

**SYLLABUS**  
**Orchestral Excerpts for Trombone**  
**MUGC 4890.024**  
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**Class Meetings: F 11:00am-11:50am**  
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**Required Materials:**

Appropriate musical instrument for in-class use  
Orchestral excerpts (most will be provided by the instructor)

**Goals**

The three major goals of this course are:

1. to become familiarized with the most often requested orchestral excerpts for bass and tenor trombone.
2. to receive guidance in the correct technical, stylistic and musical preparation of these excerpts.
3. to become informed the of musical and pedagogical sources of trombone excerpt material.

**Class Format and Expectations**

Students will participate in class by preparing and performing the required excerpts and offering constructive feedback on the in-class performance of their peers when prompted to do so. Instruction will consist of lectures, demonstrations and class discussions. **Attendance is required. Each unexcused absence will result in the lowering of the final letter grade by one letter.** The final exam for this class will be a mock audition at the end of the semester. The date for this exam will be finalized near the end of the semester.

**Assignments and Papers**

The class will be assigned a different excerpt each week, with some excerpts possibly receiving two class sessions of instruction. Below is a list of the excerpts that will be covered in class and their projected dates (subject to change):

	<b><u>TENOR</u></b>	<b><u>BASS</u></b>
9/7/12	<b>INTRODUCTION</b>	
9/14/12	<b>Mozart—Tuba Mirum</b>	<b>Haydn—Creation</b>
9/21/12	<b>Ravel—Bolero</b>	<b>Kodaly—Hary Janos</b>
9/28/12	<b>Wagner—Ride of the Valkyries</b>	<b>Wagner—Ride of the Valkyries</b>
10/05/12	<b>Schumann—Sym. No. 3</b>	<b>Schumann—Symphony No. 3</b>
10/12/12	<b>Berlioz—Hungarian March</b>	<b>Berlioz—Hungarian March</b>
10/19/12*	<b>Rossini—William Tell</b>	<b>Rossini—William Tell</b>
10/26/12	<b>Brahms—Symphony I</b>	<b>Wagner—Das Rheingold (Scene 2)</b>
11/2/12*	<b>Wagner—Tannhauser</b>	<b>Wagner—Tannhauser</b>
11/9/12	<b>Strauss—Till Eulenspiegel</b>	<b>Strauss—Till Eulenspiegel</b>
11/16/12	<b>Mahler—Sym. No. 3</b>	<b>Bach—Sarabande</b>
11/23/12	<b>THANKSGIVING BREAK</b>	
11/30/12	<b>Rossini—La Gazza Ladra</b>	<b>Rossini—La Gazza Ladra</b>

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## **Information for Course Syllabi (Fall, 2012)**

### **Office of Disability Accommodation**

The University of North Texas makes reasonable academic accommodation for students with disabilities. Students seeking accommodation must first register with the Office of Disability Accommodation (ODA) to verify their eligibility. If a disability is verified, the ODA will provide you with an accommodation letter to be delivered to faculty to begin a private discussion regarding your specific needs in a course. You may request accommodations at any time, however, ODA notices of accommodation should be provided as early as possible in the semester to avoid any delay in implementation. Note that students must obtain a new letter of accommodation for every semester and must meet with each faculty member prior to implementation in each class. For additional information see the Office of Disability Accommodation website at <http://www.unt.edu/oda>. You may also contact them by phone at 940.565.4323.

### **Financial Aid Satisfactory Academic Progress (Undergraduates)**

A student must maintain Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) to continue to receive financial aid. Students must maintain a minimum 2.0 cumulative GPA in addition to successfully completing a required number of credit hours based on total registered hours per term. Students cannot exceed attempted credit hours above 150% of their required degree plan. If a student does not maintain the required standards, the student may lose their financial aid eligibility.

If at any point you consider dropping this or any other course, please be advised that the decision to do so may have the potential to affect your current and future financial aid eligibility. Please visit <http://financialaid.unt.edu/satisfactory-academic-progress-requirements> for more information about financial aid Satisfactory Academic Progress. It may be wise for you to schedule a meeting with an academic advisor in your college or visit the Student Financial Aid and Scholarships office to discuss dropping a course being doing so.

### **Financial Aid Satisfactory Academic Progress (Graduates)**

A student must maintain Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) to continue to receive financial aid. Students must maintain a minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA in addition to successfully completing a required number of credit hours based on total registered hours per term. Students cannot exceed maximum timeframes established based on the published length of the graduate program. If a student does not maintain the required standards, the student may lose their financial aid eligibility.

If at any point you consider dropping this or any other course, please be advised that the decision to do so may have the potential to affect your current and future financial aid eligibility. Please visit <http://financialaid.unt.edu/satisfactory-academic-progress-requirements> for more information about financial aid Satisfactory Academic Progress. It may be wise for you to schedule a meeting with an academic advisor in your college or visit the Student Financial Aid and Scholarships office to discuss dropping a course being doing so.

### **Academic Integrity**

Academic Integrity is defined in the UNT Policy on Student Standards for Academic Integrity. Any suspected case of Academic Dishonesty will be handled in accordance with the University Policy and procedures. Possible academic penalties range from a verbal or written admonition to a grade of "F" in the course. Further sanctions may apply to incidents involving major violations. You will find the policy and procedures at: <http://vpaa.unt.edu/academic-integrity.htm>.

### **Student Behavior in the Classroom**

Student behavior that interferes with an instructor's ability to conduct a class or other students' opportunity to learn is unacceptable and disruptive and will not be tolerated in any instructional forum at UNT. Students engaging in unacceptable behavior will be directed to leave the classroom and the instructor may refer the student to the Center for Student Rights and Responsibilities to consider whether the student's conduct violated the Code of Student Conduct. The university's expectations for student conduct apply to all instructional forums, including university and electronic classroom, labs, discussion groups, field trips, etc. The Code of Student Conduct can be found at: [www.unt.edu/csrr](http://www.unt.edu/csrr).