

# The Story of Rock and Roll, 1951-1966

Lecturer: Keith McCuaig

## **Schedule of topics:**

### **Week 1**

Pre-rock and roll and early rock and roll

### **Week 2**

Early rock and roll

### **Week 3**

Early rock and roll and the “Transition Period”

### **Week 4**

“Transition Period” and folk

### **Week 5**

Folk Rock and the British Invasion

### **Week 6**

The British Invasion

## **Recommended readings for continued learning:**

Robert Palmer – *Rock & Roll: An Unruly History*

John Covach and Andrew Flory – *What’s That Sound?: An Introduction to Rock and Its History*

Larry Starr and Christopher Waterman – *American Popular Music*