



MUSC 4B — Midterm Dictation Exam Instructions Spring 2020

Here are instructions for completing the MUSC 4B Dictation Midterm Exam. Please send any questions to Dr. Belet (brian.belet@sjsu.edu). Note that no work will be accepted past the exam deadline (listed below) for any reason.

The Midterm Dictation Exam will open on March 24, 2020, at 9am.

The Midterm Dictation Exam will close on **March 24, 2020, at 6pm.**

The following items will be posted to the course web site

(<http://www.beletmusic.com/sjsu-courses.html>):

- 4B Midterm Dictation Exam blank (PDF document);
- Audio files for each of the score examples in the exam.

Please download the Exam document to your own computer, and follow one of the two paths described below for completing and returning the exam to me:

PATH #1:

- PRINT the Midterm Dictation Exam, write your responses onto the exam just like you would during an in-class exam. Be sure you add your name on page 1 as indicated.
- SCAN the exam back into your computer.
- Label your exam: LastName_FirstName_MidtermDictation4B.pdf
- EMAIL the completed exam (PDF document) to me before the end of the exam window.

- OR -

PATH #2:

- CREATE your own document using your music notation software (e.g., Finale or Sibelius). Be sure you add your name on page 1 as indicated.
- For the SATB tonal harmonic analysis, I have posted a MSWord document with many common Roman numeral (+ figured bass) analysis symbols. Others can be created by editing the given examples. You may find it useful to insert these analysis symbols into your music example, either directly or after porting the score graphics into a separate MSWord document. One way or another, be sure you can create proper harmonic analysis symbols. If not, use PATH #1.
- LABEL your exam: LastName_FirstName_MidtermDictation4B.pdf
- EMAIL all of the exam files to me before the end of the exam window.

- Dr. Belet