

MUSI40076 Musics of the World

Credit Points:	12.50
Level:	4 (Undergraduate)
Dates & Locations:	This subject is not offered in 2014. On campus
Time Commitment:	Contact Hours: One 90 minute lecture and one 1-hour tutorial per week Total Time Commitment: 120 hours
Prerequisites:	None
Corequisites:	None
Recommended Background Knowledge:	None
Non Allowed Subjects:	None
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 subject provides an introduction to understanding and learning about music in the non western world. It introduces some specific music cultures - for example, from North and Southeast Asia, India, Eastern Europe, West Africa and Indigenous Australia – in their traditional and contemporary contexts. The effects on music of globalisation including diaspora, cultural tourism, cyberspace and westernisation are incorporated into the case studies.
Learning Outcomes:	<p>On completion of this subject, students should have developed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # an ability to listen to and appreciate music of different cultures # an informed understanding of the sociocultural contexts and the sound structures of different musical cultures # a specialized vocabulary for describing both the fundamentals of music and their manifestations in specific non western cultures # an ability to pursue knowledge about different musical cultures independently # an understanding of the role of music in the lives of people outside the western art music traditions.
Assessment:	Participation and contribution to tutorials (10%); two Concert Reports of 500 words each, due in weeks 6 and 12 (20% - 10% each); two tutorial assignments of 750 words each, due in weeks 4 and 8 (30% - 15% each); a 2500 word essay due during the examination period (40%).
Prescribed Texts:	All reading and listening for this subject is available through the LMS.
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/2014/B-ARTS) # Bachelor of Biomedicine (https://handbook.unimelb.edu.au/view/2014/B-BMED) # Bachelor of Commerce (https://handbook.unimelb.edu.au/view/2014/B-COM) # Bachelor of Environments (https://handbook.unimelb.edu.au/view/2014/B-ENVS)

	<p># Bachelor of Science (https://handbook.unimelb.edu.au/view/2014/B-SCI)</p> <p># Bachelor of Engineering (https://handbook.unimelb.edu.au/view/2014/B-ENG)</p> <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 have developed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # a capacity for independent critical thought about music from any time or place # an openness to new ideas about what music is # knowledge and skills which provide a basis for independent critical inquiry and research-based writing about music # an informed understanding and appreciation of cultural diversity
Related Majors/Minors/Specialisations:	<p>Composition Ethnomusicology Graduate Diploma and Certificate Elective subjects Musicology Performance</p>