

# ADVANCED MATRICULATION LEVEL 2021 SECOND SESSION

SUBJECT: Music

PAPER NUMBER: I – Part I – Aural Perception

DATE: 4<sup>th</sup> October 2021 TIME: 4:00 p.m. to 4:35 p.m.

### **EXAMINER'S PAPER**

This section is to be answered in full.

### **SECTION 2 - AURAL PERCEPTION**

Candidates are requested to:

1. Write down the occasional missing notes with relative time-values, marked by an asterisk (\*), in this passage. The excerpt will be played **FOUR** times.



2. Identify the modulation of this two-part melodic phrase. The excerpt will be played **TWICE** and will be preceded by the tonic chord. A correct description of the modulation is expected; for example: dominant, relative major, etc. **Answer: Relative minor** 



3. Write down the missing notes in the spaces marked by an asterisk (\*) in this atonal excerpt. No interval between adjacent notes will exceed the interval of a Perfect 5<sup>th</sup>. The excerpt will be played **FOUR** times.



(Total: 30 marks)

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Modulation to: \_\_\_\_\_\_(10)

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# ADVANCED MATRICULATION LEVEL 2021 SECOND SESSION

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PAPER NUMBER: I – Part II – Harmony and Counterpoint

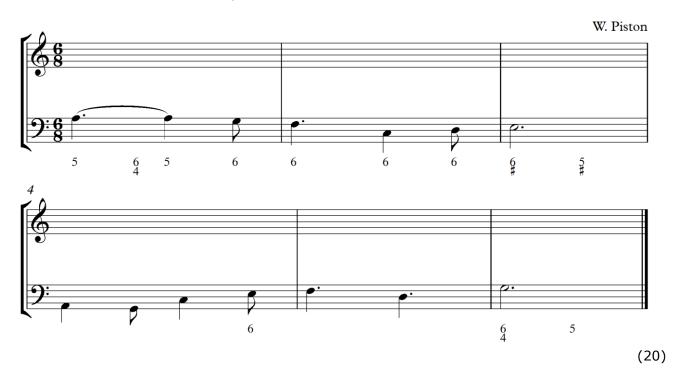
DATE: 4<sup>th</sup> October 2021

TIME: After Paper I – Part I (2 hours 5 minutes)

Answer **ALL** questions.

### **SECTION 1 - COMMON PRACTICE HARMONY**

1. Harmonise the given figured bass by adding S.A.T. including use of non-harmonic tones and a modulation to a related key.



2. Harmonise the given soprano part by adding A.T.B. including use of non-harmonic tones as well as an appropriate modulation to a related key. Label the notes correctly.



(20)

(Total: 40 marks)

### **SECTION 2 - COUNTERPOINT**

1. Complete the following passage in 2-part counterpoint in eighteenth-century style.



(Total: 20 marks)

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### ADVANCED MATRICULATION LEVEL 2021 SECOND SESSION

SUBJECT: Music

PAPER NUMBER: II – Part I – History of Music and Analysis

DATE: 5<sup>th</sup> October 2021 TIME: 6.35 p.m. to 7.35 p.m.

### **CANDIDATE'S PAPER**

Write in long essay format on any **TWO** of the given topics below.

- 1. The chant and secular song in the Middle Ages.
- 2. The instrumental music and instruments in the Middle Ages.
- 3. Polyphony (organum) in the Middle Ages.
- 4. Instrumental music in the Sixteenth Century.
- 5. The music of the early Baroque Period with particular reference to early opera.
- 6. The music in the early Eighteenth Century with particular reference to the musical works of Johann Sebastian Bach and George Frideric Handel.
- 7. The Sonata, Symphony, and Concerto in the Early Classical Period.
- 8. Mozart's instrumental music.
- 9. The life and main musical works of Ludwig Van Beethoven.
- 10. Piano music of the Nineteenth Century with particular reference to the German *lied*, piano sonatas and piano concertos.
- 11. Chamber music in the Nineteenth Century with particular reference to the works of Schubert, Brahms and Franck.
- 12. The life and main musical works of Gustav Mahler.
- 13. Atonality and the music of Arnold Schoenberg.
- 14. Electronic music in the Twentieth Century.

(Total: 30 marks)



### ADVANCED MATRICULATION LEVEL 2021 SECOND SESSION

SUBJECT: Music

PAPER NUMBER: II – Part II – Set Works & Instrumentation

DATE: 5<sup>th</sup> October 2021 TIME: 4:00 p.m. to 6:35 p.m.

### **SECTION 1 - SET WORKS**

Answer any **TWO** questions in short-essay form.

- 1. Comment on the contrapuntal texture and harmonic structure in Bach's *Prelude and Fugue in C minor*.
- 2. Mozart's themes have a distinct melodic profile. Comment about this important musical feature in relation to Mozart's *Piano Sonata in B flat Major 1<sup>st</sup> movement, K.333.*
- 3. The beautiful melodies created in Schubert's songs reveal a gift that few composers have possessed. Comment with reference to the Lied *Who is Sylvia? Op. 106, No. 4 (D.891)*.
- 4. Write about Franz Schubert's bond between poetry and music, piano accompaniment and melodic line in *Der Doppelganger (D.957)*.
- 5. Comment about the influences, general form and musical characteristics found in Chopin's Mazurka No. 5 in B flat Major Op. 7, No. 1 and Mazurka No. 6 in A minor Op. 7, No. 2.
- 6. Claude Debussy was one of the most fascinating and influential composers of the twentieth century. Comment about his musical genius and musical innovations in relation to the *Prélude à l'après-midi d'un faune*.
- 7. Comment about the compositional method used by Arnold Schoenberg in the *Piano Piece Op. 33a.*

(Total: 30 marks)

### **SECTION 2 - INSTRUMENTATION**

Answer **ONE** question.

- 1. Comment about the different orchestral instruments and the way they represent different characters in *Peter and the Wolf* by Sergei Prokofiev.
- 2. Comment about the harmony, the melody, the instrumentation and the structure in *The Young Person's Guide to the Orchestra* by Benjamin Britten. Reference should be made on how he uses a musical theme to illustrate the timbre and other musical characteristics of all the instruments of a modern symphony orchestra.

(Total: 20 marks)