# **MUSI 133 - Musical Theater Voice I Course Outline**

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SECTION A Unique ID Number CCC000449096 Discipline(s) Music Division Arts and Humanities Subject Area Music Subject Code MUSI Course Number 133 Course Title Musical Theater Voice I TOP Code/SAM Code 1004.00 - Music, General / E - Non-Occupational Rationale for adding this course to the curriculum Units 2 Cross List N/A Typical Course Weeks 18

Contact Hours

Lecture 36.00

Lab

General Education Information:

**SECTION C** 

Course Description Repeatability

- B. Musical phrasing, tempo, dynamics in text communication
- C. Use of harmonic structure and resonance blending in variety of repertoire
- III. Presentational Skills
  - A. Develop character through subtext and text interpretation

structure, melodic chromaticism, texture of accompaniment)

- C. Understanding modes of learning in presentational context (aural/visual/kinesthetic)
- D. Use of resonance (tonal color) in text communication (aural mode)
- E. Use of facial expression in text communication (visual mode)
- Use of body movement in enhancing text communication (kinesthetic mode)
  - F. Understanding of presentation in audition situation, intimate and full-stage production

### IV. Preparation and practice

- A. Preparation
  - 1. Stage presence
  - 2. Musicianship
    - a. Melodic accuracy
    - b. Rhythmic accuracy
    - c. Awareness of harmonic structure
    - d. Memorization
  - 3. Critique
    - a. Performance evaluation
- B. Practice
  - 1. Individual practice sessions (minimum 2 hours weekly)
  - 2. Create plan
    - a. Technique
    - b. Repertoire
    - c. Research composer/lyricist/production

#### V. Repertoire

A. Musical theater song selections (1866 beginning of the genre through contemporary period)

- B. Musical theater repertoire: stage productions and film musical
- C. Understanding of presentation with regard to composer musical composition style
- D. Understanding of how historical period of original composition effects presentation
- E. Solo, and ensemble musical theater scene presentation

## 4. Methods of Instruction:

Critique: Written and oral

Lecture: Audio and online-enhanced lectures

**Observation and Demonstration:** Instructor/student demonstration and observation

**5. Methods of Evaluation:** Describe the general types of evaluations for this course and provide at least two, specific examples.

## Typical classroom assessment techniques

Exams/Tests -- Written and oral Papers -- Performance critiques Class Work -- Written and singing Home Work -- Reading and individual practice Class Performance -- Singing: solo and group Final Class Performance --

Edition: Book #4: Author: Melton, Joan & Tom, Kenneth Title: One Voice: Integrating Singing and Theatre Voice Techniques Publisher: Waveland Press Inc. Date of Publication: 2011 Edition: 2nd

B. Other required materials/supplies.