#### DANCE 21.3 Course Outline as of Fall 2019

### **CATALOG INFORMATION**

Dept and Nbr: DANCE 21.3 Title: HIP HOP/FUNK III

Full Title: Hip Hop/Funk III Last Reviewed: 2/25/2019

Units		Course Hours per Week		Nbr of Weeks	<b>Course Hours Total</b>	
Maximum	1.50	Lecture Scheduled	0.75	17.5	Lecture Scheduled	13.13
Minimum	1.50	Lab Scheduled	2.25	6	Lab Scheduled	39.38
		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: 26.25 Total Student Learning Hours: 78.75

Title 5 Category: AA Degree Applicable

Grading: Grade or P/NP

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

Also Listed As:

Formerly: PE 59.2

#### **Catalog Description:**

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# **Prerequisites/Corequisites:**

### **Recommended Preparation:**

Course Completion of DANCE 21.2

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

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

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Recommended: Course Completion of DANCE 21.2

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: Spring 2000 Inactive:

**UC Transfer:** Transferable Effective: Fall 2000 Inactive:

CID:

## **Certificate/Major Applicable:**

Both Certificate and Major Applicable

### **COURSE CONTENT**

### **Student Learning Outcomes:**

At the conclusion of this course, the student should be able to:

- 1. Execute and analyze low-intermediate (Level III) hip hop/funk dance sequences using applicable dance vocabulary.
- 2. Perform low-intermediate (Level III) hip hop/funk dance choreography.
- 3. Choreograph a low-intermediate (Level III) hip hop/funk dance.

## **Objectives:**

At the conclusion of this course, the student should be able to:

- 1. Identify low- intermediate(Level III) hip hop/funk dance movement using appropriate terminology.
- 2. Perform low- intermediate (Level III) hip hop/funk walks, footwork, and dance sequences.
- 3. Demonstrate the ability to retain complex low-intermediate (Level III) movement patterns through "across-the-floor" and center combinations.
- 4. Demonstrate low- intermediate (Level III) hip hop/funk skills performed with personal style.
- 5. Recognize and verbalize complex rhythms including the syncopation used in the hip hop/funk movement style.
- 6. Correlate low- intermediate (Level III) hip hop/funk dance movements to music.
- 7. Demonstrate correct biomechanical form as related to strength in motion, ease of coordination, agility, and flexibility.
- 8. Differentiate between safe and unsafe execution of various hip hop movements.
- 9. Practice basic dance injury prevention techniques.

# **Topics and Scope:**

- I. Level III Warm-Up Exercises
  - A. Locomotor movement combinations
  - B. Isolations and body articulations

- C. Strengthening exercises
- D. Stretching exercises
- II. Level III "Across the Floor"
  - A. Hip hop/funk walks, complex footwork, and movement combinations
  - B. Movement phrases used in current dance combinations
  - C. Linking of movements into sequences with focus on the mind-body relationship
  - D. Development of skill and style
- III. Level III Hip Hop/Funk Combinations
  - A. Incorporation of movements taught during the across-the-floor segment of class
  - B. Rhythmical interpretation of the music through dance movement.
  - C. Sight-reading of Level III hip hop/funk footwork and body movements focusing on immediate recognition and recall
  - D. Performance presentation
    - 1. Dynamics
    - 2. Personal style
    - 3. Attitude
- IV. Level III Hip Hop/Funk Dance Terminology

All topics are covered in the lecture and lab portions of the course.

### **Assignment:**

# Lecture-Related Assignments:

- 1. Weekly practice of instructor choreography and dance skills covered during class sessions
- 2. Choreography of a hip hop/funk dance combination (solo, duet or group collaboration)
- 3. Performance of exercises to strengthen and/or stretch muscle groups required to execute dance movements
- 4. Written critique of a dance piece or performance (based on a performance from the current semester, or for video viewing option, instructor will provide or approve a video) (2 3 pages)
- 5. Reading of handouts and/or selected readings (5-10 pages per week)

## Lab-Related Assignments:

- 1. Class performance: hip hop/funk dance technique activities assessed in terms of improvement.
- 2. Performance exams (1 3)
- 3. Note-taking
- 4. Practice sessions
- 5. Final exam

# Optional assignments:

- 1. hip hop/funk dance video viewing and analysis
- 2. Partner activities focusing on dance technique
- 3. Student choreography work sessions

#### 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.

Critique or report (see assignment 4)

Writing 5 - 10%

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

None

Problem solving 0 - 0%

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

Class performances, performance exams, choreographic project

Skill Demonstrations 20 - 40%

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

Midterm and final exams

Exams 10 - 20%

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

Participation

Other Category 40 - 60%

# Representative Textbooks and Materials:

Instructor prepared materials

Hip Hop Dance (The American Dance Floor). Rajakumar, Mohanalakshmi. Greenwood Publisher. 2012 (classic)

Tha Global Cipha: Hip Hop Culture and Consciousness. Spady, James and Alim, Samy and Meghelli, Samir. Black History Museum Press. 2006 (classic)