

MULB 1808, SECTION 503

Three O'Clock Lab Band

(2 credits)

Appointed via audition

Professor and Conductor: Richard DeRosa

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Two 100-minute rehearsals per week (Mon/Wed 2:00 – 3:40) in Lab East.

Performances in the fall semester include:

Two performances at the on-campus club (The Syndicate) in the student union - each performance features one set of music.

A 50-minute performance at the Denton Arts and Jazz Festival.

Performances in the spring semester include:

Two performances at the on-campus club (The Syndicate) in the student union - each performance features one set of music.

A 45-minute concert in Voertman Hall.

Additional performances may be added due to unexpected opportunities or via special requests from the Division Chair or Dean of the music college. The band members will be informed as soon as possible.

Literature

This ensemble will perform a variety of music that includes swing, Latin, ballads, rock, funk, etc. Many of the compositions will be classic; others will be from modern composers and student composers.

Production and Assessment

Ensemble members are expected to bring the necessary instruments and equipment to accommodate each arrangement. When new music is presented, each player is expected to do preparatory work as necessary to insure that the conductor can focus more readily on the ensemble performance.

Criticism

When the conductor cites specific issues with a player, that person is expected to address the issue with the applied performance professor.

Attendance policy

Only an excused absence is acceptable (tour, sickness, academic conflict, other extenuating circumstances such as an unforeseen accident). Please do not show

up with a communicable illness (including colds). The preferred method of notification is via e-mail. Please notify ASAP. *You must provide a substitute player along with the music.*

Compliance with Federal Statutes:

The College of Music complies with "The Americans with Disabilities Act", in making reasonable accommodations for qualified students with disability. If you have an established disability as defined in this act and would like to request accommodations, please see me as soon as possible.