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Audio mastering 856 (MTZ 856)

Qualification Postgraduate

Faculty [Faculty of Humanities](#)

Module credits 10.00

Programmes [MMus Music Technology \(Coursework\)](#)

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Contact time 1 practical per week, 1 seminar per week

Language of tuition English

Academic organisation Music

Period of presentation Year

Module content

Audio mastering consists of a study of the advanced theory and practice of audio pre-mastering as it pertains to the music production environment. In particular, the techniques pertaining to pre-mastering, including equalisation, macro-, and micro dynamics, excitation, enhancement, noise reduction, analogue and digital processing are addressed. Examination is based on a portfolio of commercial quality premastering assignments.

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