



Faculty of Arts and Education
Music
Syllabus

Course Approval

The syllabus was approved by the Faculty Board of Arts and Education on 19 April 2011, and is valid from the Autumn semester of 2011 at Karlstad University.

Course Code: MIGES1

String Orchestra I, 7.5 ECTS Credits
(Stråkorkester I, 7.5 Swedish credit points)

Degree Level: Bachelor

Progressive Specialisation: G1N (First cycle, has only upper-secondary level entry requirements)

Language of Instruction

Swedish and English

Prerequisites

General admission requirements

Major Field of Study

Learning Outcomes

Upon completion of the course, students should be able to:

- relate chosen repertoire to relevant epoch,
- use and apply a unison bowing in their orchestra section,
- describe different tools used to create an artistic expression in a string orchestra,
- interact with the conductor and the members of the orchestra.

Content and Form of Instruction

The course includes the following components:

- making music in a string orchestra
- musical expression
- musical communication
- scenic preparation
- conduct according to standard praxis at performances

Instruction is provided in groups. Section and orchestra rehearsals require students to be prepared and have studied their music parts.

Reading List

See separate document.

Examination

Assessment is based on oral and musical performance in groups.

The number of examination opportunities is limited to five.

Grades

One of the grades Pass (G) or Fail (U) is awarded in the examination of the course. Rector's Decision Dnr C2011/115.

Quality Assurance

Follow-up relating to learning conditions and goal-fulfilment takes place both during and upon completion of the course in order to ensure continuous improvement. Course assessment is based on student views and experiences as reported in written course evaluations and/or group discussions. Students will be informed of the result of the evaluation and of the measures to be taken.

Course Certificate

A course certificate will be provided upon request.

Additional Information

Students who enrolled before 1 July 2007 will complete their studies in accordance with the requirements of the earlier admission. Upon completion students may request degree and course certificates to be issued under the current ordinance if they meet its requirements.

The local regulations for studies at the Bachelor's and Master's levels at Karlstad University stipulate the obligations and rights of students and staff.

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