

NorthWest Arkansas Community College
Division of COMMUNICATION & ARTS

Course Number and Title-- MUSI 2911 PRIVATE ORGAN I

Catalog description: (SUM). One hour private lesson per week, extra fee charged. Instruction may focus on literature for church musicians. May be repeated once for credit.

Prerequisite--None

Credit/Contact/Load Hours—(1 Credit/ .5 Contact / .5 Load per student)

Target audience and transferability: Transfers to most universities as 1 hour course private lesson for music majors and as 1 hour elective for non-majors. (Students are encouraged to contact target university to check for transferability.)

Learning Outcomes—Students completing this course will:

- demonstrate a beginning-level knowledge of the organ, notation, and pedal techniques.
- show familiarity with standard forms of organ literature
- perform competently before a live audience.

Topics—Musical Notation, Rhythm, Musical expressions, Scales, Registrations, Stylistic interpretation, Pedal techniques

Forms of Assessment— Periodic and end-of-term playing tests. Each student registered for credit for this course will be required to play a final jury for members of the music faculty.