Course: AMUS 1521, 1522, 2521, 2522, 3521, 3522, 4521, 4522, Applied Trumpet

Schedule: TBA Location: TBA

**Instructor:** Mr. Miles Roth

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Office Hours: As posted and by appointment. Meetings may be virtual.

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Please use the above contact method. Do not contact the instructor via text or social media.

Materials: Necessary instruments and required repertoire

# **Course Description:**

#### **Evaluation:**

Students will be evaluated on a recital hearing, as well as the recital itself. This will be based upon preparation, improvement, and adequate skills demonstrated, both musically and technically in the performed recital.

### Grading scale for the class will be:

100-90 = A 89-80 = B 79-70 = C 69-60 = D59 and below = F

**COVID-19 Concerns:** Because this term takes place in the midst of a global pandemic, all university procedures must be strictly followed. In addition, some special classroom procedures must be observed as well; this includes the wearing of face masks and maintaining a distance of 6 feet from others. Additional precautions such as cleaning procedures, bell covers/bags, and receptacles for water keys, must also be adhered to. If you believe that you are ill or have had close contact with a positive COVID-19 person, stay home and contact the instructor.

Because of these concerns, the course may revert to a fully online experience at any time. The current plan is to provide face to face instruction until Thanksgiving break and then finish the course virtually. Note that protocols may change during the term.

**ADA Statement:** The Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) is a federal anti-discrimination statute that provides comprehensive civil protections for persons with disabilities. Among other things, this legislation requires all students with disabilities be guaranteed a learning environment which provides for reasonable accommodation of their disabilities. In accordance with state and federal law, MSU provides academic accommodations to students with documented disabilities. If you believe you have a disability requiring an accommodation, please contact Disability Support Services (DSS) in

Room 168 of the Clark Student Center (phone 940-397-4140). The instructor is under no obligation to offer accommodations for students with disabilities who are not registered with DSS.

Academic Dishonesty: Academic dishonesty including plagiarism and giving or receiving unauthorized assistance is prohibited. Plagiarism is (1) the use of source material of other persons (either published or unpublished, including the Internet) without following the accepted techniques of giving credit or (2) the submission for credit of work not the individual's to whom credit is given. If a student in the class plagiarizes material, appropriate disciplinary action will be taken. The Student Honor Creed developed and adopted by the MSU Student Government reinforces the discouragement of plagiarism and other unethical behaviors. The first statement of the creed reads, "As an MSU student, I pledge not to lie, cheat, steal, or help anyone else do so." Plagiarism is lying, cheating, and stealing.

## **Special Needs:**

If a student has any particular special needs, they should inform the instructor as soon as possible.

## **Attendance Policy:**

Students are to provide a 24 hour notice for an excused absence/reschedule, except for cases of emergency. An unexcused absence is defined as a no-show, or a non-essential cancellation within 24 hours. Unexcused absences will not be rescheduled. Communication is key. Lack of preparation is not a valid reason for an excused absence, and will be counted as unexcused.

• The instructor reserves the right to make adjustments in the syllabus if needed.