Dear Students Interested in the study of jazz theory and improvisation:

This placement exam helps us to understand where you are in terms of this course sequence. The material covered on this exam comprises a significant portion of our study in Mus113 and serves as a launching point for the following two sequential courses (Mus 246 & 247).

If these concepts and structures are familiar to you, that's great. At the same time, if they are not that comfortable and/or your skills at remembering and applying this material to your playing/singing are not where you would like, please do not hesitate to talk with me. We do not administer this exam with the idea of excluding you from Music 113/246/247.

For more music theory information there is a link on the left side of the music department webpage found at: https://www.amherst.edu/academiclife/departments/music

I look forward to learning more about you and how we can assist in your musical efforts!

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