Liverpool John Moores University

Title: ARRANGING AND DIRECTION

Status: Definitive

Code: **35016LPAFA** (116267)

Version Start Date: 01-08-2014

Owning School/Faculty: Engineering

Teaching School/Faculty: Liverpool Institute for Performing Arts

| Team | Leader |
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| Karl Jones | |

Academic Credit Total

Level: FHEQ3 Value: 12.00 Delivered 36.00

Hours:

Total Private
Learning 120 Study: 84

Hours:

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Standard Year Long

| Component | Contact Hours | | |
|-----------|---------------|--|--|
| Lecture | 12.000 | | |
| Workshop | 24.000 | | |

Grading Basis: 40 %

Assessment Details

| Category | Short | Description | Weighting | Exam |
|--------------|----------------|-----------------------|-----------|----------|
| | Description | | (%) | Duration |
| Practice | CONTINUOU S | Continuous Assessment | 60.0 | 1.00 |
| Presentation | DEMO | Demonstration | 40.0 | 1.00 |

Aims

The module is designed to provide an understanding of the role of the arranger and musical director, and to provide the skills and knowledge necessary to develop ability in this area. The preparation and delivery of musical parts and scores will be developed, alongside skills in basic arranging, conducting, and leadership/directing skills.

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- Demonstrate interpersonal and musicianship skills appropriate to the role of musical director;
- 2 Employ basic arranging skills;
- 3 Take responsibility for all aspects of rehearsals leading to performance;
- 4 Oversee the provision and preparation of all appropriate materials for rehearsal and performance.

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

The assessment item list is assessed via the learning outcomes listed:

CONTINUOUS 2 3 4

ASSESSMENT

DEMONSTRATION 1

Outline Syllabus

Lectures will include: the role of the musical director, preparation and presentation of parts and scores, basic conducting skills, basic arranging skills, role play focussing on getting the best out of musicians, and devising/composing/arranging around the specific needs of the group.

Learning Activities

Weekly lectures are followed by workshops where the theory is discussed with use of practical examples and exercises. Students are guided and encouraged to work in their own time to prepare materials for practical sessions.

Notes

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