



## TE KŌKĪ NEW ZEALAND SCHOOL OF MUSIC

### PERF 324 *Advanced Latin Ensemble* **15 POINTS**

#### TRIMESTER 2 2015

### Important dates

**Trimester dates:** 13 July to 15 November 2015

**Teaching dates:** 13 July to 16 October 2015

**Mid-trimester break:** 24 August to 6 September 2015

**Last assessment item due:** 16 Oct 2015

**Study period:** 19 to 23 October 2015

**Examination/Assessment Period:** 23 October to 14 November 2015

Note: students who enrol in courses with examinations must be able to attend an examination at the University at any time during the scheduled examination period.

### Withdrawal dates:

Refer to [www.victoria.ac.nz/students/study/withdrawals-refunds](http://www.victoria.ac.nz/students/study/withdrawals-refunds). If you cannot complete an assignment or sit a test or examination, refer to [www.victoria.ac.nz/students/study/exams/aegrotats](http://www.victoria.ac.nz/students/study/exams/aegrotats).

### Class times and locations

Wednesdays 11.00-12.30, Fridays 11.00-12.30 Rm 110.1

### Names and contact details

**Course Coordinator:** Phil Broadhurst

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### Communication of additional information

Official notices issued after the course has commenced will be posted on the board outside the NZSM office on the Albany campus. Notices concerning a number of courses will also be posted on Blackboard. The Course Coordinator will specify if Blackboard will be used.

## Prescription

Further development of practical skills for Latin jazz ensemble playing, and knowledge of Latin jazz repertoire.

## Course learning objectives (CLOs)

Students who have successfully completed this course will be able to:

1. perform in Latin jazz styles to an advanced level
2. perform from memory selected tunes from the standard Latin jazz repertoire
3. show advanced understanding of the idiosyncratic features of Latin jazz
4. arrange or transcribe material from the jazz repertoire for Latin Jazz ensemble employing appropriate idiomatic/stylistic elements and conventions.

These learning objectives contribute to the NZSM Graduate Attributes. For a full list, please see [www.nzsm.ac.nz/study-careers/graduate-attributes](http://www.nzsm.ac.nz/study-careers/graduate-attributes)

## Teaching format

This course comprises two 1.5-hour lectures per week.

See attached course syllabus for more information.

## Mandatory course requirements

In addition to achieving an overall pass mark of 50%, students must:

- a) attend 100% of rehearsals.

Due to the interdependence of all participants in the ensemble, 100% attendance is required unless prior approval has been given by the lecturer or a medical certificate is produced verifying illness. Unapproved absences will reduce the achievable mark by 8.33% each (1/12<sup>th</sup> of the course).

Any student who is concerned that they have been (or might be) unable to meet any of the mandatory course requirements because of exceptional personal circumstances, should contact the course coordinator as soon as possible.

## Workload

A 15-point one-trimester course should require at least 150 hours work (including class time). This means that during the trimester, the mid-trimester break and study week you should be prepared to spend on average 10 hours per week involved in activities such as attending classes, reading, listening to recommended recordings and preparing assignments.

## Assessment

### Assessment details for this offering

Assessment items and workload per item		%	CLO(s)	Due date
1	<i>Transcription 1</i>	20	3,4	21 <sup>st</sup> Aug 2015
2	<i>Transcription 2</i>	20	3,4	14 <sup>th</sup> Oct 2015
3	<i>Final Performance</i>	60	1,2,3	23 <sup>rd</sup> Oct – 14 <sup>th</sup> Nov.

## Submission and return of work

Assignments should be deposited in class

Marked assignments will be returned to the students in class

Assignments will normally be marked and returned within three weeks of submission.

## Extensions and penalties

### Extensions

Students, who for exceptional reasons can justify an extension for an item of assessment, must apply to the Course Coordinator *before* the due date. Please note that no extensions can be granted for tutorial assignments.

### Penalties

Assignments must be submitted by the due dates. In fairness to other students, unless a medical certificate is produced, assessment submitted after 5pm on the due date will be subject to a 5% demerit on your grade, increasing by 5% each further working day it is overdue.

## Class representative

The class representative provides a useful way to communicate feedback to the teaching staff during the course. A class representative will be selected at the first lecture of the course. Students may like to write the Class Rep's name and details in this box:

Class Rep name and contact details:
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## Student feedback

Student feedback on University courses may be found at [www.cad.vuw.ac.nz/feedback/feedback\\_display.php](http://www.cad.vuw.ac.nz/feedback/feedback_display.php).

## Other important information

The information above is specific to this course. There is other important information that students must familiarise themselves with, including:

- Academic Integrity and Plagiarism: [www.victoria.ac.nz/students/study/exams/integrity-plagiarism](http://www.victoria.ac.nz/students/study/exams/integrity-plagiarism)
- Aegrotats: [www.victoria.ac.nz/students/study/exams/aegrotats](http://www.victoria.ac.nz/students/study/exams/aegrotats)
- Academic Progress: [www.victoria.ac.nz/students/study/progress/academic-progress](http://www.victoria.ac.nz/students/study/progress/academic-progress) (including restrictions and non-engagement)
- Dates and deadlines: [www.victoria.ac.nz/students/study/dates](http://www.victoria.ac.nz/students/study/dates)
- FHSS Student and Academic Services Office: [www.victoria.ac.nz/fhss/student-admin](http://www.victoria.ac.nz/fhss/student-admin)
- Grades: [www.victoria.ac.nz/students/study/progress/grades](http://www.victoria.ac.nz/students/study/progress/grades)
- Resolving academic issues: [www.victoria.ac.nz/about/governance/dvc-academic/publications](http://www.victoria.ac.nz/about/governance/dvc-academic/publications)
- Special passes: [www.victoria.ac.nz/about/governance/dvc-academic/publications](http://www.victoria.ac.nz/about/governance/dvc-academic/publications)
- Statutes and policies including the Student Conduct Statute: [www.victoria.ac.nz/about/governance/strategy](http://www.victoria.ac.nz/about/governance/strategy)
- Student support: [www.victoria.ac.nz/students/support](http://www.victoria.ac.nz/students/support)
- Students with disabilities: [www.victoria.ac.nz/st\\_services/disability](http://www.victoria.ac.nz/st_services/disability)
- Student Charter: [www.victoria.ac.nz/learning-teaching/learning-partnerships/student-charter](http://www.victoria.ac.nz/learning-teaching/learning-partnerships/student-charter)
- Student Contract: [www.victoria.ac.nz/study/apply-enrol/terms-conditions/student-contract](http://www.victoria.ac.nz/study/apply-enrol/terms-conditions/student-contract)
- Subject Librarians: <http://library.victoria.ac.nz/library-v2/find-your-subject-librarian>
- Turnitin: [www.cad.vuw.ac.nz/wiki/index.php/Turnitin](http://www.cad.vuw.ac.nz/wiki/index.php/Turnitin)

- University structure: [www.victoria.ac.nz/about/governance/structure](http://www.victoria.ac.nz/about/governance/structure)
- Victoria graduate profile: [www.victoria.ac.nz/learning-teaching/learning-partnerships/graduate-profile](http://www.victoria.ac.nz/learning-teaching/learning-partnerships/graduate-profile)
- VUWSA: [www.vuwsa.org.nz](http://www.vuwsa.org.nz)
- NZSM Student Handbook: [www.nzsm.ac.nz/student-zone/student-guides](http://www.nzsm.ac.nz/student-zone/student-guides)
- Scholarships and prizes relevant to NZSM students: [www.nzsm.ac.nz/study-careers/scholarships-and-prizes](http://www.nzsm.ac.nz/study-careers/scholarships-and-prizes)

## Events

Regular events are held during trimesters 1 & 2 at all NZSM campuses. These events are for the benefit of all students, and include performances, masterclasses, special lectures and workshops given by staff, students and visiting artists.

Students should sign up to the **Dawn Chorus**, the NZSM's events e-newsletter, by emailing [events@nzsm.ac.nz](mailto:events@nzsm.ac.nz) with 'subscribe dawn chorus' in the subject line.

**Website:** [www.nzsm.ac.nz/events](http://www.nzsm.ac.nz/events)