD-ROM. There will be fortnightly seminars to monitor progress. The Performance Portfolio is intended to offer students creative flexibility in the selection of topic areas. However, all projects must expand the creative discipline through such means as the exploration of new repertoire, performance techniques, stylistic approaches, conceptual frameworks or the use of new technology. Students will be expected to document their portfolio in such a way as to articulate the aims and objectives, the contribution to the candidate's discipline area and the outcomes and conclusions

of the project, and to demonstrate a capacity for reflection on the performance process.

## PERF 5015 Performance Portfolio 1

8 credit points. MPerf

Dr M. Halliwell (Graduate Course Convener) and/or D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: February. Classes: One seminar/2wk. Assessment: Supervisor assessment and presentation.

This unit is devoted to an extensive exploration of a particular aspect of a student's specialisation and will be in area of study distinct from repertoire studied as part of the normal requirements of Principal Study. It could be in areas such as Orchestra,

Chamber Music, Early Music, Contemporary Music, Vocal Music, or Opera. The Portfolio could take the form of a sound/ video record of the student's activities. The student will be expected to develop an original perspective on an area of performance such as repertoire, performing techniques, modes of performance etc., and the Portfolio will contain a written, reflective component.

#### PERF 5016 Performance Portfolio 2

8 credit points. MPerf

Dr M. Halliwell (Graduate Course Convener) and/or D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: July. Classes: One seminar/2wk. Assessment: Presentation of performance and written work.

This unit is devoted to an extensive exploration of a particular aspect of a student's specialisation and will be in area of study distinct from repertoire studied as part of the normal requirements of Principal Study. It could be in areas such as Orchestra, Chamber Music, Early Music, Contemporary Music, Vocal Music, or Opera. The Portfolio could take the form of a sound/ video record of the student's activities. The student will be expected to develop an original perspective on an area of performance such as repertoire, performing techniques, modes of performance etc., and the Portfolio will contain a written, reflective component.

# Principal Study (Composition)

This series of units runs over four semesters. Students, working under the guidance of a supervisor, research and complete a substantial body of original compositions. These may be instrumental, choral, electronic, audio-visual or contain a mixture of some or all of these elements. Where possible and appropriate, students will be responsible for their preparation, rehearsal and performance. Students normally make one public presentation of their work each semester. Various areas may be explored, possibly in collaboration with other University departments or other institutions, including:

- chamber music
- orchestral music
- choral music
- music theatre, including opera
- electroacoustic music, including computer music
- algorithmic composition
- radiophony
- audio-visual composition.

A wide range of resources may be used, including:

- live electronics
- computer systems
- MIDI devices
- instrumentalists and singers
- actors, and
- theatrical devices.

# CMPN 5001 Principal Study (Composition) 1

16 credit points. MMus(Composition)

Dr B. Kos (Composition)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson/wk. Assessment: No assessment at the end of the first three semesters; at the end of the 4th semester: folio of composition (100%).

Please see under Principal Study (Composition). For further information contact Dr B. Kos (Composition).

#### CMPN 5002 Principal Study (Composition) 2

16 credit points. MMus(Composition)

Dr B. Kos (Composition)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Principal Study (Composition) 1. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson/wk. Assessment: No assessment at the end of the first three semesters.

Please see under the heading 'Principal Study (Composition)'. For further information contact Dr B. Kos (Composition).

# CMPN 6003 Principal Study (Composition) 3

16 credit points. MMus(Composition)

Dr B. Kos (Composition)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Principal Study (Composition) 2. Classes: One 1hr individual lesson/wk. Assessment: No assessment at the end of the first three semesters Please see under the heading 'Principal Study (Composition)'. For further information contact Dr B. Kos (Composition).

# CMPN 6004 Principal Study (Composition) 4

16 credit points. MMus(Composition)

Dr B. Kos (Composition)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Principal Study (Composition) 3. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson/wk Assessment: Submission of a folio of compositions (100%). Please see under the heading 'Principal Study (Composition)'. For further information contact Dr B. Kos (Composition).

# Principal Study in the Master of Music (Performance) - Instrumental/Vocal

Students develop performance projects which demonstrate originality and which investigate and expand the boundaries of the discipline of performance through such matters as expanded stylistic and interpretative horizons, investigation of historical performance practice, development of new performance modes, relationships and techniques, or enhanced critical, historical or analytical perspectives. Each performance is accompanied by Critical Notes which articulate the aim of the performance and its place in the area of the student's research inquiry.

For each student an instrumental or vocal teacher will be appointed who will act as the main supervisor of the creative work. Where appropriate, a co-supervisor may also be appointed who will advise the student on research matters.

#### PERF 5001 Principal Study (MMus) 1

16 credit points. MMus(Performance)
Dr M. Halliwell (Graduate Course Convener)

Offered: February, July. Classes: 19 hours of instrumental tuition/ supervision per semester: 2 hrs of Graduate Seminar per week: other supervision as appropriate. Assessment: 50min recital or equivalent, two performances at graduate seminar (80%): Critical Notes (20%). Students must gain a mimimum of at least a pass in Critical Notes.

Students will devise performance projects which expand the bounds of the discipline of performance in consultation with their main supervisor/teacher and associate supervisor. Research and creative objectives and semester outline will be devised and approved in consultation between individual students, the supervisor/teacher and associate supervisor and the appropriate Chair of Unit.

#### PERF 5002 Principal Study (MMus) 2

16 credit points. MMus(Performance)

Dr M. Halliwell (Graduate Course Convener)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Principal Study (MMus) 1. Classes: 19 hours of instrumental tuition/supervision per semester: 2 hours of Graduate Seminar per week: other supervision as appropriate. Assessment: 50min recital or equivalent, two performances at graduate seminar (80%): Critical Notes (20%): students must gain a minimum of a pass in Critical Notes. Students will devise performance projects which build on the themes developed in Principal Study 1 and which expand the bounds of the discipline of performance. While scope exists for the work of Principal Study 2 to continue that of Principal Study 1, students may, if they wish, develop projects in another area. Research and creative objectives and semester outline will be devised and approved in consultation between individual students, the supervisor/teacher and associate supervisor and the appropriate Chair of Unit.

# PERF 6000 Principal Study (MMus) 3

16 credit points. MMus(Performance) Dr M. Halliwell (Graduate Course Convener)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Principal Study MMus(Perf) 2. Classes: 19 hours of instrumental tuition/supervision per semester: 2 hours of Graduate Seminar per week: other supervision as appropriate. Assessment: 50min recital or equivalent, two performances at graduate seminar (80%): Critical Notes (20%): students must gain a minimum of a pass in Critical Notes. Students will devise performance projects which build on the themes developed in Principal Study 1 and 2 and which expand the bounds of the discipline of performance. While scope exists for the work of Principal Study 3 to continue that of Principal Study 1 and 2, students may, if they wish, develop projects in another area. Research and creative objectives and semester outline will be devised and approved in consultation between individual students, the supervisor/teacher and associate supervisor and the appropriate Chair of Unit.

# PERF 6001 Principal Study (MMus) 4

16 credit points. MMus(Performance)

Dr M. Halliwell (Graduate Course Convener)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Principal Study MMus(Perf) 3. Classes: 19 hours of instrumental tuition/supervision, per semester: 2 hours of Graduate Seminar per week: other supervision as appropriate. Assessment: 50min recital or equivalent, two performances at graduate seminar (80%): Critical Notes (20%): students must gain a mimimum of a pass in Critical Notes. Students will devise performance projects which build on the themes developed in Principal Study 1-3 and which expand the bounds of the discipline of performance. While scope exists for the work of Principal Study 4 to continue that of Principal Study 1-3, students may, if they wish, develop projects in another area. Research and creative objectives and semester outline will be devised and approved in consultation between individual students, the supervisor/teacher and associate supervisor and the appropriate Chair of Unit.

# Principal Study (Opera)

To develop and refine the technical and interpretive qualities of the voice as an operatic instrument to a professional level. Emphasis will be given to developing self-sufficiency in role selection, concert repertoire and program building.

#### VSAO 5006 Principal Study (Opera) 1

8 credit points. GradDipMus(Opera), MPerf(Opera)

Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: February. Classes: 1 hr voice lesson; 1 hr coaching; 1hr vocal masterclass; 2hr graduate seminar; 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: One 20min recital (combination of opera aria and art

Vocal Masterclass is a forum for all graduate voice students to work with vocal lecturers on technical and interpretive aspects of vocal performance. Graduate Seminar offers the opportunity for exchanging ideas and for graduate students, staff, guests and visiting artists to present performances. Students will be expected to present two performance demonstrations each semester and will be assigned peer group and stage management duties. In Concert Practice all opera students are expected to sing at least twice in each semester as well as perform stage management duties.

# VSAO 5007 Principal Study (Opera) 2

8 credit points. GradDipMus(Opera), MPerf(Opera)

Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies) Offered: July. Prerequisite: Principal Study Opera 1. Classes: 1hr voice lesson; 1 hr coaching; 1 hr vocal masterclass; 2hr graduate seminar; 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: One 25-30min recital (combination of opera aria and art song).

This unit will build on and consolidate technical and artistic aspects of vocal development begun in Principal Study Opera 1.

#### VSAO 6000 Principal Study (Opera) 3

8 credit points. MPerf(Opera) Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Principal Study (Opera) 2. Classes: 1 hr voice lesson; 1 hr coaching; 1 hr vocal masterclass; 2hr graduate seminar; 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: One 20min recital (combination of opera aria and art song).
This unit will build on and consolidate technical and artistic as-

pects of vocal development begun in Principal Study (Opera) 2.

#### VSAO 6001 Principal Study (Opera) 4

8 credit points. MPerf(Opera) Dr M Halliwell (Vocal Studies)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Principal Study (Opera) 3. Classes: 1 hr voice lesson; 1 hr coaching; 1 hr vocal masterclass; 2hr graduate seminar; 2hr concert practice/wk. Assessment: One 25-30min recital (combination of opera aria and art song).

This unit will be the culmination of technical and artistic aspects of vocal development studied over the four semesters.

#### PERF 5007 Principal Study (GradDip) 1A

6 credit points. GradDipMus(Perf)

Dr M. Halliwell (Graduate Course Convener)

Offered: February. Classes: One 0.5hr individual lesson; 1hr masterclass or performance workshop plus concert practice/wk. Assessment: 30min jury recital (100%).

To be arranged in consultation with the lecturer. This subject is available for part-time Graduate Diploma candidates only. For further information contact Dr M. Halliwell (Graduate Course Coordinator).

#### PERF 5008 Principal Study (GradDip) 1B

6 credit points. GradDipMus(Perf)

Dr M. Halliwell (Graduate Course Convener)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Principal Study (GradDip) 1A. Classes: One 0.5hr individual lesson; 1hr masterclass or performance workshop plus concert practice/wk. Assessment: 50min solo public recital or equivalent (100%).

To be arranged in consultation with the lecturer. This subject is available for part-time Graduate Diploma candidates only. For further information contact Dr M. Halliwell (Graduate Course Coordinator).

# PERF 5009 Principal Study (GradDip) 2A

6 credit points. GradDipMus(Perf)

Dr M. Halliwell (Graduate Course Convener)

Offered: February. Prerequisite: Principal Study (GradDip) 1B. Classes: One 0.5hr individual lesson; 1hr masterclass or performance workshop plus concert practice/wk. Assessment: 30min jury recital (100%).

To be arranged in consultation with the lecturer. This subject is available for part-time Graduate Diploma candidates only. For further information contact Dr M. Halliwell (Graduate Course Coordinator).

# PERF 5010 Principal Study (GradDip) 2B

6 credit points. GradDipMus(Perf)

Dr M. Halliwell (Graduate Course Convener)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Principal Study (GradDip) 2A. Classes: One 0.5hr individual lesson; 1hr masterclass or performance workshop plus concert practice/wk. Assessment: 50min solo public recital or equivalent (100%).

To be arranged in consultation with the lecturer. This subject is available for part-time Graduate Diploma candidates only. For further information contact Dr M. Halliwell (Graduate Course Coordinator).

#### PERF 5005 Principal Study (Performance) 1

12 credit points. GradDipMus(Perf), MPerf Dr M. Halliwell (Graduate Course Coordinator)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson; 1-2hrs masterclass or performance workshop plus concert practice/wk. Assessment: 50min solo public recital or equivalent (100%). To be arranged in consultation with the lecturer. For further in-

formation contact Dr M. Halliwell (Graduate Course Coordina-

#### PERF 5006 Principal Study (Performance) 2

12 credit points. GradDipMus(Perf), MPerf Dr M. Halliwell (Graduate Course Convener)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Principal Study (Performance) 1. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson; 1-2hrs masterclass or performance workshop plus concert practice/wk. Assessment: 50min solo public recital or equivalent (100%). To be arranged in consultation with the lecturer. For further information contact Dr M. Halliwell (Graduate Course Coordina-

### PERF 5019 Principal Study (Performance) 3

12 credit points. MPerf

Dr M. Halliwell (Graduate Course Convener) and/or D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Principal Study (Performance) 2. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson; 1-2hrs masterclass or performance workshop plus concert practice/wk. Assessment: 50min recital or equivalent.

To be arranged in consultation with the lecturer.

#### PERF 5020 Principal Study (Performance) 4

12 credit points. GradDipMus(Perf), MPerf

Dr M. Halliwell (Graduate Course Convener) and/or D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: February, July. Prerequisite: Principal Study (Performance) 3. Classes: One 1 hr individual lesson; 1-2hrs masterclass or performance workshop plus concert practice/wk. Assessment: 50min recital or equivalent.

To be arranged in consultation with the lecturer.

# Related Studies Seminar

This sequence of units enables students to undertake a range of electives (2 per semester, or 1 per semester for part-time enrolments), primarily with the Musicology Unit. In so far as enrolment numbers and financial resources permit, special seminars are offered. These include Postgraduate Aural Training. Students may also request approval to take specified postgraduate electives in other faculties of the University. Students who wish to take subjects in other faculties should make a written application, specifying the proposed unit of study, its objectives and its relationship to their musical program within their award. With the exception of Postgraduate Aural Training (2 hours per week), each unit involves a weekly seminar lasting 1 hour. Graduate Diploma students may also, by special arrangement, elect to take a course from the Master of Music seminar program. In this case, they will be expected to conform to the same study and assessment conditions as Master of Music students.

## GRAD 5000 Related Studies Seminar 1

4 credit points. GradDipMus(Perf), MPerf

Ft. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: February, July. Classes: Normally one 1 hr seminar/wk. Assessment: To be advised.

Please see under the heading 'Related Studies Seminar'. For further information contact the Chair (Musicology).

#### GRAD 5001 Related Studies Seminar 2

4 credit points. GradDipMus(Perf), MPerf

R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: February, July. Classes: Normally one 1 hr seminar/wk. Assessment: To be advised.

Please see under the heading 'Related Studies Seminar'. For further information contact the Chair (Musicology).

### GRAD 5002 Related Studies Seminar 3

4 credit points. GradDipMus(Perf), MPerf

R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: February, July. Classes: Normally one 1 hr seminar/wk. Assessment: To be advised.

Please see under the heading 'Related Studies Seminar'. For further information contact the Chair (Musicology).

#### GRAD 5003 Related Studies Seminar 4

4 credit points. GradDipMus(Perf), MPerf

R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: February, July. Classes: Normally one 1 hr seminar/wk. Assessment: To be advised.

Please see under the heading 'Related Studies Seminar'. Students intending to proceed to the second year of the Master of Performance must take 'Introduction to Performance Portfolio' as the Related Studies Seminar 4. For further information contact the Chair (Musicology).

Students intending to complete the Masters program will be obliged, in semester two, to take this unit which will assist them in defining the range and focus of their performance activities during the final two semesters.

MCGY 5002 Seminar Elective 1

4 credit points. MMus(Performance)

R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: July. Classes: One 1 hr seminar/wk. Assessment: To be

Students will take a postgraduate seminar, normally drawn from existing postgraduate units within the Master of Music (Musicology), (Composition) and (Music Education) strands. Subject to approval, units in other faculties may also be taken. For further information contact the Chair (Musicology).

Jazz Performance students take Jazz Analysis and Transcription - a discussion and application of techniques for analysing the form, rhythm, harmony and style of jazz solos and compositions to better understand the complex symbiosis of the intellectual and intuitive processes of jazz improvisation and the presentation of same in a publishable format. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz).

MCGY 6000 Seminar Elective 2

4 credit points. MMus(Performance)

R. Toop (Musicology)

Offered: February. Classes: One 1 hr seminar/wk. Assessment: To

Students will take a postgraduate seminar, normally drawn from existing postgraduate units within the Master of Music (Musicology), (Composition) and (Music Education) strands. Subject to approval, units in other faculties may also be taken. For further information contact the Chair (Musicology).

Jazz Performance students take Jazz History and Analysis students learn to consolidate the techniques involved in doing new research in jazz performance. In addition, the transcriptions and analysis completed are intended to help the student to develop a greater depth of understanding of their own creative processes. For further information contact D. Montz (Jazz).

#### Seminar in Music Education 1 to 4

Comparative Music Education: An examination and critical evaluation of forms of music education in a range of cultural, geographical and historical contexts. The focus of study is not only on gaining an understanding of how these types of music education function, their philosophies and strategies, but also on the design and development of models for comparative study and their application to a number of music education systems. Through this, understanding of how music education systems work, their relative merits, individual strengths and weakness, and of the processual nature of music education across time can be developed.

Curriculum Design for Music Education: An investigation of methods of and ideologies for music curriculum design are investigated. This will include the purposes, problems and developments of music curriculum structures for learners at all ages and in a range of situations. Specific topics of musical content, objectives, materials, teaching and learning strategies, modes of music teaching and learning, importance of agerelated factors, and forms of evaluation (both of curricula and of participants' progress) will be covered.

Foundations of Music Education: To research music education in depth, it is necessary to have clarified what music education is, how it can be conceptualised, and what praxis evolves from the interaction of philosophy and practice. In this subject theories and strategies common to all areas of music education are examined. This will necessitate review of the aesthetics and sociology of music education, the relationships between psychology and music education, aspects of teacher training for music education, and significant theories of music teaching and learning.

Multicultural Studies in Music Education: Study of the interface between government policies, the actualities of global multiculturalism, and practices of music education is the basis of this course. Through analysis of these factors the nature of multiculturalism and ways that it affects music education are examined. This will include consideration of the following topics: historical perspectives of multiculturalism; defining multiculturalism; relationships between multiculturalism and postcolonialism and other forms of contemporary thought; analysis of policy statements on multiculturalism; relationships between multiculturalism and (ethno)musicology; ethical issues; fieldwork and its applications in music education; and how multiculturalism has influenced recent developments in music education internationally.

For further information contact Dr P. Dunbar-Hall (Music Education).

MUED 5012 Seminar in Music Education 1

8 credit points. MMus(MusEd)

Dr P. Dunbar-Hall (Music Education)

Offered: February, July. Classes: 1 hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Continual assessment and individual task assessment. Please see under the heading 'Seminar in Music Education'.

MUED 5013 Seminar in Music Education 2

8 credit points. MMus(MusEd)

Dr P. Dunbar-Hall (Music Education)

Offered: February, July. Classes: 2hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Continual assessment and individual task assessment. Please see under the heading 'Seminar in Music Education'.

MUED 5014 Seminar in Music Education 3

8 credit points. MMus(MusEd)

Dr P. Dunbar-Hall (Music Education)

Offered: February, July. Classes: 1 hr seminar/wk. Assessment: Continual assessment and individual task assessment. Please see under the heading 'Seminar in Music Education'.

MUED 5015 Seminar in Music Education 4

8 credit points. MMus(MusEd) Dr P. Dunbar-Hall (Music Education)

Offered: February, July. Classes: By arrangement with supervising lecturer. Assessment: Continual assessment and individual task assessment.

Please see under the heading 'Seminar in Music Education'.

#### Seminars in Musicology

Seminar topics change from time to time according to staff availability. Examples are given below with short descriptions. Candidates also have the option of choosing a seminar offered as part of another Master of Music by research program at the Conservatorium and approved for the Musicology program. Candidates wishing to take one or both of these seminars without all prerequisites or corequisites should seek approval. For further information contact R Toop (Musicology).

20th Century Sketch Studies: The course examines sketch material by leading 20th century composers from Schoenberg and Stravinsky to Stockhausen and Ferneyhough. It aims to provide insight into the creative process, and to develop competence in the assessment and analysis of contemporary materials. R Toop

Archival Australian Music Research: In this course students will use archives in Sydney to research topics of music history documented there, usually Australian musical history. It aims to provide experience in the use of archives and the assessment of materials, as well as knowledge of local resources. Dr K

Classical and Romantic Performance Practice: Students should acquire sufficient knowledge about current research and contemporary source documents relating to the performance of music from the period 1750 to 1900 to be able to make informed choices on matters of style and interpretation. The seminar also aims to provide a foundation for students wishing to pursue research topics in Classic or Romantic performance practice. Associate Professor P McCallum

French Music 1885 to 1914: tradition, nationalism and innovation: The seminar examines the complex interactions between the coexistent trends of tradition, nationalism and innovation in the music and aesthetic of Franck and his disciples, the Wagnerians, Debussy, Ravel and others. These interactions are analysed in the context of social trends and developments in painting and literature. D Priest

Palaeography and Source Studies: This provides an introduction to the principles and practice of transcription and editing of a variety of primary music sources of the Middle Ages and Renaissance. Notations to be studied include early chant notations, black and white mensural notation, and instrumental tablatures. Dr K Nelson

#### MCGY 5012 Seminar 1

8 credit points. MMus(Musicology)

K Nelson (Musicology)

**Offered:** February. **Corequisite:** Musicological Research Methods, Musical Analysis. **Classes:** 2 hr seminar/week. **Assessment:** The assessment relates to the specific topic undertaken and may include: reading assignments, seminar report and/or presentation, 3000-4000 word paper.

MCGY 5013 Seminar 2

8 credit points. MMus(Musicology)

R Toop (Musicology)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Musicological Research Methods, Musical Analysis, Seminar 1. Classes: 2 hr seminar/week. Assessment: The assessment relates to the specific topic undertaken and may include: reading assignments, seminar report and/or presentation, 3000-4000 word paper.

MCGY 6001 Special Project (Pro Seminar)

4 credit points. MMus(Performance)

R Toop (Musicology)

**Offered:** February. **Prerequisite:** Introduction to Research Method. **Classes:** One individual lesson/wk. **Assessment:** Written proposal, work-in-progress reporting as required by tutor.

The Special Project (Pro-seminar) focuses on the early stages of preparation of the long essay which will be presented at the conclusion of Special Project Seminar. Students are expected to complete a proposal for their essay by the middle of the semester, and by the end of the semester to have completed literature searches and surveys, and normally will have commenced writing. For further information contact R Toop (Musicology). Jazz Performance students may have different requirements. For information contact D Montz (Jazz Studies).

# MCGY 6002 Special Project Seminar

8 credit points. MMus(Performance)

R. Toop (Musicology)

**Offered:** February, July. **Prerequisite:** Special Project (Pro-Seminar). **Classes:** One 1 hr individual lesson/wk. **Assessment:** 10,000w essay (100%).

Special Project Seminar is the culmination of the academic component in the Master's program. The student will present a long essay of around 10,000 words on a topic of the student's choice (with particular relevance to their own performance interests), selected after consultation with a tutor from the Musicology Unit. For further information contact R. Toop (Musicology).

#### ENSE 5006 Studio Experience 1

4 credit points. GradDipMus(Accomp)

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

**Offered:** February. **Corequisite:** Accompaniment (Graduate) 1. **Classes:** Participation in 3hr vocal studio and Vocal Repertoire 1 classes. **Assessment:** Two term progress reports (50% each). The aim of the unit is to expand the student's knowledge of vocal teaching techniques, vocal repertoire and the special demands placed on the vocal accompanist. Students will study the rudiments of vocal coaching and undertake some basic tuition in languages as required. Attendance will include three hours each week in a vocal studio and participation in the Vocal Repertoire 1 class. For further information contact D. Miller (Ensemble Studies).

ENSE 5007 Studio Experience 2 4 credit points. GradDipMus(Accomp)

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Studio Experience 1. Corequisite: Accompaniment (Graduate) 2. Classes: Participation in 3hr vocal studio and Vocal Repertoire 1 classes. Assessment: Two term progress reports (50% each).

Attendance will include three hours each week in a vocal studio and participation in the Vocal Repertoire 2 class. For further information contact D. Miller (Ensemble Studies).

ENSE 5008 Vocal and Instrumental Literature 1

4 credit points. GradDipMus(Accomp)

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: February. Corequisite: Accompaniment (Graduate) 1. Classes: One 1hrseminar/2wk. Assessment: Research assignment (100%).

Students will study the various methods of planning and ordering concert and recital programs. Special attention will be paid to writing program notes, song translations and promotional techniques. Students will be encouraged to investigate less familiar repertoire and innovative ways of reaching specific audiences. Assessment will include: one written assignment and assessment of the programs distributed at the examination recitals presented in fulfilment of the requirements for Accompaniment (Graduate) 1. For further information contact D. Miller (Ensemble Studies).

ENSE 5009 Vocal and Instrumental Literature 2

4 credit points. GradDipMus(Accomp)

D. Miller (Ensemble Studies)

Offered: July. Prerequisite: Vocal and Instrumental Literature 1. Corequisite: Accompaniment (Graduate) 2. Classes: One 1 hr seminar/2wk. Assessment: Research assignment including published recital programs (100%).

Consolidation and extension of concepts and skills introduced in Vocal and Instrumental Literature 1. Assessment will include: one written assignment and evaluation of the printed programs which were prepared for and distributed at the examination recitals performed in fulfilment of the requirements for Accompaniment (Graduate) 2. For further information contact D. Miller (Ensemble Studies).

**CHAPTER 9** 

# Associated bodies and supporters

#### Conservatorium High School

The Conservatorium High School was established to provide general education for a limited number of students possessing high musical aptitude. The Conservatorium High School curriculum is based on the requirements for the NSW School Certificate and Higher School Certificate examinations. All students engage in specially designed musical activities provided by Conservatorium staff including individual tuition, orchestra, ensembles and chamber music.

Entry to the School is by audition and interview. In the first instance enquiries should be directed to Ms Barbara Macrae, Principal, Conservatorium High School, Australian Technology Park, Garden Street, Eveleigh, NSW 1430 (phone 9351 1353).

#### Sydney Conservatorium of Music Foundation

The Sydney Conservatorium of Music Foundation was established in 1987. The Foundation supports the programs of the Conservatorium by providing financial and other assistance. This adds an extra dimension to the facilities presently available for students and staff and enables the Conservatorium to continue as the finest institution for music education and performance training in Australia.

Foundation members receive a wide range of benefits, including invitations to performances and special events presented by the Conservatorium. Members can also play a part in decision making processes which guide the Foundation's activities.

For more information on becoming a member of the Sydney Conservatorium of Music Foundation please contact the Development Manager, phone 9351 1298.

Foundation Council
Mr Ken Nielsen (President)
Professor Sharman Pretty (Executive Director)

# The Conservatorium Association

The Conservatorium Association aims to develop communication between the Conservatorium and the community through its membership of former students and friends of the Conservatorium.

The work of the Association includes:

- promotion of concerts and other fund-raising activities to assist talented students who are in financial need
- organising The Scarf Foundation Awards each year which provide five awards for student excellence
- organising the Alan Bellhouse Memorial Conducting Scholarship and the Don Banks Scholarship for original musical composition by a student of the Conservatorium.

Membership of the Association is open to those who enjoy helping musical students attain their goals. For further information and details of Annual Membership and Life Membership contact the Conservatorium Association at the Sydney Conservatorium of Music, The University of Sydney, NSW 2006 (phone 9351 1285).

### Scholarships and bequests

For over 70 years the Conservatorium's advancement has been supported by far-sighted individuals and companies. In particular, many needy and talented students have been assisted towards professional careers as a result of such bequests.

The increasing costs of music education and training affect the capacity of some students and their families to participate in Conservatorium courses. Efforts to augment the support provided by existing scholarships are greatly appreciated and donations and bequests are managed to maximise the benefits available to students. The University of Sydney and the Sydney Conservatorium of Music administer funds according to the wishes of the donor and preserve the capital through conservative management and investment.

Bequests and donations by private individuals or organisations are eligible deductions for income tax purposes under the provision of Section 78 of the Income Tax Assessment Act. Further information may be obtained from the Development Office (A14), The University of Sydney or the Manager -Administration at the Sydney Conservatorium of Music.

A number of scholarships and prizes are provided for students in various categories. These are generally awarded on the basis of merit with some also awarded on the basis of financial need and equity criteria. Details are available from the Student Administration Office. Sydney Conservatorium of Music Handbook 2001

# General University information

See also the Glossary for administrative information relating to particular terms.

#### Accommodation Service

The Accommodation Service assists students to find offcampus accommodation by maintaining an extensive database of suitable accommodation in various areas but primarily close to University or within easy access via public transport.

Level 7, Education Building, A35

The University of Sydney NSW 2006 Australia Phone: (02) 9351 3312 Fax: (02) 9351 8262 TTY: (02) 9351 3412

Email: accomm@stuserv.usyd.edu.au Web: www.usyd.edu.au/su/accom

#### Admissions Office

The Admissions Office is responsible for overseeing the distribution of offers of admission to undergraduate students through the Universities Admissions Centre (UAC) and can advise prospective local undergraduate students on admission requirements. Postgraduate students should contact the appropriate faculty. Applicants without Australian citizenship or permanent residency should contact the International Office.

Student Centre

Ground Floor, Carslaw Building, F07

The University of Sydney NSW 2006 Australia

Phone: (02) 9351 4117 or (02) 9351 4118

Fax: (02) 9351 4869

Email: admissions@records.usyd.edu.au

Applying for a course

Prospective (intending) undergraduate students must lodge an application form with the Universities Admissions Centre (UAC) by the last working day of September of the year before enrolment for all courses except the graduate dental and medical programs, which require direct application to the faculties of Dentistry and Medicine. Note that some faculties may have additional application procedures.

#### Assessment

For matters regarding assessment, refer to the relevant Department or School.

#### Casual Employment Service

The Casual Employment Service helps students find casual and part-time work during their studies and in University vacations.

Level 7, Education Building, A35 The University of Sydney NSW 2006 Australia Phone: (02) 9552 2589 Fax: (02) 9552 4713

Email: <a href="mailto:ces@stuserv.usyd.edu.au">ces@stuserv.usyd.edu.au</a>
Web: <a href="mailto:www.usyd.edu.au/su/cas">www.usyd.edu.au/su/cas</a> <a href="mailto:emp">emp</a>

### Centre for English Teaching

The Centre for English Teaching provides a variety of fulltime English language courses for adult students at all levels of proficiency, including General English from Beginner to Advanced, IELTS preparation, and a range of specific programs in English for Academic Purposes designed to bring international students up to the required English language entry levels for degree programs at the University.

Level 2, Building F, 88 Mallett St Camperdown NSW 2006 Phone: (02) 9351 0706 Fax: (02) 9351 0701 Email: info@cet.usyd.edu.au Web: www.usyd.edu.au/cet

#### Child Care

Contact the Child Care Coordinator for information about Children's Services for students and staff of the University who are parents.

Child Care Coordinator

Level 7, Education Building, A35

Phone: (02) 9351 5667 Fax: (02) 9351 7055 TTY: (02) 9351 3412

Email: <a href="mailto:childc@stuserv.usyd.edu.au">childc@stuserv.usyd.edu.au</a>
Web: <a href="mailto:www.usyd.edu.au/su/childcare">www.usyd.edu.au/su/childcare</a>

#### Co-op Bookshop

Sells textbooks, reference books, general books and software. Special order services available.The Co-op Bookshop is

located at:

Sydney University Sports and Aquatic Centre, G09

Cnr Codrington St and Darlington Rd Phone: (02) 9351 3705 or (02) 9351 2807

Fax: (02) 9660 5256

Email: sydu@mail.coop-bookshop.com.au Web: www.coop-bookshop.com.au

# Counselling Service

The Counselling Service aims to help students fulfil their academic, individual and social goals through professional

counselling which is free and confidential.

Level 7, Education Building, A35 The University of Sydney NSW 2006 Australia Phone: (02) 9351 2228 Fax: (02) 9351 7055 TTY: (02) 9351 3412

Email: <a href="mail-usyd.edu.au">counsell@mail.usyd.edu.au</a>
Web: <a href="mail:usyd.edu.au/su/counsel">www.usyd.edu.au/su/counsel</a>

### Disability Services

Disability Services is the principal point of contact and advice on assistance available for students with disabilities. The Service works closely with academic and administrative staff to ensure that students receive reasonable accommodations in all areas of their study. Assistance available includes the provision of notetaking, interpreters, and advocacy with academic staff to negotiate assessment and course requirement modifications where appropriate.

modifications where appropriate. Level 7, Education Building, A35 The University of Sydney NSW 2006 Australia

Phone: (02) 9351 4554 Fax: (02) 9351 7055

Email: disserv@stuserv.usyd.edu.au Web: www.usyd.edu.au/su/disability Enrolment and pre-enrolment

#### Students entering first year

Details of the enrolment procedures will be sent to new undergraduate students with their UAC Offer of Enrolment. Enrolment takes place at a specific time and date, depending on your surname and the faculty in which you are enrolling, but is usually within the last week of January. You must attend the University in person or else nominate, in writing, somebody to act on your behalf. On your enrolment day, you pay the compulsory fees for joining the Student Union, the Students' Representative Council and the student sporting

bodies. Fees for certain courses are also payable at enrolment as is upfront HECS if you decide to pay with this option. You also choose your first-year units of study, so it's important to consult the faculty handbook before enrolling. Faculty handbooks can be purchased at the Student Centre, or found on the web at <a href="https://www.usyd.edu.au/studentcentre/enrolments">www.usyd.edu.au/studentcentre/enrolments</a>. Re-enrolling students

For re-enrolling students, enrolment is accomplished via preenrolment which is compulsory. A pre-enrolment package is sent to all enrolled students in early October which contains instructions on pre-enrolment procedures.

#### Examinations

The Examinations and Exclusions Office is usually responsible for examination seat numbers, examination timetabling and examination arrangements. This information is available to students via the web (MyUni).

Examinations and Exclusions Office

Student Centre

Level 1, Carslaw Building, F07 The University of Sydney NSW 2006 Australia

Phone: (02) 9351 4005 or (02) 9351 5054

Fax: (02) 9351 7330

Email: exams.office@exams.usyd.edu.au

Note that some faculties, such as the Sydney Conservatorium of Music, make all examination arrangements for the units of study that they offer.

#### Fees

The Fees Office provides advice to students on how to pay fees, where to pay, and if payments have been received.

Margaret Telfer Building, K07 The University of Sydney NSW 2006 Australia Phone: (02) 9351 5222 Fax: (02) 9351 4202

#### Financial Assistance Office

The University has a number of loan funds and bursaries to assist students who experience financial difficulties.

Assistance is not intended to provide the principal means of support but to help in emergencies and to supplement other income.

Level 7, Education Building, A35 The University of Sydney

NSW 2006 Australia Phone: (02) 9351 2416 Fax: (02) 9351 7055 TTY: (02) 9351 3412

Email: <u>fao@stuserv.usyd.edu.au</u>
Web: <u>www.usyd.edu.au/su/fin\_assist</u>

Freedom of Information

The University of Sydney falls within the jurisdiction of the NSW Freedom of Information Act, 1989. The Act requires information concerning documents held by the University to be made available to the public, to enable a member of the public to obtain access to documents held by the University and to enable a member of the public to ensure that records held by the University concerning his or her personal affairs are not incomplete, incorrect or out of date. By definition, a 'member of the public' includes staff or students of the University.

Application may be made for access to access University
documents, however the Act provides some exemptions to
particular documents. The Act contains review and appeal
mechanisms which are required to be explained to
applicants where applicable. The University is required to
report to the public on its FOI activities on a regular basis.
The two reports provided are the Statement of Affairs and
the Summary of Affairs. The Statement of Affairs contains
information about the University, its structure and function
and the kinds of documents held. The Summary of Affairs

identifies each of the University's policy documents and provides a contact list for those wishing to access these documents. Further information, and copies of the current reports may be found at <a href="https://www.usyd.edu.au/arms/foi/">www.usyd.edu.au/arms/foi/</a>.

 It is a requirement of the Act that applications be processed and a determination be made generally within 21 days.
 Determinations are made by the University's Registrar.

#### **Graduations Office**

The Graduations Office is responsible for organising graduation ceremonies and informing students of their graduation arrangements.

Ground Floor, Carslaw Building, F07

The University of Sydney NSW 2006 Australia

Phone: (02) 9351 3199, (02) 9351 4009

Protocol: (02) 9351 4612 Fax: (02) 9351 5072

Email: d.obrien@exams.usyd.edu.au

#### (Grievances) appeals

Many decisions about academic and non-academic matters are made each year and you may consider that a particular decision affecting your candidature for a degree or other activities at the University may not have taken into account all the relevant matters.

- In some cases the by-laws or resolutions of the Senate (see University Calendar) specifically provide for a right of appeal against particular decisions; for example, there is provision for appeal against academic decisions, disciplinary decisions and exclusion after failure.
- A document outlining the current procedures for appeals against academic decisions is available at the Student Centre, at the SRC, and on the University's web site at www.usyd.edu.au/su/planning/policy/
- If you wish to seek assistance or advice regarding an appeal, contact;

Students' Representative Council Level 1, Wentworth Building, G01 The University of Sydney NSW 2006 Australia Phone: (02) 9660 5222

#### **HECS** and fees

The HECS and Fees Office in the Student Centre can provide advice on your HECS or fee liability at any time.

Student Centre

Ground Floor, Carslaw Building, F07

The University of Sydney NSW 2006 Australia

Phone: (02) 9351 2086, (02) 9351 5659, (02) 9351 5062

Fax: (02) 9351 5081

#### international Student Centre

The International Student Centre consists of the International Office (IO), the International Student Services Unit (ISSU) and the Study Abroad and Exchange Office. The International Office provides assistance with application, admission and enrolment procedures and administers scholarships for international students. The ISSU provides a wide range of international student support services including arranging arrival accommodation and offering advice and professional counselling. The Study Abroad and Exchange Unit assists both domestic and international students who wish to enrol for Study Abroad or Exchange programs.

# International Student Centre

Services Building, G12 The University of Sydney NSW 2006 Australia Phone: (02) 9351 4079 Fax: (02) 9351 4013 Email: info@io.usyd.edu.au

Web: www.usyd.edu.au/international/index/.html

International Student Services Unit

Phone: (02) 9351 4749
Fax: (02) 9351 6818
Email: info@issu.usyd.edu.au
Web: www.usyd.edu.au/su/issu/
Study Abroad and Exchange Unit

Study Abroad Phone: (02) 9351 5841 Fax: (02) 9351 2795

Email: <a href="mailto:studyabroad@io.usyd.edu.au">studyabroad@io.usyd.edu.au</a>
Web: <a href="mailto:www.usyd.edu.au/su/io/studyabroad/">www.usyd.edu.au/su/io/studyabroad/</a>

Exchange

Phone: (02) 9351 5843 Fax: (02) 9351 2795

Email: <a href="mailto:exchange@io.usyd.edu.au">exchange@io.usyd.edu.au</a> Web: <a href="mailto:www.usyd.edu.au/su/exchange/">www.usyd.edu.au/su/exchange/</a>

#### Intranet

USYDnet is the University of Sydney's intranet. It provides easy access to staff and student directories, maps, software and useful resources for both staff and students. As well as delivering information, the intranet provides interactive services such as the Calendar of Events, where staff and students can enter events and publish them university-wide.

MyUni is the personalised section of USYDnet. All staff and students are provided with access to MyUni through a login name and password. This enables them to customise the information they see and also receive delivery of personal information such as exam results and seat numbers. MyUni is a portal from which students and staff can complete tasks that were previously only possible offline. Web enrolment variation is one of the first of many facilities that are helping to move the every day tasks of all members of the university online.

#### **Learning Centre**

The Learning Centre assists students to develop the generic skills which are necessary for learning and communicating knowledge and ideas at university. The Centre is committed to helping students to achieve their academic potential throughout their undergraduate and postgraduate studies.

Level 7, Education Building, A35

The University of Sydney NSW 2006 Australia Phone: (02) 9351 3853 Fax: (02) 9351 4865 Email: lc@stuserv.usyd.edu.au

Web: www.usyd.edu.au/su/lc

# Library

Students are welcome to use any of the 23 libraries in the University. The student card is also the library borrower's card. Further details of the libraries, including services provided, locations and opening hours are available on the Library's homepage <a href="https://www.library.usyd.edu.au">www.library.usyd.edu.au</a> as well as in the printed <a href="https://library.usyd.edu.au">Library Guide</a>, available at any library. Consult the Library staff for assistance.

The libraries listed below are located on the Camperdown/ Darlington campus unless otherwise specified.

Alexander Mackie Curriculum Resources Library Old Teachers College, A22

Old Teachers College, A22 Phone: (02) 9351 6254 Fax: (02) 9351 7766

Email: curriculum@library.usyd.edu.au

Architecture Library Wilkinson Building, G04 Phone: (02) 9351 2775 Fax: (02) 9351 4782

Email: architecture@library.usyd.edu.au

Badham Library
Badham Building, A16
Phone: (02) 9351 2728
Fax: (02) 9351 3852

Email: badham@library.usyd.edu.au

Biochemistry Library
Biochemistry Building, G08
Phone: (02) 9351 2231
Fax: (02) 93517699

Email: biochemistry@library.usyd.edu.au

Burkitt-Ford Library Sir Edward Ford Building, A27 Phone: (02) 9351 4364 Fax: (02) 9351 7125

Email: burkittford@library.usyd.edu.au

Camden Library

University Farms, Camden, C15 Phone: (02) 9351 1627

Fax: (02) 4655 6719

Email: camden@library.usyd.edu.au

Chemistry Library Chemistry Building, Fl 1 Phone: (02) 9351 3009 Fax: (02) 9351 3329

Email: chemistry@library.usyd.edu.au

Dentistry Library

United Dental Hospital, 2 Chalmers St, Surry Hills, C12

Phone: (02) 9351 8331 Fax: (02) 9212 5149

Email: dentistry@library.usyd.edu.au

Engineering Library P N Russell Building, J02 Phone: (02) 9351 2138 Fax: (02) 9351 7466

Email: engineering@library.usyd.edu.au

Fisher Library
Eastern Ave, F03
Phone: (02) 9351 2993
Fax: (02) 9351 2890

Email: fishinf@library.usyd.edu.au

Geosciences Library Madsen Building, F09 Phone: (02) 9351 6456 Fax: (02) 9351 6459

Email: <a href="mailto:geosciences@library.usyd.edu.au">geosciences@library.usyd.edu.au</a>
Health Sciences Library

Health Sciences Library East St, Lidcombe, C42 Phone: (02) 9351 9423 Fax: (02) 9351 9421

Email: <u>h.knight@cchs.usyd.edu.au</u>

Law Library

Law School, 173-175 Phillip St, Sydney, C13 Phone: (02) 9351 0216

Fax: (02) 9351 0301 Email: library@law.usyd.edu.au Mathematics Library Carslaw Building, F07 Phone: (02) 9351 2974

Fax: (02) 9351 5766 Email <u>mathematics@library.usyd.edu.au</u>

Medical Library
Bosch Building, D05
Phone: (02) 9351 2413
Fax: (02) 9351 2427

Email: medical@library.usyd.edu.au

Music Library Seymour Centre, J09 Phone: (02) 9351 3534 Fax: (02) 9351 7343

Email: music@library.usyd.edu.au

Nursing Library

88 Mallett St, Camperdown, M02

Phone: (02) 9351 0541 Fax: (02) 9351 0634

Email: nursing@library.usyd.edu.au

Orange Library

Leeds Parade, Orange Phone: (02) 6360 5594 Fax: (02) 6360 5637

Email: lib@orange.usyd.edu.au

Pharmacy Library Pharmacy Building, A15 Phone: (02) 9351 2333 Fax: (02) 9351 4445

Email: pharmacy@library.usyd.edu.au Physics Library

New Wing, Physics Building, A29

Phone: (02) 9351 2550 Fax: (02) 9351 7767

Email: physics@library.usyd.edu.au

Power Research Library Mills Building, A26 Phone: (02) 9351 2148 Fax: (02) 9351 7323

Email: john.spencer@arthist.usyd.edu.au Sydney College of the Arts Library

Balmain Rd, Rozelle, N01 Phone: (02) 9351 1036 Fax: (02) 9351 1043

Email: scalib@sca.usyd.edu.au

Sydney Conservatorium of Music Library

109 Pitt St, Sydney, C41 Phone: (02) 9230 3701 Fax: (02) 9230 3707

Email: <a href="mailto:csymes@conmusic.usyd.edu.au">csymes@conmusic.usyd.edu.au</a> Mathematics Learning Centre

The Mathematics Learning Centre runs bridging courses in mathematics at the beginning of the academic year (fees apply), and provides on-going support during the year through

individual assistance and small group tutorials. Level 4, Carslaw Building, F07

The University of Sydney NSW 2006 Australia Phone: (02) 9351 4061 Fax: (02) 9351 5797

Email: mlc@stuserv.usyd.edu.au Web: www.usyd.edu.au/su/mlc

Part-time and full-time enrolment

Students are normally considered to be enrolled full-time if they have a HECS or fee weighting of at least 0.375 each semester. Anything under this amount is considered a parttime study load. Note that some faculties have minimum study load requirements for satisfactory progress.

#### Privacy

The University is subject to the NSW Privacy and Personal Information Protection Act 1998 (the Act). Central to the Act is Part 2 which contains twelve Information Protection Principles (IPPs) which regulate the collection, management, use and disclosure of personal information.

In response to Section 33 of the Act the University has developed a Privacy Management Plan which includes a new University Privacy Policy incorporating the requirements of the IPPS. Both the Plan and the new University Privacy Policy were endorsed by the Vice-Chancellor on 28 June 2000. The Privacy Management Plan sets out the IPPs and how they apply to functions and activities carried out by the University.

Further information and a copy of the Plan may be found at: www.usyd.edu.au/arms/privacy/. Any questions regarding the Freedom of Information Act, the Privacy and Personal Information Protection Act or the Privacy Management Plan

should be directed to:

Tim Robinson: (02) 9351 4263 or Judith Russell: (02) 9351 2684 Email: foi@mail.usyd.edu.au

#### Student Centre

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The Student Centre enquiry counter can assist with the

following types of enquiries: General Enquiries: (02) 9351 3023 Academic Records: (02) 9351 4109

Discontinuation of Enrolment: (02) 9351 3023

Handbooks: (02) 9351 5057 Prizes: (02) 9351 5060

Fax: (02) 9351 5081, (02) 9351 5350 (Academic Records)

#### Student identity cards

Student identity cards will be provided to all commencing students at in-person enrolment or will be mailed to all continuing students who have successfully pre-entrolled. The card must be carried with you at all times on the site of the University, it must be displayed during examinations and must be produced on demand of any member of the staff or any other officer of the University. The card incorporates a photograph which you are required to provide. The photograph is to be colour and passport-sized showing your head and shoulders only. The photograph will be laminated to your student identity card on the day of your in-person enrolment if you are a commencing student. Pre-enrolling continuing students will be advised where to attend to have their photos and cards laminated. Student identity cards also function as transport concession cards for those students deemed eligible by the transport authorities. Transport concession eligibility will be confirmed with the application of a holographic sticker on the card.

#### Student Services

Student Services exists to help you achieve your educational goals by providing personal, welfare, and academic support services to facilitate your success at University. Many factors can impact on your wellbeing while studying at University and Student Services can assist you in managing and handling these more effectively. Refer to Accommodation Service, Casual Employment Service, Child Care, Disability Service, Financial Assistance Office, Learning Centre, Mathematics Learning Centre.

Room 711, Level 7, Education Building, A35

The University of Sydney NSW 2006 Australia

Web: www.usyd.edu.au/su/stuserv

Timetabling Unit

The timetabling unit in the Student Centre is responsible for producing students' class and tutorial timetables. Students can obtain their Semester 1 timetables from the Wednesday of Orientation Week via the web.

The Sydney Conservatorium of Music operates in accordance with a local calendar of dates and produces a complete timetable for all teaching that it delivers. The timetable is available on enrolment at the Conservatorium.

### Other student assistance

# Careers information

The Careers Centre provides careers information, advice and counselling, and assists in finding course-related employment both while you're studying and when you're ready to commence your career.

Ground floor, Mackie Building, K01

The University of Sydney NSW 2006 Australia Phone: (02) 9351 3481 Fax: (02) 9351 5134

Email: info@careers.usyd.edu.au Web: www.careers.usyd.edu.au

#### Continuing Education

University Preparation courses; bridging courses; Accounting Extension program; study skills courses; essay writing courses; and many others for career development, skill enhancement and general interest.

Centre for Continuing Education

Mackie Building, KOI The University of Sydney NSW 2006 Australia Phone: (02) 9351 2907 Fax: (02) 9351 5022

Email: <a href="mailto:info@cce.usyd.edu.au">info@cce.usyd.edu.au</a>
Web: <a href="mailto:www.usyd.edu.au/cce">www.usyd.edu.au/cce</a>
University Health Service

Offers full general practitioner services and emergency medical care to all members of the University community.

University Health Service (Wentworth) Level 3, Wentworth Building, G01 The University of Sydney

NSW 2006 Australia Phone: (02) 9351 3484 Fax: (02) 9351 4110

University Health Service (Holme) Ground Floor, Holme Building, A09

The University of Sydney NSW 2006 Australia Phone: (02) 9351 4095 Fax: (02) 9351 4338

Email: <u>director@unihealth.usyd.edu.au</u>
Web: <u>www.unihealth.usyd.edu.au/</u>
Koori Centre and Yooroang Garang

The Koori Centre provides tutorial assistance: access to computers, Indigenous counsellor, Aboriginal Studies library study rooms, Orientation program at the beginning of the year, and assistance in study and learning skills. Education Unit: courses in Education for ATSI students. Indigenous Studies Unit: aims to increase the awareness of Indigenous Australian issues through courses across the University.

Ground Floor, Old Teachers' College, A22 The University of Sydney NSW 2006 Australia

Phone: (02) 9351 2046 General Enquiries

(02) 9351 7003 Liaison Officer

Fax: (02) 9351 6923

Email: <u>koori@koori.usyd.edu.au</u>
Web: <u>www.koori.usyd.edu.au/</u>

Language Centre

The Language Centre supports the teaching and research of the 34 languages taught through the Faculty of Arts and also offers self-study materials in over 140 languages. Members have access to audio-visual kits, reference books, videos, satellite television, computer software and magazines. The Language Centre also runs courses in Spanish, Russian,

Portugese, Modern Irish and Welsh.

Level 2, Christopher Brennan Building, Al 8

The University of Sydney NSW 2006 Australia Phone: (02) 9351 2371 Fax: (02) 9351 4724

Email: language.enquiries@language.usyd.edu.au

Web: www.usyd.edu.au/langcent

Scholarships

The Scholarships Office is the University's internal and external point of contact for matters related to scholarships and awards. It provides information on undergraduate and postgraduate award opportunities available at the University as well as from external funding bodies, and advice to faculties and administrative units on the establishment and administration of their specific awards. The Scholarships

Office is also responsible for administering University-wide awards and major government funded research scholarships.

Research and Scholarships Office Scholarships Administration Room K4.01, Main Quadrangle, A14

The University of Sydney NSW 2006 Australia Phone: (02) 9351 3250 Fax: (02) 9351 3256

Email: scholars@reschols.usyd.edu.au

Web: www.usyd.edu.au/su/reschols/scholarships/schol.html

# Student organisations

Students' Representative Council Level 1, Wentworth Building, G01

The University of Sydney NSW 2006 Australia

Phone: (02) 9660 5222 Editors, Honi Soit/Legal Aid

(02) 9660 4756 Second-hand Bookshop

(02) 9351 0691 Mallett St

(02) 9230 3777 Pitt St-Conservatorium

Fax: (02) 9660 4260

Email: <a href="mailto:postmaster@src.usyd.edu.au">postmaster@src.usyd.edu.au</a> Sydney University Sports Union

Provides services, facilities and clubs for sport, recreation and

fitness.

Sports and Aquatic Centre, G09 The University of Sydney NSW 2006 Australia Phone: (02) 9351 4960 Fax: (02) 9351 4962

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# Glossary

This glossary describes terminology in use at the University of Sydney.

Academic Board

The Academic Board is the senior academic body within the University. In conjunction with Faculties, the Academic Board has responsibility for approving, or recommending to Senate for approval, new or amended courses and Units of Study (UoSs), and policy relating to the admission of students. (For further information, see the University Calendar)

Academic Cycle

The Academic Cycle is the program of teaching sessions offered over a year. Currently the cycle runs from the enrolment period for 1st Semester through to the completion of the processing of results at the end of 2nd Semester. {See also Stage)

Academic Record

The Academic Record is the complete academic history of a student at the University. It includes, among other things, personal details, all Units of Study and Courses taken, assessment results (marks and grades), awards and prizes obtained, infringements of progression rules, approvals for variation in course requirements and course leave, thesis and supervision details.

Access to a student's Academic Record is restricted to authorised University staff. A student's Academic Record is not released to a third party without the written authorisation of the student.

(See also Academic Transcript)

Academic Transcript

An Academic Transcript is a printed statement setting out a student's academic record at the University. There are two forms of Academic Transcripts: External and Internal. (See also External Transcript, Internal Transcript)

Academic Year

An Academic Year is a normal full-time program taken in a course in a year. Some courses consist of stages, which may readily be equated with Academic Year. Others use the aggregation of credit points to do this (eg. 48 credit points = an Academic Year).

(See also Academic Cycle, Stage)

Addresses

All enrolled students need to have a current postal address recorded on FlexSIS to which all Official University correspondence is sent.

(See also Business Address, Permanent Home Address, Semester Address, Temporary Address)

Admission is governed by the University's Admission Policy and is the process for identifying applicants eligible to receive an initial offer of enrolment in a course at the University. Admission to most courses is based on performance in the HSC with applicants ranked on the basis of their UAI. Other criteria such as a portfolio, interview, audition, or results in standard tests may also be taken into account for certain courses.

Admission (deferment)

An applicant who receives an offer of admission to a course may apply to defer enrolment in that course for one semester or one academic cycle.

Admission Basis

The main criterion used by a Faculty in assessing an application for admission to a course. The criteria used include, among other things, previous secondary, TAFE or tertiary studies, work experience, Special Admission and the Universities Admission Index (UAI).

Admission Mode

Admission Mode is a classification based on how a student was admitted to a course, for example 'UAC or 'direct'.

Admission Period

The period during which applications for admission to courses are considered. The main Admission Period takes place before the first semester, but there may also be an Admission Period for mid year applicants before the beginning of the second semester and other Admission Periods.

Admission Reply

A code used by FlexSIS to indicate whether an applicant who has received an offer has accepted the offer or not.

Admission Result

A code used by FlexSIS to indicate the result of a direct application to study at the University (eg, Offer, Unsuccessful, Withdrawn).

Admission Year

The year the student began the course.

Advanced Diplomas

(See Award Course)

Advanced Standing

(See Credit)

Advisor

A member of academic staff appointed in an advisory role for some postgraduate coursework students.

{See also Associate Supervisor, Instrumental Supervisor (teacher), Research Supervisor, Supervision)

Annual Progress Report

The Annual Progress Report is a form issued by Faculties which is used to monitor a research student's progress each year. The form provides for comments by the student, the Supervisor, the Head of the Department and the Dean (or nominee). The completed form is attached to the student's official file.

FlexSIS records that the form has been sent out and that it has been satisfactorily completed.

Australian Postgraduate Awards. (See also Scholarships, UPA) Appeals

Students may lodge appeals against academic or disciplinary decisions. FlexSIS will record an academic appeal (eg, against exclusion) while they are under consideration and will record the outcome of the appeal. Disciplinary (that is, nonacademic) appeals are not recorded on FlexSIS.

Assessment

The process of measuring the performance of students in UoSs and courses. The assessment of performance in a UoS may include examinations, essays, laboratory projects, or assignments.

(See also Board of Examiners, Result Processing, Result Processing Schedule)

Associate Supervisor

A person who is appointed in addition to the Supervisor of a research student who can provide the day-to-day contact with the candidate or provide particular expertise or additional experience in supervision.

(See also Advisor, Instrumental Supervisor (teacher), Research Supervisor, Supervision)

Assumed Knowledge

For some Units of Study, a student is assumed to have passed a relevant subject at the HSC and this is called Assumed Knowledge. While students are generally advised against taking a Unit of Study for which they do not have the assumed knowledge, they are not prevented from enrolling in the Unit of Study.

(See also Prerequisite)

Attendance Mode

Refers to whether a Unit of Study is taken by the student internally (ie, by attending classes at a campus of the university) or externally (ie, remotely by correspondence or other distance education means). While most Units of Study are offered internally, the Faculty of Health Sciences and the Orange Agricultural College offer Units of Study externally.

Attendance Type

Refers to whether the student is studying part-time or full-time. For coursework students this is a function of course load - ie, the proportion being undertaken by the student of the normal full-time load specified for the course in which the student is enrolled. To be considered full-time, a coursework student must undertake at least 0.75 of the normal full-time load over the academic cycle or at least 0.375 if only enrolling in half of an academic year (one semester). It is important to note, however, that, for some purposes, to be considered full-time a student may need to be enrolled in at least 0.375 in each session. Research students, with the approval of their Faculty, nominate whether they wish to study part-time or full-time. The Attendance Status is then recorded on FlexSIS as part of the application or enrolment process.

(See also Coursework, Student Load)

AusAID

Australian Agency for International Development.

Award Course

An award course is a formally approved program of study that can lead to an academic award granted by the University. The University broadly classifies courses as Undergraduate and Postgraduate (research and coursework). The Award Courses offered by the University are:

Higher Doctorates

Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)

Doctorates by research and advanced coursework

Master's Degree

Graduate Diploma

Graduate Certificate

Bachelor's Degrees Advanced diplomas

Diplomas

Certificates

(See also Major, Minor and Stream)

Bachelor's Degree

The highest undergraduate award offered at the University of Sydney. A Bachelor's degree course normally requires three or four years of full-time study (or the part-time equivalent). *[See also Award Course]* 

Barrier

A barrier is an instruction placed on a student's FlexSIS record that prevents the student from re-enrolling or graduating. *[See also Deadline (fees), Suppression of Results)* 

Board of Examiners

A Board of Examiners was a body appointed by a Faculty or Board of Studies which met to approve the results of all students undertaking Courses supervised by that Faculty or Board of Studies. Boards of Examiners were dis-established following revision of the University's examination procedures in 2000.

(See also Assessment, Result Processing, Result Processing Schedule)

Board of Studies

An academic body which supervises a course or courses and which is similar to a Faculty except that it is headed by a Chair rather than a Dean and does not supervise PhD candidates.

Bursaries

(See Scholarships)

Business Address

FlexSIS can record a student's Business Address and contact

(See also Addresses, Permanent Home Address, Semester Address, Temporary Address)

Cadigal Program

The Cadigal Program is a University wide access and support scheme for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders.

Campus

The grounds on which the University is situated. There are eleven campuses of the University of Sydney: Burren Street (Australian Graduate School of Management), Camperdown and Darlington ('Main Campus'), Camden (Agriculture and Veterinary Science), Conservatorium (Conservatorium of Music), Cumberland (Health Sciences), Mallett Street (Nursing), Orange (Faculty of Rural Management), Rozelle (Sydney College of the Arts), St James (Law) and Surry Hills (Dentistry).

Census date

(See HECS Census Date)

Ceremony

(See Graduation Ceremony)

Chancellor

The non-executive head of the University. An honorary position, the Chancellor chairs meetings of the University's governing body, the Senate, and presides over graduation ceremonies amongst other duties.

Class List

A listing of all Currently Enrolled students in a particular Unit of Study.

(See also Unit of Study)

Combined Course

A course which leads to two awards. For example the Arts/ Law course leads to the separate awards of Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Laws.

Combined degree

(See Combined Course)

Commencing Student

A student enrolling in an award course at the University of Sydney for the first time. The DETYA Glossary provides a more detailed definition.

Compulsory Subscription Rates

There are two rates for some annual subscriptions: full-time and part-time.

(See also Compulsory Subscriptions)

Compulsory Subscription Waiver Provision

Certain students over a certain age or with disabilities or medical conditions may be exempted from the subscription to the sports body.

Students with a conscientious objection to the payment of subscriptions to Unions of any kind may apply to the Registrar for exemption. The Registrar may permit such a student to make the payment to the Jean Foley Bursary Fund instead. [See also Compulsory Subscriptions)

Compulsory Subscriptions

Each enrolled student is liable to pay annual (or semester) subscriptions as determined by the Senate to the student organisations at the University. These organisations are different on different campuses. There are different organisations for undergraduate and postgraduate students.

At the Main Campus, compulsory submissions depend on the level of study:

- Undergraduate the University of Sydney Union, Students Representative Council (SRC) and the University Men's Sports Union or the University Women's Sports Association.
- Postgraduate the University of Sydney Union and the Sydney University Postgraduate Representative Association (SUPRA).

At other campuses, student organisations include:

- the Cumberland Student Guild
- student organisations at Orange Agricultural College and the Sydney College of the Arts.

(See also Compulsory Subscription Rates, Compulsory Subscription Waiver Provision, Joining Fee, Life membership)

Confirmation of Enrolment Status Form

A Confirmation of Enrolment Status Form is issued to students after enrolment showing the course and the UoSs they are enrolled in, together with the UoS credit point value of the UoSs and the HECS weights. Until all fees are paid, it is issued provisionally.

A new Confirmation of Enrolment form is produced every time a student's enrolment is varied.

For Postgraduate Research students the form also lists candidature details and Supervisor information.

Where students have an appointed adviser, the adviser information is also shown.

Convocation

Convocation is the body comprising all graduates of the University.

Core Unit of Study

A Unit of Study (UoS) that is compulsory for the course or subject area.

(See also Unit of Study (UoS))

Corequisite

A Corequisite is a Unit of Study, which must be taken in the same semester or year as a given Unit of Study (unless it has already been completed). These are determined by the Faculty or Board of Studies concerned, published in the Faculty Handbook and shown in FlexSIS.

(See also Prerequisite, Waiver)

Course

(See Award Course)

Course Alias

Each course in FlexSIS is identified by a unique five-digit Alpha-Numeric code.

Course Code

(See Course Alias)

Course Leave

Students (undergraduate and postgraduate) are permitted to apply for a period away from their course without losing their place. Course leave is formally approved by the supervising Faculty for a minimum of one semester and recorded on FlexSIS (leave for periods of less than one semester should be recorded internally by the Faculty). Students on leave are regarded as having an active candidature, but they are not entitled to a student card. At undergraduate level leave is not counted towards the total length of the course. Students who are absent from study without approved leave may be discontinued and may be required to reapply formally for admission. In respect of research students the term 'Suspension of Candidature' was previously used to describe students on course leave.

Course (Research)

A classification of courses in which students undertake supervised research leading to the production of a thesis or other piece of written or creative work over a prescribed period of time. The research component of a research course must comprise 66% or more of the overall course requirements.

Course Rules

Course Rules govern the allowable enrolment of a student in a Course; eg, a candidate may not enrol in Units of Study having a total value of more than 32 credit points per semester. Course Rules also govern the requirements for the award of the Course; eg, a candidate must have completed a minimum of 144 credit points. Course Rules may be expressed in terms of types of Units of Study taken, length of study, and Credit Points accumulated.

Course Suspension

(See Course Leave)

Course Transfer

A Course Transfer occurs where a student changes from one course in the University to another course in the University without the requirement for an application and selection (eg, from a PhD to a Master's program in the same Faculty).

Course Type

Course Type is a DETYA code.

Coursework

Coursework is a classification used to describe those courses that consist of UoSs rather than research work. All Undergraduate courses are coursework programs. Postgraduate courses can be either research courses or coursework courses.

(See also Course (Research)

Credit

Students admitted to a course at the University may be granted Advanced Standing based on previous attainment in anomer course at the University, or at another institution. The credit points granted count towards the course.

Credit may be granted as specific credit or non-specific credit.

Specific credit is the recognition of previously completed studies as directly equivalent to UoSs. Specific credit is recorded on FlexSIS as credit for a particular UoS or UoSs.

Non-Specific credit takes the form of a 'block credit' for a specified number of credit points at a particular level (eg, 12 Junior level credit points). These credit points may be in a particular subject area. The credit is not linked to a specific UoS.

(See also Waiver)

Credit Points

Credit Points are a measure of value indicating the contribution each Unit of Study provides towards meeting course completion requirements stated as a total Credit Point value. Each Unit of Study will have a Credit Point value assigned to it, normally in the range 3 to 24. Resolutions of Senate set the number and level of Credit Points required for graduation.

Cross-institutional Enrolment

Cross-institutional Enrolment is an enrolment in Units of Study at one university to count towards an award course at another university. Cross-institutional enrolments incur a HECS liability or tuition fee charge at the institution at which the UoS is being undertaken. Students pay compulsory subscriptions to one university only (usually their home university - ie, the university which will award their degree).

DAC (Data Audit Committee)

DAC is a sub-committee of the VCAC Enrolment Working Party, chaired by the Registrar, with membership including the Deans, the Student Centre, FlexSIS and the Planning Support Office. Its role is to oversee the integrity and accuracy of the Course and Unit of Study data as strategic university data. It has a role in advising the Academic Board on suggested policy changes with relation to Course and Unit of Study data.

Deadlines (enrolment variations)

(See Enrolment Variations)

Deadlines (fees)

The University has deadlines for the payment of fees (eg, HECS, Compulsory Subscriptions, course fees etc). Students who do not pay fees by these deadlines may have their enrolment cancelled or they may have a barrier placed on the release of their record.

(See also Barrier)

Dean

The head of a Faculty or the principal or director of a College (such as the Conservatorium of Music or the Sydney College of Arts).

Dean's Certificate

A statement from the Dean certifying that all requirements, including fieldwork and practical work, have been met and that the student is eligible to graduate. Not all Faculties use Deans' Certificates. In Faculties that do, qualified students have 'Dean's Certificate' noted on their academic record.

#### DFTYA

The Department of Education Training and Youth Affairs is the Commonwealth Government Department responsible for Higher Education. The University is required to provide DETYA with information about its students three times a year. The Government in its funding deliberations uses this information.

Deferment

(See Admission (deferment), Leave)

Degree

(See also Award Course, Bachelor's Degree)

Department

For the purposes of FlexSIS, a Department is the academic unit, which is responsible for teaching and examining a UoS. It may be called a School, a Department, a Centre or a Unit within the University.

Differential HECS

(See Higher Education Contribution Scheme (HECS))

Diploma

The award granted following successful completion of Diploma course requirements. A Diploma course usually requires less study than a degree course. Graduate Diploma courses are only available to students who already hold an undergraduate degree.

(See also Award Course)

Direct Admissions

For some courses, applications may be made directly to the University. Applications are received by Faculties or the International Office, registered on FlexSIS and considered by the relevant Department or Faculty body. Decisions are recorded on FlexSIS and FlexSIS produces letters to applicants advising them of the outcome.

(See also Admission, UAC Admissions)

Disability Information

Students may inform the University of any temporary or permanent disability, otiler than a financial disability, which affects their life as a student. Disability Information is recorded in FlexSIS but it is only visible to particular authorised users because of its sensitive nature.

Discipline Codes

Discipline Codes are four-letter codes for each area of study available at the university (eg, CHEM Chemistry, ECON Economics)

Discipline Group

A DETYA code used to classify UoSs in terms of the subject matter being taught or being researched.

Discontinuation (Course)

(See Enrolment Variation)

Discontinuation (Unit of Study)

(See Enrolment Variation)

Dissertation

A Dissertation is a written exposition of a topic and may include original argument substantiated by reference to acknowledged authorities. It is a required Unit of Study for some postgraduate award courses in the Faculties of Architecture and Law.

Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)

(See Award Course, Doctorate, PhD)

Doctorate

The Doctorate and the PhD are high-level postgraduate awards available at the University of Sydney. A Doctorate course normally involves research and coursework; the candidate submits a thesis that is an original contribution to the field of study. Entry to a Doctorate course often requires completion of a Master's degree course. Note that the Doctorate course is not available in all Departments at the University of Sydney. (See also Award Course, PhD)

Earliest date

(See Research Candidature)

#### FFTSII

The Equivalent Full-Time Student Unit (EFTSU) is a measure of student load expressed as a proportion of the workload for a standard annual program for a student undertaking a full year of study in a particular award course. A student undertaking the standard annual program of study (normally 48 credit points) generates one EFTSU.

#### **EFTYR**

The Effective Full-time Enrolment Year (EFTYR) is a calculation of how long, in terms of equivalence to full-time years of enrolment, a student has been enrolled in a course. If a student has always been full-time, the calculation is straightforward (for example, the fifth year of enrolment is EFTYR 5). If the student has had a mixture of part-time and full-time enrolment, this can be equated with an EFTYR. (See also Stage)

#### Furolment

A student enrolls in a course by registering with the Supervising Faculty in the Units of Study to be taken in the coming year, semester or session. The student pays whatever fees are owing to the University by the deadline for that semester. New students currently pay on the day they enrol which is normally in early February. Students already in a course at the University re-enrol each year or semester; for most students Pre-enrolment is required.

(See also Pre-enrolment)

Enrolment Non Award

Non Award enrolment is an enrolment in a Unit or Units of Study, which does not count towards a formal award of *the* University. Normally Tuition Fees are levied on non-award Units of Study.

Enrolment Status

A student's enrolment status is either:

- · Enrolled; or
- Not enrolled

An enrolment status is linked to an enrolment status reason or category.

Enrolment Status Reason/ Category

Not enrolled status reasons/categories include: Wimdrawn, Totally Discontinued, Cancelled, on Leave (suspended), Transferred, Lapsed, Terminated, Qualified and Conferred.

Enrolment Variation

Students may vary tiieir enrolment at the beginning of each semester. Each Faculty determines its deadlines for variations, but HECS liability depends on the HECS Census Date. (See also HECS)

Enrolment Year

See EFTYR, Stage

Examination

See Examination Paper Code, Examination Period, Supplementary Exams

Examination Paper Code

A code that identifies each individual examination paper. Used to help organise examinations.

Examination Period

The Examination Period is the time set each semester for the conduct of formal examinations.

Exchange Student

An Exchange student is either a student of tiiis University who is participating in a formally agreed program involving study at an overseas university or an overseas student who is studying here on the same basis. The International Office provides administrative support for some exchanges.

Students at this University will have recorded on their academic record the fact that tiiey have participated in an exchange program.

Exclusion

The Faculty may ask a student whose academic progress is considered to be unsatisfactory to Show Cause why the student should be allowed to re-enrol. If the Faculty deems the student's explanation unsatisfactory or if the student does not provide an explanation the student may be excluded either from a Unit of Study or from a course. An excluded student may apply to the Faculty for permission to re-enrol. Normally at least two years must have elapsed before such an application would be considered.

University policy relating to exclusion is set out in the Calendar.

(See also Senate Appeals)

External

See Attendance Mode

External Transcript

An External Transcript is a certified statement of a student's academic record printed on official university security paper. It includes the student's name, any credit granted, all courses the student was enrolled in and the final course result and all UoSs attempted within each course together with the UoS result (but not any UoS which has the status of Withdrawn). It also includes any scholarships or prizes the student has received. Two copies are provided to each student on graduation (one with marks and grades for each UoS and one with grades only). External transcripts are also produced at the request of the student. The student can elect either to have marks appear on the transcript or not.

(See also Academic Transcript, Internal Transcript)

Faculty

A Faculty, consisting mainly of academic staff members and headed by a dean, is a formal part of the University's academic governance structure, responsible for all matters concerning the award courses that it supervises (see the 1999 Calendar, pp 110-111). Usually, a Faculty office administers the Faculty and student or staff inquiries related to its courses. The Calendar sets out the constitution of each of the University's 17 Faculties.

(See also Board of Studies, Supervising Faculty)

Fail

A mark of less than 50% which is not a Concessional Pass. (See also Results)

Fee Paying Students

Fee Paying Students are students who pay tuition fees to the University and are not liable for HECS.

Fee Rate

Local fees are charged in bands, a band being a group of subject areas. The bands are recommended by Faculties and approved by the DV-C (Planning and Resources).

Fee Type

Fee Type can be International or Local.

FlexSIS

FlexSIS is the computer-based Flexible Student Information System at the University. FlexSIS holds electronically details of courses and UoSs being offered by the University and the complete academic records of all students enrolled at the University. FlexSIS also holds the complete academic records of many (but not all) past students of the university. For past students whose complete records are not held on FlexSIS, there will be a reference on FlexSIS to card or microfiche records where details are kept.

Full-Time Student

(See Attendance Status, EFTSU)

. Grade

A Grade is a result outcome for a Unit of Study normally linked with a mark range. For example, in most Faculties, a mark in the range 85-100 attracts the Grade 'High Distinction' ('HD').

(See also Mark)

Graduand

A Graduand is a student who has completed all the requirements for an award course but has not yet graduated. (See also Graduation, Potential Graduand)

Graduate

A Graduate is a person who holds an award from a recognised tertiary institution.

(See also Graduand, Graduation)

Graduate Certificate

(See Award Course)

Graduate Diploma

(See Award Course)

Graduate Register

The Graduate Register is a list of all graduates of the University.

(See also Graduation)

Graduation

Graduation is the formal conferring of awards either at a ceremony or in absentia.

(See also In absentia, Potential Graduand)

Graduation Ceremony

A Graduation Ceremony is a ceremony where the Chancellor confers awards upon graduands. The Registrar publishes annually the schedule of graduation ceremonies.

HECS

See Higher Education Contribution Scheme (HECS)

HECS Census Date

The date at which a student's enrolment, load and HECS liability are finalised before reporting to DETYA. The following dates apply:

- 1st Semester, 31 March
- 2nd Semester, 31 August

HECS Code

A code used by DETYA to identify the HECS status of a student (eg, 10 Deferred, 11 Upfront).

Higher Doctorates

(See Award Course)

Higher Education Contribution Scheme (HECS)

All students, except international students, local fee-paying students and holders of certain scholarships are obliged to contribute towards the cost of their education under the Higher Education Contribution Scheme (HECS). HECS liability depends on the load being taken.

Current students, except possibly those who began their studies prior to 1997, have a HECS rate charged for each Unit of Study in their degree program which depends on the 'discipline group' it is in, and the 'band' to which the Government has assigned it. Theses are all determined annually by the Government.

Honorary Degrees

A degree Honoris Causa (translated from the Latin as 'for the purpose of honouring') is an honorary award, which is conferred on a person whom the University wishes to honour.

A degree Ad Eundem Gradum (translated as 'at the same level') is awarded to a member of the academic staff who is not a graduate of the University in recognition of outstanding service to the University. The award of an honorary degree is noted on the person's academic record.

Honours

Some degrees may be completed 'with Honours'. This may involve either the completion of a separate Honours Year or additional work in the later years of the course or meritorious achievement over all years of the course. Honours are awarded in a Class (Class 1, Class n, Class HI) and sometimes there are two divisions within Class n. *HSC* 

The HSC is the NSW Higher School Certificate, which is normally completed at the end of year 12 of secondary school. The UAI (Universities Admission Index) is a rank out of 100 that is computed from a student's performance in the HSC.

In absentia

In absentia is Latin for 'in the absence of. Awards are conferred in absentia when a graduand does not, or cannot, attend the graduation ceremony scheduled for them.

Those who have graduated in absentia may later request that they be presented to the Chancellor at a graduation ceremony. (See also Graduation)

Instrumental Supervisor (teacher)

All students at the Conservatorium of Music and BMus students on the Camperdown campus have an instrumental teacher appointed.

(See also Advisor, Associate Supervisor, Research Supervisor, Supervision.)

Internal

(See Attendance Mode)

Internal Transcript

An Internal Transcript is a record of a student's academic record for the University's own internal use. It includes the student's name, SID, address, all courses in which the student was enrolled and the final course result and all UoSs attempted within each course together with the UoS result.

(See also Academic Transcript, External Transcript)
International Student

An International Student is required to hold a visa to study in Australia and may be liable for international tuition fees. Any student who is not an Australian or New Zealand citizen or a permanent resident of Australia is an international student. New Zealand citizens are not classified as international students but have a special category under HECS that does not permit them to defer their HECS liability.

(See also Local Student, Student Type)

Joining Fee

Students enrolling for the first time pay, in addition, a joining fee for the University of Sydney Union or equivalent student organisation.

(See also Compulsory Subscription)

Leave

(See Course Leave)

Life membership

Under some circumstances (eg, after five full-time years of enrolments and contributions) students may be granted life membership of various organisations, which means they are exempt from paying yearly fees.

(See also Compulsory Subscription)

Load

Load for an individual student is the sum of the weights of all the UoSs in which the student is enrolled.

(See also EFTSU, HECS)

Local Student

A Local Student is either an Australian or New Zealand citizen or Australian permanent resident. New Zealand citizens are required to pay their HECS upfront.

(See also Fee type, HECS, International Student)

Major

A Major is a defined program of study, generally comprising specified Units of Study from later stages of the Award Course. Students select and transfer between Majors by virtue of their selection of Units of Study. One or more Majors may be prescribed in order to satisfy course requirements.

(See also Award Course, Minor and Stream)

Major Timetable Clash

Used by FlexSIS to denote occasions when a student attempts to enrol in Units of Study which have so much overlap in the teaching times that it has been decided that students must not enrol in the units together.

Mark

An integer (rounded if necessary) between 0 and 100 inclusive, indicating a student's performance in a UoS. (See also Grade)

Master's Degree

A postgraduate award. Master's degree courses may be offered by coursework, research only or a combination of coursework and research. Entry to the course often requires completion of an Honours year at an undergraduate level.

(See also Award Course)

Method of candidature

A course is either a research course or a coursework course and so the Methods of Candidature are 'Research' and 'Coursework'.

(See also Course, Course (Research), Coursework)

Minor

A Minor is a defined program of study, generally comprising Units of Study from later stages of the Award Course and requiring a smaller number of Credit Points than a Major. Students select and transfer between Minors (and Majors) by virtue of their selection of Units of Study. One or more Minors may be prescribed in order to satisfy course requirements. (See also Award Course, Major and Stream)

Minor Timetable Clash

Used by FlexSIS to denote occasions when a student attempts to enrol in Units of Study which have some identical times of teaching.

Mutually Exclusive Units of Study

(See Prohibited Combinations of Units of Study)

MvIIni

MyUni is a personalised space for staff and students on the University of Sydney's intranet, called USYDnet. MyUni is used to deliver information and services directly through a central location, while also allowing users to customise certain information. Students are able to access such services as Exam Seat Numbers, Results, Timetables and FlexSIS Enrolment Variations on MyUni.

Non Award

(See Enrolment - Non Award)

**OPRS** 

Overseas Postgraduate Research Scholarship.

Orientation Week

Orientation or 'O Week', takes place during the week prior to lectures in Semester 1. During O Week, students can join various clubs, societies and organisations, register for courses with departments and take part in activities provided by the University of Sydney Union.

Part-time student

(See Attendance Status, EFTSU)

Permanent Home Address

The Permanent Home Address is the address for all official University correspondence both inside and outside of Semester time (eg, during Semester breaks), unless overridden by Semester Address.

(See also Addresses, Business Address, Semester Address, Temporary Address)

PhD

The Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) and other Doctorate awards are the highest awards available at the University of Sydney. A PhD course is normally purely research-based; the candidate submits a thesis that is an original contribution to the field of study. Entry to a PhD course often requires completion of a Master's degree course. Note that the PhD course is available in most departments in the University of Sydney.

(See also Award Course, Doctorate)

Postgraduate

A term used to describe a course leading to an award such as Graduate Diploma, a Master's Degree or PhD, which usually requires prior completion of a relevant undergraduate degree (or diploma) course. A 'postgraduate' is a student enrolled in such a course.

Potential Graduand

Potential Graduands are students who have been identified as being eligible to graduate on the satisfactory completion of their current studies.

(See also Graduand, Graduation)

#### Pre-enrolment

Pre-enrolment takes place in October for the following year. Students indicate their choice of UoS enrolment for the following year. After results are approved, registered students are regarded as enrolled in those UoSs they chose and for which they are qualified. Their status is 'enrolled' and remains so provided they pay any money owing or comply with other requirements by the due date. Re-enrolling students who do not successfully register in their Units of Study for the next regular session are required to attend the University on set dates during the January/February enrolment period. Pre-enrolment is also known as Provisional Re-enrolment. (See also Enrolment)

#### Prerequisite

A prerequisite is a Unit of Study that is required to be completed before another UoS can be attempted. (See *also* Assumed Knowledge, Corequisite, Waiver)

#### Prizes

Prizes are awarded by the University, a Faculty or a Department for outstanding academic achievement. Full details can be found in the University Calendar.

#### Probationary Candidature

A Probationary Candidate is a student who is enrolled in a postgraduate course on probation for a period of time up to one year. The Head of Department is required to consider the candidate's progress during the period of probation and make a recommendation for normal candidature or otherwise to the Faculty.

#### Progression

(See Course Progression)

#### Prohibited Combinations of Units of Study

When two or more Units of Study contain a sufficient overlap of content, enrolment in any one such Unit prohibits enrolment in any other identified Unit. A Unit related in this way to any other Unit is linked in Tables of Units of Study via use of the symbol N to identify related prohibited Units.

#### Provisional Re-enrolment

(See Pre-enrolment)

#### Qualification

A qualification is an academic attainment recognised by the University.

#### Registrar

The Registrar is responsible to the Vice-Chancellor for the keeping of official records and associated policy and procedures within the University. *{See the University Calendar for details.}* 

#### Registration

In addition to enrolling with the Faculty in Units of Study, students must register with the Department responsible for teaching each unit. This is normally done during Orientation Week. Note that unlike enrolment, registration is not a formal record of Units attempted by the student.

#### Research Course

(See Course (Research))

#### Research Supervisor

A Supervisor is appointed to each student undertaking a research postgraduate degree. The person will be a full-time member of the academic staff or a person external to the University appointed in recognition of their association with the clinical teaching or the research work of the University. A Research Supervisor is commonly referred to as a Supervisor. (See also Advisor, Associate Supervisor, Instrumental Supervisor (teacher), Supervision)

#### Resolutions of Senate

Regulations determined by the Senate of the University of Sydney that pertain to degree and diploma course requirements and other academic or administrative matters.

#### Result Processing

Refers to the processing of assessment results for UoSs. Departments tabulate results for all assessment activities of a UoS and assign preliminary results for each UoS. Preliminary results are considered by the relevant Board of Examiners, which approves final results. Students are notified of results by result notices that list final marks and grades for all UoSs. (See *also* Assessment, Examination Period)

#### Result Processing Schedule

The Result Processing Schedule will be determined for each Academic Cycle. It is expected that all Departments and Faculties will comply with this schedule.

(See *also* Assessment, Examination Period, Result Processing)

#### Results

The official statement of the student's performance in each Unit of Study attempted, as recorded on the academic transcript, usually expressed as a grade.

#### HD

High Distinction, a mark of 85-100

D

Distinction, a mark of 75-84

CR

Credit, a mark of 65-74

Pass, a mark of 50-64

R

Satisfied requirements. This is used in Pass/Fail only outcomes UCN

Unit of Study continuing. Used at the end of semester for UoSs that have been approved to extend into a following semester. This will automatically flag that no final result is required until the end of the last semester of the UoS.

#### *PĈON*

Pass (Concessional), a mark of 46-49. Use of this grade is restricted to those courses that allow for a Concessional Pass of some kind to be awarded. A student may re-enrol in a Unit of Study for which the result was PCON. Each faculty will determine and state in its course regulations what proportion, if any, may count - eg, 'no more than one sixth of the total credit points for a course can be made up from PCON results'.

Fail. This grade may be used for students with marks from 46-49 in those faculties which do not use PCON.

#### AF

Absent Fail. Includes non-submission of compulsory work (or non- attendance at compulsory labs etc) as well as failure to attend an examination.

#### W

Withdrawn. Not recorded on an external transcript. This is the result that obtains where a student applies to discontinue a Unit of Study by the HECS Census Date (ie, within the first four weeks of enrolment).

# DNF

Discontinued - Not to count as failure. Recorded on external transcript. This result applies automatically where a student discontinues after the HECS Census Date but before the end of the seventh week of the semester (or before half of the Unit of Study has run, in the case of Units of Study which are not semester-length). A faculty may determine that the result of DNF is warranted after this date if the student has made out a special case based on illness or misadventure.

#### DF

Discontinued - Fail. Recorded on transcript. This applies from the time DNF ceases to be automatically available up to the cessation of classes for the Unit of Study.

#### MINC

Incomplete, with a mark of at least 50. This result may be used when examiners have grounds (such as illness or misadventure) for seeking further information or for considering additional work from the student before confirming the final mark and passing grade. Except in special cases approved by the Academic Board, this result will be converted to a normal passing mark and grade either:

(a) by the Dean at the review of examination results conducted pursuant to section 2 (4) of the Academic Board policy 'Examinations and Assessment Procedures'; or

(b) automatically to the indicated mark and grade by the third week of the immediately subsequent academic session. Deans are authorised to approve the extension of a MINC grade for individual students having a valid reason for their incomplete status.

#### INC

Incomplete. This result is used when examiners have grounds (such as illness or misadventure) for seeking further information or for considering additional work from the student before confirming the final result. Except in special cases approved by the Academic Board, this result will be converted to a normal permanent passing or failing grade either:

- (a) by the Dean at the review of examination results conducted pursuant to section 2 (4) of the Academic Board policy 'Examinations and Assessment Procedures'; or
- (b) automatically to an AF grade by the third week of the immediately subsequent academic session. Deans are authorised to approve the extension of a MINC grade for individual students having a valid reason for their incomplete status.

#### UCN

Incomplete. A MINC or INC grade is converted, on the advice of the Dean, to UCN when all or many students in a Unit of Study have not completed the requirements of the Unit. The students may be engaged in practicum or clinical placements, or in programs extending beyond the end of semester (eg, Honours).

Scholarships

Scholarships are financial or other forms of support made available by sponsors to assist Australian and international students to pursue their studies at the University. When a student's means are a criterion, scholarships are sometimes called bursaries.

(See also Prizes)

School

(See Department)

SCR

System Change Request.

Semester

A semester is the Academic Teaching period of approximately 14 weeks duration. All Units of Study have been semesterised, both at the undergraduate and postgraduate level, except for those components of final honours year or postgraduate courses relating to thesis or other similar research oriented projects for which two or more semesters are normally assigned for completion. Units of Study are taught and examined in either the first semester or the second semester (or in both semesters if the course is offered twice).

Semester Address

The Semester Address is the address to which all Official University correspondence is sent during semester time, if it is different to the Permanent Address. Unless overridden by a Temporary Address all Official University correspondence during Semester (including Session 4 for students enrolled in Summer School) will be sent to this address.

(See also Addresses, Business Address, Permanent Home Address, Temporary Address)

Senate

The Senate of the University is the governing body of the University.

(See the University Calendar)

Senate Appeals

Senate appeals are held for those students who, after being excluded by the Faculty from a course, appeal to the Senate for readmission. While any student may appeal to the Senate against an academic decision, such an appeal will normally be heard only after the student has exhausted all other avenues - ie, the Department, Faculty, Board of Study and, in the case of postgraduates, the Committee for Graduate Studies. (See also Exclusion)

#### Session

A session is a defined teaching period of the University. The two major sessions are called semesters and are defined by the DETYA HECS Census date they contain (eg, first and second semester). The Academic Board must approve variation to the normal session pattern.

Session Address

(See Semester Address)

Special Consideration

Candidates who have medical or other serious problems, which may affect performance in any assessment, may request that they be given Special Consideration in relation to the determination of their results.

They can obtain an official form from the Student Centre. The Student Centre stamps the form and the medical or other documentation. The student gives a copy of the material to the Student Centre staff and takes copies to the relevant Departments. The student retains the originals. The dates for which Special Consideration is sought are recorded on FlexSIS and printed on the Examination Register.

Special Permission

(See Waiver)

Sponsorship

Sponsorship is the financial support of a student by a Company or Government body. Sponsors are frequently invoiced directly.

#### Stage

For the purposes of administration, a course may be divided into stages to be studied consecutively. The stages may be related to sessions or they may relate to an Academic Cycle. Part time students progress through a course more slowly and would often enrol in the same stage more than once.

#### Status

Status is a variable for students both with relation to Course and Unit of Study. With relation to Course, students can have the status of Enrolled or Not Enrolled. Not Enrolled reasons can be Totally Discontinued, Withdrawn, Suspended, Cancelled, Awarded, etc. With relation to Unit of Study, students can have the status of CURENR or WITHDN, Discontinued, etc.

Stream

A Stream is a defined program of study, selected from a table of Units of Study. Students enrolled in award courses that involve streams will have the stream recorded in their enrolment record. A student generally enters streams at the time of admission, although some award courses require students to enrol in streams after the completion of Level 1000. Students may transfer between Streams by altering their enrolment status within their Award Course, but only when permitted to do so by Faculty Resolution.

(See also Award Course, Major and Minor)

Student ID card

All students who enrol are issued with an identification card. The card includes the student name, SID, the course code, and a library borrower's bar code. The card identifies the student as eligible to attend classes and must be displayed at formal examinations. It must be presented to secure student concessions and to borrow books from all sections of the University Library.

Student Identifier (SID)

A nine-digit number which uniquely identifies a student at the University.

Student Load

(See Load)

Study Abroad Program

A scheme administered by the International Education Office which allows international students who are not part of an exchange program, to study UoSs at the University of Sydney, but not towards an award program. In most cases the UoSs studied here are credited towards an award at their home institution.

(See also Exchange Student)

SubjectArea

A Unit of Study may be associated with one or more Subject Areas. The SubjectArea can be used to define Prerequisite and Course Rules - eg, the Unit of Study 'History of Momoyama and Edo Art' may count towards the requirements for the Subject Areas 'Art History and Theory' or, 'Asian Studies'. Supervising Faculty

The Supervising Faculty is the Faculty which has the responsibility for managing the academic administration of a particular course ie, the interpretation and administration of course rules, approving students' enrolments and variations to enrolments. Normally the supervising Faculty is the Faculty offering the course. However, in the case of combined courses, one of the two Faculties involved will usually be designated the Supervising Faculty at any given time. Further, in the case where one course is jointly offered by two or more Faculties (eg, the Liberal Studies course) a Joint Committee may make academic decisions about candidature and the student may be assigned a Supervising Faculty for administration.

The International Office has a supporting role in the administration of the candidatures of international students and alerts the Supervising Faculty to any special conditions applying to these candidatures (eg, that enrolment must be full-time).

(See also Board of Studies)

Supervision

Supervision refers to a one to one relationship between a student and a nominated member of the academic staff or a person specifically appointed to the position.

(See also Advisor, Associate Supervisor, Instrumental Supervisor (teacher), Research Supervisor)

Supplementary Examination

(See Supplementary Exams)

Supplementary Exams

Supplementary exams may be offered by Faculties to students who fail to achieve a passing grade or who were absent from assessment due to illness or misadventure.

Suppression of Results

Results for a particular student can be suppressed by the University for the following reasons:

- · the student has an outstanding debt to the University
- the student is facing disciplinary action.

Suspension

(See Course Leave)

Teaching Department

(See Department)

Temporary address

Students may advise the University of a Temporary Address. Correspondence will be sent to this address between the dates specified by the student.

(See also Addresses, Business Address, Permanent Home Address, Semester Address)

Testamur

A testamur is a certificate of award provided to a graduate usually at a graduation ceremony.

Thesis

A thesis is a major work that is the product of an extended period of supervised independent research.

'Earliest date' is the earliest date at which a research student can submit the thesis.

'Latest date' is the latest date at which a research student can submit the thesis.

Timetable

Timetable refers to the schedule of lectures, tutorials, laboratories and other academic activities that a student must

Transcript

(See Academic Transcript)

Transfer

(See Course Transfer)

Tuition Fees

Tuition fees may be charged to students in designated tuition fee-paying courses. Students who pay fees are not liable for HECS.

UAC

The Universities Admissions Centre (UAC) receives and processes applications for admission to undergraduate courses at recognised universities in NSW and the ACT. Most commencing undergraduate students at the University apply through UAC.

**UAC** Admissions

Most local undergraduates (including local undergraduate fee payers) apply through the Universities Admission Centre (UAC).

The University Admissions Office coordinates the processing of UAC applicants with Faculties and Departments and decisions are recorded on the UAC system. Applicants are notified by UAC and an electronic file of applicants who have been made offers of admission to courses at the University is loaded onto FlexSIS.

(See also Admission, Direct Admissions)

UAI (Universities Admission Index)

The Universities Admission Index (UAI) is a number between 0.00 and 100.00 with increments of 0.05. It provides a measure of overall academic achievement in the HSC that assists universities in ranking applicants for university selection. The UAI is based on the aggregate of scaled marks in ten units of the HSC.

Undergraduate

A term used to describe a course leading to a Diploma or Bachelor's Degree. An 'undergraduate' is a student enrolled in such a course.

Unit of Study (UoS)

A Unit of Study is the smallest stand-alone component of a student's course that is recordable on a student's transcript. UoSs have an integer credit point value, normally in the range 3-24. Each approved UoS is identified by a unique sequence of eight characters, consisting of a four character alphabetical code which usually identifies the Department or subject area, and a four character numeric code which identifies the particular UoS. Units of Study can be grouped by subject and level.

(See also Core Unit of Study, Course, Major)

Unit of Study Enrolment Status

The UoS Enrolment Status indicates whether the student is still actively attending the UoS (ie, currently enrolled) or is no longer enrolled (withdrawn or discontinued)

Unit of Study Group

A grouping of Units of Study within a course. The Units of Study which make up the groups are defined within FlexSIS. *Unit of Study Level* 

Units of Study are divided into Junior, Intermediate, Senior, Honours, 5th Year, and 6th Year. Most Majors consist of 32 Senior Credit Points in a subject area (either 3000 level Units of Study or a mix of 2000 and 3000 level Units of Study). *University* 

Unless otherwise indicated, University in this document refers to the University of Sydney.

University Medal

A Faculty may recommend the award of a University Medal to students qualified for the award of an undergraduate Honours degree or some Masters degrees, whose academic performance is judged outstanding.

UoS

(See Unit of Study)

UPA

University Postgraduate Award.

#### USYDnet

USYDnet is the University of Sydney's intranet system. In addition to the customised MyUni service, it provides access to other services such as Directories (Maps, Staff and Student, Organisations), a Calendar of Events (to which staff and students can submit entries), and a software download area.

# Variation of Enrolment

(See Enrolment Variation)

# Vice-Chancellor

The chief executive officer of the whole University, responsible for its leadership and management. He is head of both academic and administrative divisions.

#### Waiver

In a prescribed course, a Faculty may waive the Prerequisite or corequisite requirement for a Unit of Study or the course rules for a particular student. Waivers do not involve a reduction in the number of credit points required for a course. (See also Credit)

# Weighted Average Mark (WAM)

The Weighted Average Mark (WAM) is the average mark in the UoSs completed, weighted according to credit point value and level. The formulae used to calculate the WAMs are course-specific: there are many different WAMs in the University.

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The year in which a student first enrols at the University.

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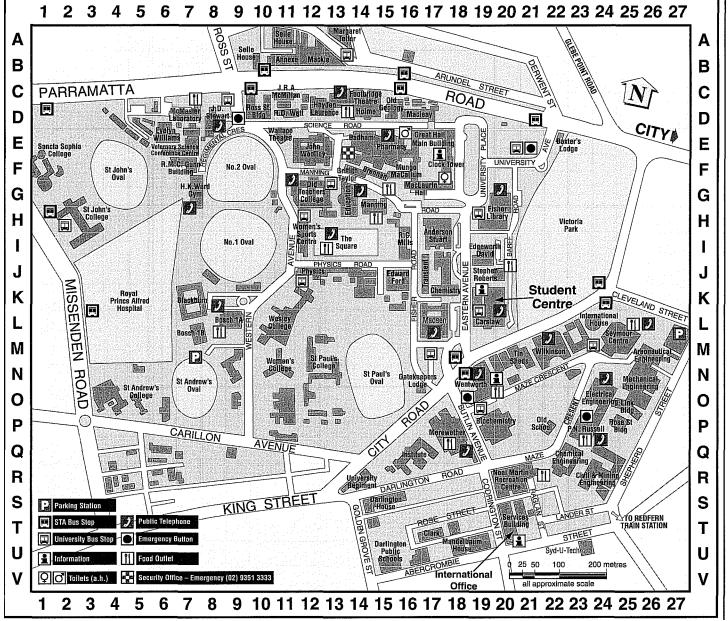
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