# **Global Learning Semesters**

**Course Syllabus** 

Course: MUS-182 Applied Choir/Orchestra II

**Department: Communications** 

Host Institution: University of Nicosia, Nicosia, Cyprus



Course Summary		
Course Code	Course Title	Recommended Credit Hours
MUS-182	Applied Choir/Orchestra II	1
Semester Offered	Contact Hours	Prerequisites
Please contact us	42-45	Consent of the instructor
Department	Level of Course	Language of Instruction
Communications	Lower Division	English

#### **Course Description**

These are practical modules which incorporate all elements of performance from orchestral playing to concert band and singing in a choir. These modules provide an intensive introduction to the symphonic and choral music of the world.

### **Prerequisites**

Consent of the instructor

## **Topic Areas**

- 1. Basic issues behind musical performances such as intonation, tempo, dynamics, phrasing, balance, articulation, style etc during rehearsals and performances.
- 2. Team spirit
- 3. Communication between conductor and performers and vice versa
- 4. Interpretation of works
- 5. Constructive criticism
- 6. Organization and Program planning
- 7. Performance and Assessment

#### **Concert Band**

Malcolm Arnold	4 Scottish Dances, op.59
2. Holst	Marching Song, op.22b
	Suite no.1 in E-flat, op.28
3. Saint-Saens	Orient et Occident, op.25

4. Derek Bourgeois Serenade

5. Brahms Academic Festival Overture, op.80

6. Mendelssohn7. Phillip SparkeOverture in C, op.24Yorkshire Overture

8. Wagner Trauersinfonie (Trauermusik)9. J.B.Chance Variations on a Korean Folk Song

10. Vaughan Williams11. Edward GregsonEnglish Folk Song SuitePrelude for an Occasion

12. George LloydThe Forest of Arden13. Guy WoolfendenSuite Francaise14. Frank TichellCajun Folk Songs

15. Malcolm Binney Saturnalia

16. Paul Hart Journey and Celebration

17. Karel Husa Al Fresco

The Conductor can add other relevant pieces to the above list of equivalent standard, including orchestral pieces for soloists. A Concert, open to the public, will take place at the end of the Semester.

#### Symphony Orchestra

Glinka Overture to "Ruslan and Lyudmila"
Grieg "Peer Gynt" Suite no.2, op.55
Dvorak "Carnival" Concert Overture, op.92

4. Sibelius Karelia Suite, op.11

5. Weber Overture to "Der Freischutz"6. Borodin Simphony no.2 in B minor

Berlioz "Le Carnaval Romain" Overture, op.9
Brahms Symphony no.1 in C minor, op.68
Beethoven Symphony no.6 in F ("Pastoral"), op.68

10. L.Bernstein Overture to "Candide"

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### **Readings and Resources**

#### **Required Textbooks**

Music for orchestra, concert, band and choir will be chosen by the conductors.