



MMCC3060

Music Projects and Audience Engagement

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School of Humanities

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General Information

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Consultation by appointment

Credit points

10

Prerequisites

130cp at 1000 level or above

Corequisites

Co-badged status

Unit description

This unit will provide students with the opportunity to apply musical learning to collaborative and individual projects that will focus on their musical creativity, performance and/or production. Students will learn how to develop an integrative musical project as well as document their key achievements in music in order to support their career aspirations and audience scope.

Important Academic Dates

Information about important academic dates including deadlines for withdrawing from units are available at <https://www.mq.edu.au/study/calendar-of-dates>

Learning Outcomes

On successful completion of this unit, you will be able to:

ULO1: collaborate musically and communicate interpersonally within an ensemble.

ULO2: communicate in a range of musical contexts.

ULO3: research, document and integrate musical creativity.

ULO4: create musical projects.

ULO5: demonstrate originality in realised musical projects.

ULO6: apply, demonstrate and integrate complex musical components.

General Assessment Information

Late submission policy

Unless a Special Consideration request has been submitted and approved, **a 5% penalty (of the total possible mark) will be applied each day a written assessment is not submitted, up until the 7th day (including weekends)**. After the 7th day, a mark of '0' (zero) will be awarded even if the assessment is submitted. Submission time for all written assessments is set at 11.55pm. A 1-hour grace period is provided to students who experience a technical issue.

This late penalty will apply to non-timed sensitive assessment (incl essays, reports, posters, portfolios, journals, recordings etc). Late submission of time sensitive tasks (such as tests/ exams, performance assessments/presentations, scheduled practical assessments/labs etc) will only be addressed by the unit convenor in a Special consideration application. Special Consideration outcome may result in a new question or topic.

The Special Consideration application page can be found here:

<https://students.mq.edu.au/study/assessment-exams/special-consideration>

Assessment Tasks

Name	Weighting	Hurdle	Due	Groupwork/Individual	Short Extension	AI Approach
Ensemble Project	40%	No	15/10/2026	Individual and Group	No	Observed
Creative Project	40%	No	Thurs 5/11/2026 Wk 13 - times TBA	Individual	No	Observed
Reflective Documentation	20%	No	06/11/2026	Individual	Yes	Open

Ensemble Project

Assessment Type ¹: Creative task

Indicative Time on Task ²: 40 hours

Due: **15/10/2026**

Weighting: **40%**

Groupwork/Individual: Individual and Group

Short extension ³: No

AI Approach: Observed

Working in groups, students will create and realise a musical piece in which each student makes a contribution to enable a cohesive ensemble performance. Refer to iLearn for further information.

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- communicate in a range of musical contexts.
- create musical projects.
- demonstrate originality in realised musical projects.
- apply, demonstrate and integrate complex musical components.

Creative Project

Assessment Type ¹: Creative task

Indicative Time on Task ²: 40 hours

Due: **Thurs 5/11/2026 Wk 13 - times TBA**

Weighting: **40%**

Groupwork/Individual: Individual

Short extension ³: No

AI Approach: Observed

This creative project entails a performance, musical composition or recording. Students are required to discuss their project outcomes in a *viva voce* as part of their Creative Project presentation. Refer to iLearn for further information.

On successful completion you will be able to:

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Reflective Documentation

Assessment Type ¹: Reflection task

Indicative Time on Task ²: 20 hours

Due: **06/11/2026**

Weighting: **20%**

Groupwork/Individual: Individual

Short extension ³: Yes

AI Approach: Open

Students will reflect on and critically analyse their creative processes and the realisation of their projects in written documentation. Refer to iLearn for further information.

On successful completion you will be able to:

- communicate in a range of musical contexts.
- research, document and integrate musical creativity.
- demonstrate originality in realised musical projects.

¹ If you need help with your assignment, please contact:

- the academic teaching staff in your unit for guidance in understanding or completing this type of assessment
- [Academic Success](#) for academic skills support.

² Indicative time-on-task is an estimate of the time required for completion of the assessment task and is subject to individual variation.

³ An automatic short extension is available for some assessments. Apply through the [Service Connect Portal](#).

Delivery and Resources

Lectures begin in Week 1.

Tutorials begin in Week 2.

Please see iLearn for further information regarding delivery and resources in this unit.

Policies and Procedures

Macquarie University policies and procedures are accessible from [Policy Central](https://policies.s.mq.edu.au) (<https://policies.s.mq.edu.au>). Students should be aware of the following policies in particular with regard to Learning and Teaching:

- [Academic Appeals Policy](#)
- [Academic Integrity Policy](#)
- [Academic Progression Policy](#)
- [Assessment Policy](#)
- [Fitness to Practice Procedure](#)
- [Assessment Procedure](#)
- [Complaints Resolution Procedure for Students and Members of the Public](#)
- [Special Consideration Policy](#)

Students seeking more policy resources can visit [Student Policies](https://students.mq.edu.au/support/study/policies) (<https://students.mq.edu.au/support/study/policies>). It is your one-stop-shop for the key policies you need to know about throughout your undergraduate student journey.

To find other policies relating to Teaching and Learning, visit [Policy Central](https://policies.mq.edu.au) (<https://policies.mq.edu.au>) and use the [search tool](#).

Student Code of Conduct

Macquarie University students have a responsibility to be familiar with the Student Code of Conduct: <https://students.mq.edu.au/admin/other-resources/student-conduct>

Results

Results published on platform other than [eStudent](#), (eg. iLearn, Coursera etc.) or released directly by your Unit Convenor, are not confirmed as they are subject to final approval by the University. Once approved, final results will be sent to your student email address and will be made available in [eStudent](#). For more information visit connect.mq.edu.au or if you are a Global MBA student contact globalmba.support@mq.edu.au

Academic Integrity

At Macquarie, we believe [academic integrity](#) – honesty, respect, trust, responsibility, fairness and courage – is at the core of learning, teaching and research. We recognise that meeting the expectations required to complete your assessments can be challenging. So, we offer you a range of resources and services to help you reach your potential, including free [online writing and maths support](#), [academic skills development](#) and [wellbeing consultations](#).

Student Support

Macquarie University provides a range of support services for students. For details, visit <http://students.mq.edu.au/support/>

Academic Success

[Academic Success](#) provides resources to develop your English language proficiency, academic writing, and communication skills.

- [Ask a Study Coach](#)
- [Access StudyWISE](#)
- [Upload an assignment to Studiosity](#)
- [Complete the Academic Integrity Module](#)

The Library provides online and face to face support to help you find and use relevant information resources.

- [Subject and Research Guides](#)
- [Ask a Librarian](#)

Student Services and Support

Macquarie University offers a range of [Student Support Services](#) including:

- [IT Support](#)
- [Accessibility and disability support](#) with study
- Mental health [support](#)
- [Safety support](#) to respond to bullying, harassment, sexual harassment and sexual assault
- [Social support including information about finances, tenancy and legal issues](#)

- [Student Advocacy](#) provides independent advice on MQ policies, procedures, and processes

Student Enquiries

Got a question? Ask us via the [Service Connect Portal](#), or contact [Service Connect](#).

IT Help

For help with University computer systems and technology, visit <https://students.mq.edu.au/support/technology/service-desk>.

When using the University's IT, you must adhere to the [Acceptable Use of IT Resources Policy](#). The policy applies to all who connect to the MQ network including students.

Changes since First Published

Date	Description
30/07/2026	Clarification of 'Creative Project' due date.

Unit information based on version 2026.01R of the [Handbook](#)