

School of Music

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February 28, 2007

TO:

Dr. Cleo Price, Assistant Dean, Graduate Academic Services

FROM:

Cecilia Wang

Subject:

Review of the Orff Schulwerk Graduate Certificate

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Enclosed please find the review materials as requested. In my opinion the Orff Schulwerk curriculum is going strong and should be continued. Please notice that the Advanced Orff courses and Certificate Project will use a new course number MUS 666 if and when the course is approved by the University Senate.

Thank you very much.

Graduate Certificate in Orff Schulwerk University of Kentucky School of Music Review 2001-2007

1. Introduction

As of summer 2006, the University of Kentucky has provided summer training in Orff Schulwerk for in-service music teachers for twenty years. Our program engages summer visiting instructors to provide the three levels of training certified by the American Orff Schulwerk Association as well as courses in a variety of topics. The objective of the certification is to provide professional development to music teachers in Orff Schulwerk which develops creative teaching using effective music pedagogy.

2. Faculty

From UK: Dr. Cecilia Wang, Dr. David Sogin, Professor Joseph Baber Visiting faculty: Cindy Hall, Brian Burnett, Brian Crisp, Jay Broeker, Arvida Steen, Nancy Miller, Jo Ella Hug, Judy Bond

3. Admission Requirements

Bachelor Degree or beyond, admissible at the post-baccalaureate non-degree status

4. Requirements for Completion (12 credits total)

- 1. Level One Orff Schulwerk, MUS 560-561 (2-4 credits);
- 2. Level Two Orff Schulwerk, MUS 560-561 (2-4 credits);
- 3. Level III or Advanced Orff, MUS 560-561* (2-4 credits);
- 4. Certificate Project, MUS 750* (1-3 credits)

Completion requires a 3.0 GPA minimum, and 12 credits obtained within five years.

*Advanced Orff and MUS 750 will be replaced by MUS 666 when MUS 666 is approved by the University Senate.

5. Rationale for Continuation of Graduate Certificate in Orff Schulwerk

The UK program has expanded in recent years and has attracted participation from both instate and out-of-state teachers. The graduate certification lends official approval to these teachers and is well received by all. Teachers are happy to combine this training and apply the credits towards requirements to renew their teaching certificate. A number of them started with the first course and decided to continue graduate studies leading to a degree at UK. Coupled with distance learning courses during the year, this summer program enables teachers to keep their job and work on a graduate degree simultaneously.

6. Flyer (see attached)

7. Certificate (see attached)

University of Kentucky Graduate Certificate in Orff Schulwerk

Music teachers from Kentucky as well as from other places can now enroll for credits to be applied towards a new University of Kentucky Graduate Certificate in Orff Schulwerk. The University of Kentucky is one of only a few institutions in the United States with Orff Schulwerk Concentration at the graduate level. Orff Schulwerk is the music approach created by composers Carl Orff and Gunild Keetman. It is a way to teach and learn music using poems, rhymes, games, songs, and dances as basic materials. The emphasis is on students as improvisers and performers. The University of Kentucky offers Schulwerk Teacher Training courses in the summers, taught by the most prestigious summer faculty from different parts of the country. The content follows strict guidelines of the American Orff-Schulwerk Association. Training is given at Levels 1, 2, 3 and advanced masters courses in different topics such as curriculum design and other topics.

Director: Dr. Cecilia Wang

Faculty Affiliates: Professors David Sogin, Joseph Baber, Cecilia Wang, & Summer Instructors

Curriculum: TOTAL 12 hours

1. Orff Teacher Training Level One MUS 560/561 2-4 cr.

2. Orff Teacher Training Level Two MUS 560/561 2-4 cr. (Prerequisite: Orff Teacher Training Level 1)

- 3. Orff Teacher Training Level Three MUS 560/561 2-4 cr. or Advanced Orff Master Courses (Prerequisite: Orff Teacher Training Level 2)
- 4. Certificate Project MUS 750 1-3 cr. (Prerequisite: Orff Teacher Training Level 2)
 - Each student must complete all four of the components for a total of 12 credit hours. Each component is offered at variable credits. The certificate project can be done anytime during the year, on or off the UK campus.
 - All credits earned in this certificate can be applicable towards the Master of Music in Music Education degree (MMME) or the Rank I in Music Education Program.*

*For courses taken at the post-baccalaureate status, 9 hours may be transferred to the Master's Degree (MMME), 12 hours may be transferred to the Rank I Program.

Admission Requirements: Same as those in effect for Post-baccalaureate status, and approval of the Certificate Director. Please visit Graduate School website: http://www.gradschool.uky.edu.

Award of the Certificate: Completion of certificate curriculum requirements with a minimum of 3.0 GPA within five years.

Anyone interested in pursuing this Graduate Certificate should contact Dr. Cecilia Wang and submit a formal application prior to starting the Graduate Certificate Curriculum. Dr. Wang can be reached by Email: cecilia.wang@uky.edu, by phone: (859) 257-8203, or by mail: 105 Fine Arts Building, School of Music, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY 40506-0022.

http://www.uky.edu/FineArts/Music

Enrollment Form

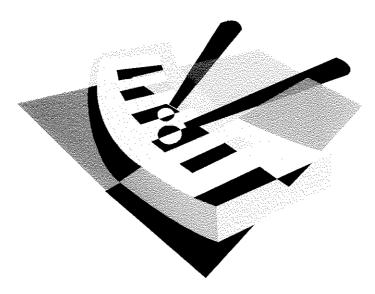
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School Name & Address: _			(Street/City/State/Zip)
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3.** Level Three, MUS 560/561	, 2-4 cr		
or **Advanced Orff Maste	r Course(s)		
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4. ** Certificate Project, MUS 7: (Proposal must be appro-		or prior to the proje	ect.)
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Other Orff Schulwerk Courses:_			
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*Prerequisite: Orff Teacher Trai	ning Level 1	* * Prerequis	site: Orff Teacher Training Level 2
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	c Education Program, Fo	r courses taken at .	f Music in Music Education degree the post-baccalaureate status, 9 hours Program.
Application ApprovalDate:	Director's	Signature:	
Curriculum CompletionDat	e:Director's	Signature:	

This form serves as application and curriculum checklist for the Graduate Certificate Curriculum in Orff Schulwerk. Provide all information including courses completed and submit two forms to Dr. Cecilia Wang. E-mail: cecilia.wang@uky.edu, phone: (859) 257-8203, or mail: School of Music, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY 40506-0022.

The University of Kentucky

The School of Music



Certifies that upon this date July 1, 2005

Kelly Mem Kapusuzoglu

has successfully completed the prescribed curriculum and is hereby awarded the

Graduate Certificate in Orff Schulwerk

Dean of the Graduate School

Director of the School of Music

Director of the Orff Curriculum

