

COURSE OUTLINE: GAS0109 - MUSIC POP CULTURE

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Course Code: Title	GAS0109: MUSIC AND POP CULTURE		
Program Number: Name	1120: COMMUNITY INTEGRATN		
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Department:	C.I.C.E.		
Semesters/Terms:	20F, 21W, 21S		
Course Description:	This course will give the CICE students, with the assistance of a Learning Specialist, the opportunity to think creatively and critically about the influence of popular music. Students will explore different music genres (rock, metal, hip hop and rap), their development and social significance. Students may explore music in film, commercials, war and protest, social and civil rights movements, and the contributions of specific artists to contemporary culture. The ways in which popular music has contributed to the current culture and, in turn, how culture has shaped popular music will be examined.		
Total Credits:	3		
Hours/Week:	3		
Total Hours:	45		
Prerequisites:	There are no pre-requisites for this course.		
Corequisites:	There are no co-requisites for this course.		
Substitutes:	GAS109		
Essential Employability Skills (EES) addressed in this course:	EES 1 Communicate clearly, concisely and correctly in the written, spoken, and visual form that fulfills the purpose and meets the needs of the audience.		
	EES 2 Respond to written, spoken, or visual messages in a manner that ensures effective communication.		
	EES 4 Apply a systematic approach to solve problems.		
	EES 5 Use a variety of thinking skills to anticipate and solve problems.		
	EES 7 Analyze, evaluate, and apply relevant information from a variety of sources.		
	EES 8 Show respect for the diverse opinions, values, belief systems, and contributions of others.		
	EES 9 Interact with others in groups or teams that contribute to effective working relationships and the achievement of goals.		
General Education Themes:	Arts in Society		
	Civic Life		
	Social and Cultural Understanding		
	Personal Understanding		

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Course Evaluation:	Passing Grade: 50%, D	Passing Grade: 50%, D			
	A minimum program GPA of 2 for graduation.	A minimum program GPA of 2.0 or higher where program specific standards exist is required for graduation.			
Books and Required Resources:	No textbook is required.				
Course Outcomes and Learning Objectives:	Upon successful completion of this course, the CICE student, with the assistance of a Learning Specialist will acquire varying levels of skill development relevant to the following learning outcomes:				
	Course Outcome 1	Learning Objectives for Course Outcome 1			
	1. Classify music into genre types.	 1.1 Recognize music genre types by rhythm and instrumentation 1.2 Describe the origins of musical genres 1.3 Identify the blending and influence of genres on each other 			
	Course Outcome 2	Learning Objectives for Course Outcome 2			
	2. Identify the socio-cultural origins of each genre.	 2.1 Recognize the beginnings of individual genres 2.2 Recognize the influence musical genres have had on culture 2.3 Identify the cultural origins of musical genres 			
	Course Outcome 3	Learning Objectives for Course Outcome 3			
	3. Identify features of music, artists and genre types through focused listening	3.1 Identify the parts of a song: verse, chorus, bridge, riff, etc.3.2 Name specific musical artists and genres by listening			
	Course Outcome 4	Learning Objectives for Course Outcome 4			
	4. Recognize the function of technology in the development of music	 4.1 Describe the evolution of technologies for the dissemination of music 4.2 Summarize the development of recording technology 4.3 Explain the cultural significance of musical technologies 4.4 Recognize significant milestones in the recording and performance of music 4.5 Recognize the role of radio in the popularization of music and its influence on culture 			
	Course Outcome 5	Learning Objectives for Course Outcome 5			
	5. Describe the social and cultural significance of music	 5.1 Explain the role of music in the development and perpetuation of personal and social identity 5.2 Describe the role music has played in socio-cultural evolution and revolution 5.3 Recognize the cultural prejudices that shaped the nature of popular music 5.4 Recognize how music and musicians have been the targets of intolerance and adulation 			
	Course Outcome 6	Learning Objectives for Course Outcome 6			
	6. Identify music with its era	6.1 Identify the eras in which specific genres developed and/or			

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became widely known 6.2 Recognize important political, social, and/or technological movements and developments that accompanied the popularization of music within different eras.

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Evaluation Process and Grading System:	Evaluation Type	Evaluation Weight	
	Activities/Responses/Tests	65%	
	Live Music Review	15%	
	Project	20%	
CICE Modifications:	Preparation and Participation		
	 and to take notes. 2. Students will receive supphomework and assignments 3. Study notes will be geared outcomes. 4. Although the Learning Spalways be available. When the inconspicuous as possible. A. Further modifications may individual student(s) abilities B. Tests may be modified in 1. Tests, which require essands 2. Short answer questions may on the answer will reflect a billities. 3. Tests in the T/F or multiple statements into layman's or shumber of choices. C. Tests will be written in Control to the test question to a statement sinto and the statement of the statemen	bort in and outside of , preparation for exard d to test content and a ecialist may not atten he Learning Specialis y be required as need and must be discuss in the following way y answers, may be may be changed to mu- asic understanding. blank format, may be for all questions. This e choice format may simplified terms. Multi- CICE office with ass ay: the student. ion without revealing erbal answer. ed and time allowed the odified in the follow lified by reducing the	style which will match with modified learning d all classes with the student(s), support will st does attend classes he/she will remain as ded as the semester progresses based on sed with and agreed upon by the instructor. rs: nodified to short answers. ultiple choice or the question may be simplified e modified to include a few choices for each s will allow the student to match or use visual be modified by rewording or clarifying tiple choice questions may have a reduced istance from a Learning Specialist. any key words or definitions. to complete test may be increased.

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	2. Some assignments may be eliminated depending on the number of assignments required in the particular course.	
	The Learning Specialist may:	
	 Use a question/answer format instead of essay/research format Propose a reduction in the number of references required for an assignment Assist with groups to ensure that student comprehends his/her role within the group Require an extension on due dates due to the fact that some students may require addition time to process information Formally summarize articles and assigned readings to isolate main points for the student Use questioning techniques and paraphrasing to assist in student comprehension of an assignment 	
	E. Evaluation:	
	Is reflective of modified learning outcomes.	
	NOTE: Due to the possibility of documented medical issues, CICE students may require alternate methods of evaluation to be able to acquire and demonstrate the modified learning outcomes	
Date:	September 10, 2020	
Addendum:	Please refer to the course outline addendum on the Learning Management System for further information.	

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