

MUSE 222: ADVANCED PIANO I

Citrus College Course Outline of Record

| Heading | Value |
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| Effective Term: | Fall 2022 |
| Credits: | 2 |
| Total Contact Hours: | 36 |
| Lecture Hours : | 36 |
| Lab Hours: | 0 |
| Hours Arranged: | 0 |
| Outside of Class Hours: | 72 |
| Prerequisite: | MUSE 221 or Audition. |
| Transferable to CSU: | Yes |
| Transferable to UC: | Yes - Approved |
| Grading Method: | Standard Letter |

Catalog Course Description

This course continues the development of skills begun in MUSE 220 and MUSE 221 with emphasis on increased proficiency. Included in the repertoire are moderately difficult compositions representative of selected stylistic periods of piano literature. 36 lecture hours.

Course Objectives

- improve practicing techniques so that desired results are achieved
- demonstrate advanced fingering techniques
- demonstrate advanced keyboard harmonic devices

Major Course Content

1. Playing Position
2. Active Jumps, Tone Clusters and Glissandi
3. Five-Finger Patterns
4. Playing and Transposing Major Five-Finger Patterns
5. Rhythmic Exercises
6. Legato Touch
7. Independent Finger Action
8. Contrary Motion
9. Parallel Motion
10. Staccato Touch
11. Memorizing
12. Expanded Hand Position
13. Consecutive Thirds
14. Major Scales, Parallel
15. Major Scales, Contrary
16. Minor Scales – Three Types
17. Chords, I, IV, V
18. The Three Pedals, What They Do When Activated

Suggested Reading Other Than Required Textbook

Reading, analysis and practice of assigned literature.

Examples of Required Writing Assignments

Listing of required techniques which apply to selected passages in assigned literature.

Examples of Outside Assignments

Practice of assigned and technique building literature.

Instruction Type(s)

Lecture, Online Education Lecture