

MUSI 2116 – Aural Skills III

Course: MUSI 2116 – Aural Skills III (1 hr. credit)

Time: 8:00-8:50 TH

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Course Description

The purpose of this course is to introduce intermediate aural skills concepts within the realm of tonal music. Numerous dictation quizzes, singing exams, and *Auralia* assignments will be used to assess student learning.

Course Student Learning Outcomes

Demonstrate the following:

- 1) Proficiency in intermediate level sight singing
- 2) Proficiency in intermediate level melodic dictation (intervals and melodies)
- 3) Proficiency in intermediate level harmonic dictation (chord types and chord progressions)

IDEA Learning Outcomes

- 1) Gaining a basic understanding of the subject
- 2) Developing specific skills, competencies, and points of view needed by professionals in the field most closely related to this course
- 3) Developing creative capacities

Blackboard

Announcements, grades, instructions for singing exams, and a variety of PDFs will be posted in Blackboard.

Grading

- Dictation Exams – weekly (in class) @ 30% (lowest two grades will be dropped)
- Singing Exams (about 5) @ 20% (lowest grade will be dropped)
- Dictation Final Exam @ 10%
- Singing Final Exam @ 10%
- *Auralia* Assignments – weekly (online) @ 30% (lowest two grades will be dropped)

Final averages and letter grades are as follows:

A = 90-100%

B = 80-89%

C = 70-79%

F = Below 70%

Required Texts

- Carol Krueger. *Progressive Sight Singing*, 3rd Edition (New York: Oxford University Press, 2016).
- *Auralia & Musition* Software (see PDF on Blackboard for ordering instructions) – you will need a laptop or desktop computer to use this software

Attendance

Your opportunity for academic success greatly increases with attendance and participation. You are responsible for all material covered in class. No makeup dictation exams will be given. Makeup singing exams will be given at the discretion of the instructor. Please contact me if a prolonged absence is necessary.

Students will be excused for the observance of a religious holy day in accordance with OP 10.19.

<http://www.angelo.edu/opmanual/>

University Course Withdrawal Policy

The last day to drop a course or to withdraw from the University will be November 1, 2019. Withdrawal grades will be indicated by W.

Honor Code Statement

Angelo State University expects its students to maintain complete honesty and integrity in their academic pursuits.

<http://www.angelo.edu/student-handbook/code-of-student-conduct/misconduct.php>

<http://www.angelo.edu/student-handbook/community-policies/academic-integrity.php>

Disabilities Statement

Persons with disabilities which may warrant academic accommodations must contact the Student Life Office, Room 112 University Center, in order to request such accommodations prior to any accommodations being implemented. You are encouraged to make this request early in the semester so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

<http://www.angelo.edu/services/disability-services/disability-services-policy-statement.php>

Title IX at Angelo State University

Angelo State University is committed to providing and strengthening an educational, working, and living environment where students, faculty, staff, and visitors are free from sex discrimination of any kind. In accordance with Title VII, Title IX, the Violence Against Women Act (VAWA), the Campus Sexual Violence Elimination Act (SaVE), and other federal and state laws, the University prohibits discrimination based on sex, which includes pregnancy, and other types of Sexual Misconduct. Sexual Misconduct is a broad term encompassing all forms of gender-based harassment or discrimination and unwelcome behavior of a sexual nature. The term includes sexual harassment, nonconsensual sexual contact, nonconsensual sexual intercourse, sexual assault, sexual exploitation, stalking, public indecency, interpersonal violence (domestic violence or dating violence), sexual violence, and any other misconduct based on sex.

You are encouraged to report any incidents involving sexual misconduct to the Office of Title IX Compliance and the Director of Title IX Compliance/Title IX Coordinator, Michelle Boone, J.D. You may submit reports in the following manner:

Online: www.angelo.edu/incident-form

Face to Face: Mayer Administration Building, Room 210

Phone: 325-942-2022

E-Mail: michelle.boone@angelo.edu

Note, as a faculty member at Angelo State, I am a mandatory reporter and must report incidents involving sexual misconduct to the Title IX Coordinator. Should you wish to speak to someone in confidence about an issue, you may contact the University Counseling Center (325- 942-2371), the 24-Hour Crisis Helpline (325-486-6345), or the University Health Clinic (325-942- 2171).

For more information about resources related to sexual misconduct, Title IX, or Angelo State's policy please visit:

www.angelo.edu/title-ix.

Aural Skills III – Fall 2019 Outline (Tentative)

Date	Assignment
Tuesday, 8.27	Krueger Chapter 13, Dictation practice
Thursday, 8.29	Krueger Chapter 13, Dictation practice
Tuesday, 9.3	Krueger Chapter 13, Dictation practice
Thursday, 9.5	Krueger Chapter 13, Dictation practice
Tuesday, 9.10	Krueger Chapter 13, Dictation practice
Thursday, 9.12	Krueger Chapter 13, Dictation practice
Tuesday, 9.17	Krueger Chapter 14, Dictation practice
Thursday, 9.19	Krueger Chapter 14, Dictation practice
Tuesday, 9.24	Krueger Chapter 14, Dictation practice
Thursday, 9.26	Krueger Chapter 14, Dictation practice
Tuesday, 10.1	Krueger Chapter 14, Dictation practice
Thursday, 10.3	Krueger Chapter 14, Dictation practice
Tuesday, 10.8	Krueger Chapter 15, Dictation practice
Thursday, 10.10	Krueger Chapter 15, Dictation practice
Tuesday, 10.15	Krueger Chapter 15, Dictation practice
Thursday, 10.17	Krueger Chapter 15, Dictation practice
Tuesday, 10.22	Krueger Chapter 15, Dictation practice
Thursday, 10.24	Krueger Chapter 15, Dictation practice
Tuesday, 10.29	Krueger Chapters 16-17, Dictation practice
Thursday, 10.31	Krueger Chapters 16-17, Dictation practice
Tuesday, 11.5	Krueger Chapters 16-17, Dictation practice
Thursday, 11.7	Krueger Chapters 16-17, Dictation practice
Tuesday, 11.12	Krueger Chapters 16-17, Dictation practice
Thursday, 11.14	Krueger Chapter 18, Dictation practice
Tuesday, 11.19	Krueger Chapter 18, Dictation practice
Thursday, 11.21	Krueger Chapter 18, Dictation practice
Tuesday, 11.26	Krueger Chapter 18, Dictation practice
Thursday, 11.28	<i>Thanksgiving Holiday!!!</i>
Tuesday, 12.3	Final Singing Exam
Thursday, 12.5	Final Dictation Exam