

## Information about Experiential Learning, Music 3199A

This is a .5 credit, pass-fail undergraduate course. Generally, enroll in this course as a music elective or as an extra course that shows on their transcript but does not fill any program requirements. It cannot take the place of any required music course. Music 3199A/B may only be taken one time.

Approval to take the course must be received from the Associate Dean (V. Meredith) **before** the project for which you wish to gain Experiential Learning credit begins. Summer projects will be added to your courses for first semester in the following year. This way you do not have to sign up or pay for summer school in order to get credit for your involvement. If you intend for this to count as part of your program requirements you should check with your department chair to be sure it fits what you need.

There is an Experiential Learning, Music 3199A/B, sign-up form that must be completed in order to officially request the course. This form needs to be completed, signed and sent, or brought in person, to the Associate Dean (V Meredith) for approval before the project begins.

Some type of final project is required to receive Experiential Learning credit. This can be in the form of a report, presentation or performance, depending upon the nature of the project. Frequently, the final project is a combination of a journal that students keep while the program goes along and a final summary of the various things they did and what they learned as a result, along with any implications these things have for their future. Usually, this paper is about 10-12 pages long. It's not a research paper, but does require that you think and write about what you are doing and learning.

In order to get credit during first term, your final project will need to reach the Associate Dean no later than December 1 so that a mark can be submitted for you. Any time before that is fine -- the earlier the better.

If you are not able to bring the he completed Experiential Learning sign-up form to the Music Office in person, can be sent by email to: [vmeredit@uwo.ca](mailto:vmeredit@uwo.ca) or by FAX to 519-661-3531, attn. V Meredith. If you send it by FAX please also send an email telling the Associate Dean to check for it because the entire music office uses the same FAX machine.

Please direct any questions about gaining Experiential Learning to:

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