MUSI10167 Brass Choir 1

Credit Points:	12.5
Level:	1 (Undergraduate)
Dates & Locations:	2015, 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 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.
Learning Outcomes:	On completion of this subject students should be able to:  # 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:	Assessment will be on a pass/fail basis and will be based on preparation of parts, individual and/or sectional practice and active participation in all rehearsals, classes and performances as directed (75%); 3 web-based multiple choice tests, based on assigned reading relevant to the

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	experience of music performance, in week 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.
Prescribed Texts:	A reading pack will be available for purchase from the Bookroom at the start of semester.
Breadth Options:	This subject potentially can be taken as a breadth subject component for the following courses:  # Bachelor of Arts (https://handbook.unimelb.edu.au/view/2015/B-ARTS)  # Bachelor of Biomedicine (https://handbook.unimelb.edu.au/view/2015/B-BMED)  # Bachelor of Commerce (https://handbook.unimelb.edu.au/view/2015/B-COM)  # Bachelor of Environments (https://handbook.unimelb.edu.au/view/2015/B-ENVS)  # Bachelor of Science (https://handbook.unimelb.edu.au/view/2015/B-SCI)  # Bachelor of Engineering (https://handbook.unimelb.edu.au/view/2015/B-ENG)  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.
Fees Information:	Subject EFTSL, Level, Discipline & Census Date, http://enrolment.unimelb.edu.au/fees
Generic Skills:	On completion of this subject students should be able to:  # 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

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