



CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, SACRAMENTO

Department of Music

TRUMPET STUDIES

The trumpet program at CSUS, chaired by Professor Gary Dilworth, offers students the opportunity to pursue Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Music, and Master of Music degrees in trumpet performance. Excellent facilities are provided for this diverse program, in which the trumpet student may explore a variety of repertoire through participation in the university orchestra, symphonic wind ensemble, marching band, jazz ensemble and the brass quintet. Through private instruction, the program provides intensive study of the various trumpets (b-flat through piccolo), in preparation for the solo recital and ensemble performance. The musically rewarding environment at CSUS will expose the students to technical skills, musical knowledge, performance practices and artistic standards necessary to meet the various musical demands encountered in the professional world today.

Prior to acceptance into degree programs, students must pass an entrance audition. The following list includes suggested solo works. To discuss other acceptable audition literature, contact Gary Dilworth at (916) 278-7993

Freshmen and Junior Level Transfers: Bachelor of Music

Freshmen and Junior Level Transfers: Bachelor of Arts

Students are requested to perform two contrasting movements and one etude from the list below:

Neruda: Concerto, Hummel: Concerto, Hindemith: Sonata, Peters: Sonata

Haydn: Concerto, Arutunian: Concerto, Kennan: Sonata, Purcell: Sonata in D-major

Charlier Etudes

Master of Music

Candidates are required to perform two complete but contrasting works from the above select list of repertoire.

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