### **MUSC 2D Course Outline as of Fall 2009**

## **CATALOG INFORMATION**

Dept and Nbr: MUSC 2D Title: CHROMATIC HARMONY 2

Full Title: Chromatic Harmony 2

Last Reviewed: 4/22/2019

Units		Course Hours per Week		Nbr of Weeks	<b>Course Hours Total</b>	
Maximum	3.00	Lecture Scheduled	3.00	17.5	Lecture Scheduled	52.50
Minimum	3.00	Lab Scheduled	0	17.5	Lab Scheduled	0
		Contact DHR	0		Contact DHR	0
		Contact Total	3.00		Contact Total	52.50
		Non-contact DHR	0		Non-contact DHR	0

Total Out of Class Hours: 105.00 Total Student Learning Hours: 157.50

Title 5 Category: AA Degree Applicable

Grading: Grade Only

Repeatability: 00 - Two Repeats if Grade was D, F, NC, or NP

Also Listed As:

Formerly: MUS 2D

### **Catalog Description:**

Second semester of a two-part study of chromaticism in common-practice harmony, with an introduction to twentieth-century theory. Topics include: borrowed chords and mode mixture; the Neapolitan and augmented sixth chords; enharmonic reinterpretation and modulation; ninth, eleventh, and thirteenth chords; and musical techniques of the late nineteenth and twentieth centuries.

## **Prerequisites/Corequisites:**

Course Completion of MUSC 2C (or MUS 2C)

### **Recommended Preparation:**

Concurrent enrollment in MUSC 3D; AND concurrent private or classroom piano study as recommended.

#### **Limits on Enrollment:**

### **Schedule of Classes Information:**

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Prerequisites/Corequisites: Course Completion of MUSC 2C (or MUS 2C)

Recommended: Concurrent enrollment in MUSC 3D; AND concurrent private or classroom

piano study as recommended.

Limits on Enrollment: Transfer Credit: CSU;UC.

Repeatability: Two Repeats if Grade was D, F, NC, or NP

## **ARTICULATION, MAJOR, and CERTIFICATION INFORMATION:**

AS Degree: Area Effective: Inactive: CSU GE: Transfer Area Effective: Inactive:

**IGETC:** Transfer Area Effective: Inactive:

**CSU Transfer:** Transferable Effective: Fall 1981 Inactive:

**UC Transfer:** Transferable Effective: Fall 1981 Inactive:

CID:

CID Descriptor: MUS 150 Music Theory IV

SRJC Equivalent Course(s): MUSC2D

# **Certificate/Major Applicable:**

Major Applicable Course

## **COURSE CONTENT**

## **Outcomes and Objectives:**

Upon completion of this course, the student will be able to:

- 1. Analyze and utilize borrowed chords and mode mixture.
- 2. Identify, construct, and utilize Neapolitan and augmented-sixth chords.
- 3. Analyze and explain enharmonic spellings, reinterpretation, and modulation.
- 4. Identify, construct, and utilize ninth, eleventh, and thirteenth chords.
- 5. Analyze and utilize common-tone-diminished-seventh chords, simultaneities, coloristic chord successions, and other harmonic elements.
- 6. Realize a figured bass line into a complete four-part arrangement utilizing these harmonic devices.
- 7. Harmonize a given melody in four parts utilizing these harmonic devices.
- 8. Analyze, compare, and contrast musical techniques of the late nineteenth and twentieth centuries.

### **Topics and Scope:**

- I. Borrowed Chords and Mode Mixture
  - A. Borrowed chords in minor
  - B. The use of the minor submediant in major

- C. Other borrowed chords in major
- D. Modulations involving mode mixture
- II. The Neapolitan Chord
  - A. Conventional use of the Neapolitan
  - B. Other uses of the Neapolitan
- III. Augmented Sixth Chords
  - A. The interval of the augmented sixth
  - B. The Italian, French, and German augmented sixth chords
  - C. Other uses of conventional augmented sixth chords
  - D. Other bass positions and resolutions
  - E. Other types of augmented sixth chords
- IV. Enharmonic Spellings and Enharmonic Modulations
  - A. Enharmonic spellings
  - B. Enharmonic reinterpretation
  - C. Enharmonic modulations
  - D. Other examples of enharmonicism
- V. Further Elements of the Harmonic Vocabulary
  - A. The dominant with a substituted 6th
  - B. The dominant with a raised 5th
  - C. Ninth, eleventh, and thirteenth chords
  - D. The common-tone diminished seventh chord
  - E. Simultaneities
  - F. Coloristic chord successions
- VI. Tonal Harmony in the Late Nineteenth Century
  - A. Counterpoint
  - B. Treatment of dominant harmony
  - C. Sequence
  - D. Expanded tonality
- VII. An Introduction to Twentieth-Century Musical Techniques
  - A. Impressionism
  - B. Scales and modes
  - C. Extended tertian harmony
  - D. Polyharmony
  - E. Quartal and secondal harmony
  - F. Parallelism
  - G. Pandiatonicism
  - H. Rhythm and meter
  - I. Atonal theory and twelve-tone serialism
  - J. Total serialization vs. aleatory or chance music
  - K. Texture and expanded instrumental resources
  - L. Electronic music

## **Assignment:**

- 1. Workbook assignments in part writing and harmonization (3-5 pp. per week).
- 2. Harmonic and formal analysis of excerpts from compositions of the common-practice era (2-3 per week).
- 3. 6-8 chapter quizzes.
- 4. 2 major composition projects that utilize concepts learned in class.
- 5. Oral report on a topic in twentieth-century theory.
- 6. Comprehensive midterm and final exams.

### Methods of Evaluation/Basis of Grade:

**Writing:** Assessment tools that demonstrate writing skills and/or require students to select, organize and explain ideas in writing.

None, This is a degree applicable course but assessment tools based on writing are not included because problem solving assessments and skill demonstrations are more appropriate for this course.

Writing 0 - 0%

**Problem Solving:** Assessment tools, other than exams, that demonstrate competence in computational or non-computational problem solving skills.

Homework problems

Problem solving 25 - 40%

**Skill Demonstrations:** All skill-based and physical demonstrations used for assessment purposes including skill performance exams.

Oral reports

Skill Demonstrations 5 - 10%

**Exams:** All forms of formal testing, other than skill performance exams.

Music notation, arranging, and composition

Exams 35 - 50%

**Other:** Includes any assessment tools that do not logically fit into the above categories.

Attendance and participation

Other Category 10 - 20%

# **Representative Textbooks and Materials:**

Kostka, Steven and Dorothy Payne. Tonal Harmony. 6th ed. McGraw Hill, 2009.