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Chapter 1

The Romantic Symphony

1.1 Brahms Symphony No 1

- Listen: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=o3a4v1TWUNo>
- Score: http://imslp.org/wiki/Symphony_No.1,_Op.68_%28Brahms,_Johannes%29
- Reading: <http://www.jstor.org/stable/pdfplus/20696500.pdf>

1.2 Bruckner Symphony No 4 (1874)

- Listen: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gcBg-tXn0fs>
- Score: http://imslp.org/wiki/Symphony_No.4_in_E-flat_major,_WAB_104_%28Bruckner,_Anton%29

Chapter 2

Opera

2.1 Romanticism and Puccini: La Bohème

- Listen: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ntg9vXxAia8>
- Score: http://imslp.org/wiki/La_boh%C3%A8me_%28Puccini,_Giacomo%29
- Reading (not for comment): <http://www.pittsburghopera.org/files/file/Study%20Guide%20for%20La%20boheme.pdf>

Chapter 3

Ballet Music

3.1 Impressionism and Debussy: Jeux

- Listen: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eT9ZQEZQSXs>
- Score: http://imslp.org/wiki/Jeux_%28Debussy,_Claude%29
- Reading: http://adrian-moore.staff.shef.ac.uk/teaching/mus126/debussy_jeux_eimert.pdf

3.2 The power of the new

- [NY Times article](#)

3.3 Modernism and Stravinsky: The Rite of Spring

- Listen: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rq1q6u3mLSM>
- Listen: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ew0BXph0hP4>
- Score: http://imslp.org/wiki/The_Rite_of_Spring_%28Stravinsky,_Igor%29
- Reading: Hill, P. (2000). Stravinsky: *The Rite of Spring*. Cambridge Music Handbooks. Cambridge University Press

Chapter 4

Expressionism and Serialism

4.1 Schoenberg: Pierrot Lunaire

- Listen: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=N-zW10__i4M
- Score: http://imslp.org/wiki/Pierrot_Lunaire,_Op.21_%28Schoenberg,_Arnold%29
- Reading: <http://www.jstor.org/stable/pdfplus/10.2307/832890.pdf>

4.2 Berg: Wozzeck

- Listen: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uUkbj08dkDI>
- Reading: <http://adrian-moore.staff.shef.ac.uk/teaching/mus126/wozzeck.pdf>

4.3 Webern: Concerto for nine instruments Op. 24

- Listen: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vmumBURcHlc>
- Listen: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rIr1xrunnf0>
- Score: http://imslp.org/wiki/Concerto,_Op.24_%28Webern,_Anton%29

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