# COURSE DESCRIPTION

### 1. GENERALLY

SCHOOL	MUSIC AND AUDIOVISUAL ARTS			
DEPARTMENT	MUSIC STUDIES			
LEVEL OF STUDIES	UNDERGRADUATE			
COURSE CODE	MUS303 <b>ΕΞΑΜΗΝΟ ΣΠΟΥΔΩΝ</b> 3rd			3rd
COURSE TITTLE	AURAL TRAINING			
INDEPENDENT TEACHING ACTIVITIES			WEEKLY TEACHING HOURS	CREDITS ECTS
			2	3
COURSE TYPE	General background			
PREREQUISITE COURSES				
LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION AND	Greek			
EXAMINATION				
IS THE COURSE OFFERED TO	No			
ERASMUS STUDENTS				
COURSE WEBSITE (URL)	https://opencourses.ionio.gr/courses/DMS120/			

### 2. LEARNING OUTCOMES

#### Learning Outcomes

This course encompasses a wide spectrum of practical exercises for ear training, as well as topics which aim to introduce and enable the students to work with professionalism and confidence as:

- Music performers, conductors, composers
- Music directors, organising and running rehearsals
- Music teachers in related areas of music

The course aims to developing a more contemporary technical and aesthetical approach in music perception, not only by providing a substantial and up-to-date theoretical knowledge to the students, but also by cultivating a modern, «compositional» (in the sense of combinational and comparative) way of thinking regarding aural training and music perception.

### **General Competences**

Time Managing Independent and Team Work Planning and executing rehearsals Decision Making Multitasking Researching, analysing and synthesising data and information, through the use of critical thinking as well as the help of relevant technology Self-reflecting

# 3. CONTENTS

The course focuces on special elements of musical perception and aural training, emphasising (among other things) on:

(a) asymmetric and polyrhyhtmic patterns and structures (horizontal and vertical)

- (b) the detailed aural perception of vertical and horizontal interval relations
- (c) microtonal tuning and singing
- (d) the relation and interaction of text and music on a pure sound basis

(e) the development of music creativity through the application of the aforementioned elements

# 4. TEACHING AND LEARNING METHODS - EVALUATIONS

USE OF INFORMATION AND	Face to face			
	Face-to-face			
COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGIES				
Use of ICT in Teaching, workshop skill				
training, Communication with				
students				
TEACHING METHODS	Using ICT (Internet, electronic media and email) to			
	communicate with students, give then notes for class and			
	inform them about weekly homework, etc.			
STUDENT PERFORMANCE	Activity	Semester Workload		
EVALUATION	Weekly homework	54		
	Lectures	13		
	Workshop excercises	13		
	Course Total	80 hours		
STUDENT PERFORMANCE		1I		
EVALUATION				
	Oral examination based on a number of given			
	exercises, individual (solo) and group (ensemble).			
	Oral examination on sight reading, both melodic			
	and rhythmic (prima vista). The exams criteria are			
	accessible on the <b>open e-class</b> platform, used by			
	the Department of Music Studies.			

# 5. SUGGESTED BIBLIOGRAPHY

PROFESSOR'S NOTES AND ORIGINAL EXCERCISES («FROM EAR TO BODY» EAR TRAINING METHOD)