

MVS 1416
Guitar Class
Syllabus - Fall 2015

Required Books:

Material Required:

Guitar

Optional Materials:

Grading:

50% class participation

50% assignments

Faculty:

Dr. Ulisses Rocha

Policies:

1) The course will include applied theory, technical exercises and at least 5 pieces, chosen from the classical or general fingerstyle styles. The level, styles and authors will be decided in class.

2) Attendance is required at all classes. Should a class be missed, it is the student's responsibility to see the lecture notes from the missed class are obtained from a classmate and any work assigned completed by their return. After three (3) class absences your grade will be lowered one grade increment for each absence after three (ie A to B+, or C to D+). As a reminder, this class only meets once a week in seminar fashion. Missing just one class is missing an entire weeks worth of instruction.

5) The assignments are due weekly. The course development depends on well prepared assignments.

5) The requirements, emphasis, and timing of this course may be changed or adjusted to meet the specific needs of the class as determined by the instructor.

6) All students of *The University of Florida* are expected to conduct themselves in a reasonable and professional manner at all times as described in the Student Honor Code; please refer to The Code for specifics.

7) [UF Software Copyright Policy](#) (12 May 1994): All faculty, staff and students of the University of Florida are required and expected to obey the laws and legal agreements

governing software use. Failure to do so can lead to monetary damages and/or criminal penalties for the individual violator. Because such violations are also against the University policies and rules, disciplinary action will be taken as appropriate.

8) UF Counseling Services - Resources are available on-campus for students having personal problems or lacking clear career and academic goals which interfere with their academic performance.

These resources include:

- 1.University Counseling Center, 301 Peabody Hall, 392-1575, personal and career counseling;
- 2.Student Mental Health, Student Health Care Center, 392-1171, personal counseling;
- 3.Sexual Assault Recovery Services (SARS), Student Health Care Center, 392-1161, sexual assault counseling;
- 4.Career Resource Center, Reitz Union, 392-1601, career development assistance and counseling.

9) Students requesting classroom accommodation must first register with the Dean of Students Office in Peabody Hall. The Dean of Students Office will provide documentation to the student who must then provide this documentation to the Instructor when requesting accommodation.

10) Our offices area always open; please feel free to drop by to discuss class issues as the need arises.

Grading Scale:

A	100-94%
A-	93-90%
B+	89-87%
B	86-83%
B-	82-80%
C+	79-77%
C	76-73%

C-	72-70%
D+	69-67%
D	66-63%
D-	62-60%
E	59-0%