

## MUSI10167 Brass Choir 1

<b>Credit Points:</b>	12.50
<b>Level:</b>	1 (Undergraduate)
<b>Dates &amp; Locations:</b>	This subject is not offered in 2013.
<b>Time Commitment:</b>	Contact Hours: One 2-hour rehearsal each week Total Time Commitment: 120 hours
<b>Prerequisites:</b>	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.
<b>Corequisites:</b>	N/A
<b>Recommended Background Knowledge:</b>	N/A
<b>Non Allowed Subjects:</b>	Not available to BMus students
<b>Core Participation Requirements:</b>	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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<b>Subject Overview:</b>	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.
<b>Objectives:</b>	On completion of this subject students should be able to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li># show technical development as ensemble musicians</li> <li># participate with ability and self-confidence as a team member of a performing group</li> <li># perform selected repertoire to concert standard</li> <li># identify and exhibit specific knowledge of a range of ensemble repertoire</li> <li># exhibit an informed respect for the values and principles of ensemble performance.</li> <li># Articulate an informed personal reaction to music</li> <li># Communicate effectively and articulately about music using basic conventions of academic writing</li> </ul>
<b>Assessment:</b>	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 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.
<b>Prescribed Texts:</b>	A reading pack will be available for purchase from the Bookroom at the start of semester.
<b>Breadth Options:</b>	This subject potentially can be taken as a breadth subject component for the following courses:

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<b>Fees Information:</b>	Subject EFTSL, Level, Discipline & Census Date, <a href="http://enrolment.unimelb.edu.au/fees">http://enrolment.unimelb.edu.au/fees</a>
<b>Generic Skills:</b>	<p>On completion of this subject students should be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li># study selected repertoire relevant to the ensemble to performance standard</li> <li># apply time and people management skills to rehearsal and performance planning</li> <li># demonstrate teamwork skills in rehearsal/performance groups.</li> <li># demonstrate a capacity to think critically and independently.</li> <li># enhance their musical and professional lives as informed concert goers</li> </ul>