

CTMU 7970/ 76 Scholarly Inquiry in Music Education

COURSE SYLLABUS

Summer 2015 (May 18 – July 31)

Synchronous Class Meetings TBA

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Required Text:

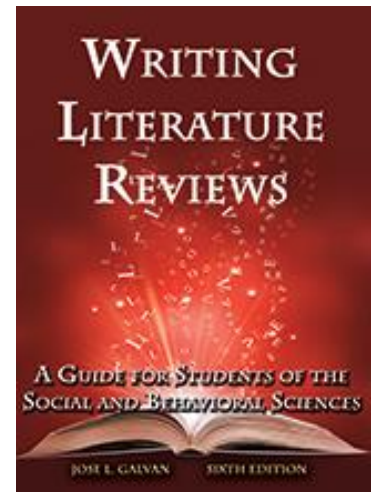
Jose L. Galvin (2014). *Writing literature reviews* (6th ed.).
Glendale, CA: Pyrczak Publishing. <http://pyrczak.com/>

Highly Recommended:

American Psychological Association (2009). *Publication manual of the American Psychological Association* (6th ed.). Washington, DC: American Psychological Association.

Course Description:

CTMU 7970/ 76: *Scholarly Inquiry in Music Education* prepares the student to conduct bibliographic research in music education. Topics include working with electronic data bases, selecting and analyzing research literature, and writing literature reviews.



Course Objectives:

The student will be able to:

1. Develop an appropriate topic for research in music education
2. Demonstrate effective use of Boolean operators to define searches
3. Use electronic databases effectively
4. Identify appropriate literature for review
5. Analyze research literature
6. Prepare an annotated bibliography of appropriate references for the selected research question
7. Synthesize literature prior to writing a review
8. Write a formal review of related literature in APA style

Course Requirements:

- Tests or Quizzes over assigned modules, readings, and class notes (40%)
- Annotated Bibliography in APA format (20%)
- Literature Review in APA format (40%)

Grading System:

A = 100 – 91, B = 90 – 81, C = 80 – 71, D = 70 – 61

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