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	Course Hours Total	
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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ARTICULATION, MAJOR, and CERTIFICATION INFORMATION:

AS Degree: CSU GE:	Area Transfer Area	L		Effective: Effective:	Inactive: Inactive:
IGETC:	Transfer Area	L		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)

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)