

MUSI10167 Brass Choir 1

Credit Points:	12.50
Level:	1 (Undergraduate)
Dates & Locations:	2010, Parkville This subject commences in the following study period/s: Semester 1, Parkville - Taught on campus.
Time Commitment:	Contact Hours: One 2-hour rehearsal each week, one concert report writing workshop at the beginning of the semester, attendance at 3 public concerts during semester Total Time Commitment: 120 hours
Prerequisites:	The minimum level of performance required for this ensemble would be equivalent to AMEB grade 7 or a high grade for VCE solo or group performance.
Corequisites:	N/A
Recommended Background Knowledge:	N/A
Non Allowed Subjects:	Not available to BMus students
Core Participation Requirements:	It is University policy to take all reasonable steps to minimise the impact of disability upon academic study, and reasonable adjustments will be made to enhance a student's participation in the University's programs. Students who feel their disability will impact on meeting the requirements of this subject are encouraged to discuss this matter with a Faculty Student Adviser and the Disability Liaison Unit.
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Subject Overview:	The Brass Choir offers brass players the opportunity to rehearse and perform in a large brass ensemble setting. The ensemble includes all brass instruments and a wide variety of repertoire and diverse musical styles are performed, including both transcriptions and original compositions for brass. The ensemble presents one or two concerts a semester. Appreciation of this ensemble's repertoire is also fostered by concert attendance and critical reflection.
Objectives:	On completion of this subject students should be able to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # show technical development as ensemble musicians # participate with ability and self-confidence as a team member of a performing group # perform selected repertoire to concert standard # identify and exhibit specific knowledge of a range of ensemble repertoire # exhibit an informed respect for the values and principles of ensemble performance. # Articulate an informed personal reaction to music # Communicate effectively and articulately about music using basic conventions of academic writing
Assessment:	Preparation of parts, individual and/or sectional practice and active participation in all rehearsals, classes and performances as directed (75%); attendance and submission of a concert report of three appropriate concerts (500 words each, due weeks 4, 8 and 12) (25%). Less than 80% attendance will result in a fail. All assessment components must be

	passed in order to pass the subject, including the timely, satisfactory completion of all three concert reports.
Prescribed Texts:	None
Breadth Options:	<p>This subject potentially can be taken as a breadth subject component for the following courses:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # Bachelor of Arts (https://handbook.unimelb.edu.au/view/2010/B-ARTS) # Bachelor of Biomedicine (https://handbook.unimelb.edu.au/view/2010/B-BMED) # Bachelor of Commerce (https://handbook.unimelb.edu.au/view/2010/B-COM) # Bachelor of Environments (https://handbook.unimelb.edu.au/view/2010/B-ENVS) # Bachelor of Science (https://handbook.unimelb.edu.au/view/2010/B-SCI) # Bachelor of Engineering (https://handbook.unimelb.edu.au/view/2010/355AA) <p>You should visit learn more about breadth subjects (http://breadth.unimelb.edu.au/breadth/info/index.html) and read the breadth requirements for your degree, and should discuss your choice with your student adviser, before deciding on your subjects.</p>
Fees Information:	Subject EFTSL, Level, Discipline & Census Date, http://enrolment.unimelb.edu.au/fees
Generic Skills:	<p>On completion of this subject students should be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # study selected repertoire relevant to the ensemble to performance standard # apply time and people management skills to rehearsal and performance planning # demonstrate teamwork skills in rehearsal/performance groups. # demonstrate a capacity to think critically and independently. # enhance their musical and professional lives as informed concert goers
Links to further information:	http://www.music.unimelb.edu.au/about/breadth/index.html