# **MUS-1140: MIDI TECHNOLOGY II**

# **Cuyahoga Community College**

# Viewing: MUS-1140 : MIDI Technology II

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Subject Code

MUS - Music

Course Number:

1140

Title:

MIDI Technology II

## **Catalog Description:**

Further development of concepts and skills introduced in MIDI Technology I. Advanced sequencing and editing techniques, synchronization, digital audio recording, music notation and MIDI studio organization.

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Credit Hour(s):
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3 Lecture Hour(s):

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2
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Lab Hour(s): 2

Other Hour(s):

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# **Requisites**

Prerequisite and Corequisite

MUS-1130 Midi Technology I.

# Outcomes

## Objective(s):

- 1. Assemble complex MIDI systems.
- 2. Perform intermediate level MIDI sequencing techniques.
- 3. Demonstrate an understanding of MIDI editor/librarians.
- 4. Demonstrate a practical knowledge of personal computer-based notation programs.
- 5. Demonstrate integrated digital audio/MIDI recording programs.

## Methods of Evaluation:

1. Examinations

2. Proficiency in MIDI system setup, sequencer operation, notation programs, and basic digital recording techniques

## **Course Content Outline:**

1. Complex MIDI systems

- a. Explaining MIDI setup principles
- b. Demonstrating MIDI equipment hookup
- c. MIDI interfaces
- d. MIDI patchbays

- e. SMPTE synchronization
- f. MIDI automation
- 2. MIDI sequencing techniques
  - a. MIDI compositional techniques
  - b. Overview of MIDI data manipulation capabilities
  - c. MIDI event editing techniques
  - d. Quantizing
  - e. Transposing
  - f. Looping
  - g. Merge
  - h. Continuous controllers
  - i. Tempo maps
  - j. Virtual mixing
- 3. MIDI editor/librarians
  - a. System exclusive messages
  - b. Data management
  - c. Patch data transfer
  - d. Troubleshooting
- 4. Personal computer-based notation
  - a. Notation terminology and software capabilities
  - b. Document window and tool palates
  - c. Data entry and display
  - d. Notation editing techniques
- 5. Integrated digital audio/MIDI recording principles
  - a. RAM/disk-based recording principles
  - b. Digital system components
  - c. Digital audio recording
  - d. Digital audio editing
  - e. Integration of digital audio and MIDI recording

#### Resources

Clackett, Dave. Handbook of MIDI Sequencing. Emoryville, CA: Mix Bookshelf, 1997.

Huber, David Miles. Hard Disc Recording for Musicians. Emoryville, CA: Mix Bookshelf, 1995.

Milano, Dominic, ed. Mind Over MIDI. Milwaukee: Hal Leonard, 1988.

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