SYLLABUS

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CIP CODE: 24.0101
SEMESTER: DEPARTMENTAL SYLLABUS
COURSE TITLE: Applied Percussion
COURSE NUMBER: MUSC0195
CREDIT HOURS: 1
INSTRUCTOR: DEPARTMENTAL SYLLABUS
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PREREQUISITES: Permission of instructor

REQUIRED TEXT AND MATERIALS: Please check with the KCKCC bookstore, http://www.kckccbookstore.com/, for the required texts for your particular class.

COURSE DESCRIPTION: This course is for students who desire private, one-on-one instruction in drums or percussion. One credit hour indicates a one-half hour private lesson per week with one hour daily practice expected for each credit hour. Performance in the final recital is mandatory with the exception of the non-traditional student. Refer to 'Special Class Fees' section for current class fee.

METHOD OF INSTRUCTION: A variety of instructional methods may be used depending on content area. These include but are not limited to: lecture, multimedia, cooperative/collaborative learning, labs and demonstrations, projects and presentations, speeches, debates, and panels, conferencing, performances, and learning experiences outside the classroom. Methodology will be selected to best meet student needs.

COURSE OUTLINE:
1. Percussion Technique
A. Snare Drum  
B. Tympani  
C. Mallet Instruments  
D. Trap Set  

II. Musicianship  
A. Rhythmic Accuracy  
B. Sticking Procedure  
C. Pitch Articulation  
D. Stylistic Consideration  

III. Performance  
A. Stage Deportment  

IV. Attendance and Practice  
A. The Role of Attendance  
B. The Role of Practice  

EXPECTED LEARNER OUTCOMES:  
A. The student will be able to demonstrate proper percussion technique in a performance.  
B. The student will be able to demonstrate musicianship in performance.  
C. The student will be able to perform a solo in a performance.  
D. The student will learn the importance of attendance and practice.

COURSE COMPETENCIES: Upon successful completion of this course:  

_The student will be able to demonstrate proper percussion technique in a performance._  
1. The student will demonstrate proper snare drum technique.  
2. The student will demonstrate proper tympani technique.  
3. The student will demonstrate mallet technique.  
4. The student will demonstrate acceptable performance on the trap set.

_The student will be able to demonstrate musicianship in a performance._  
5. The student will demonstrate rhythmic accuracy in a recital.  
6. The student will demonstrate sticking procedure in a recital.  
7. The student will demonstrate understanding of pitch in a recital.  
8. The student will learn various styles of solo literature.

_The student will be able to perform a solo in a performance._  
9. The student will demonstrate acceptable stage deportment by performing in a recital.  
10. The student will demonstrate acceptable performance with an accompanist.

_The student will learn the importance of attendance and practice._  
11. The student will demonstrate acceptable attendance practice.  
12. The student will demonstrate knowledge of practice guidelines required by the National Association of Schools of Music.
ASSESSMENT OF LEARNER OUTCOMES: Assessment methods will include a record of attendance at 16 half-hour private lessons with the instructor. At the lessons, the instructor will evaluate preparedness based on the amount of practice carried out by the student through the week. The instructor also will evaluate the student’s application of the instruction received at previous lessons. A portion of the final grade will be based on the performance given at the final recital, which is held at the conclusion of every semester.

SPECIAL NOTES:
This syllabus is subject to change at the discretion of the instructor. Material included is intended to provide an outline of the course and rules that the instructor will adhere to in evaluating the student’s progress. However, this syllabus is not intended to be a legal contract. Questions regarding the syllabus are welcome any time.

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