# Minnesota State University Moorhead

# **MUS 207B: Aural Skills III**

### A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 1

Lecture Hours/Week: 0

Lab Hours/Week: 2

OJT Hours/Week: \*.\*

Prerequisites:

MUS 108B - Aural Skills II; OR MUS 207A - Music Theory III

Corequisites: MUS 208 and MUS 208

MnTC Goals: None

Continued work in the areas of sight singing (solfege), transcription (dictation), error detection and rhythmic drills focusing more on chromatic harmonic and melodic concepts.

# B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES: 02/27/2014 - Present

#### C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

- 1. Singing melodies using solfege.
- 2. Transcribing melodies, chords and chord progressions by ear.
- 3. Transcribing and singing rhythms.

# **D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)**

- 1. Identify interval/scale/chord types by hearing them.
- 2. See/speak/sing rhythms in simple, compound and odd time signatures.
- 3. Sight sing simple melodies in major, natural minor, harmonic and melodic minor using solfege.
- 4. Sight sing simple melodies in Dorian, Phrygian, Lydian and Mixolydian modes.
- 5. Sing melodies in mixed modalities.
- 6. Transcribe short melodies and chords progressions.
- 7. Identify common alterations/extension on the V7 chord.

## E. Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Goal Area(s) and Competencies

None

## F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus

#### G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

None noted

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