New Course Request

Indiana University

Fort Wayne Campus

Check Appropriate Boxes: Undergraduate credit ☑ Graduate credit ☐ Professional credit ☐

1. School/Division: Visual and Performing Arts

2. Academic Subject Code: MUS

3. Course Number: V227 (must be cleared with University Enrollment Services)

4. Instructor: Prickett, A.

5. Course Title: German Diction for Singers

Recommended Abbreviation (Optional): Ger Diet Sing

(Limited to 32 Characters including spaces)

6. First time this course is to be offered (Semester/Year): Fall 2009

7. Credit Hours: Fixed at ________ or Variable from ________ to ________

8. Is this course to be graded S-F (only)? Yes No X

9. Is variable title approval being requested? Yes No X

10. Course description (not to exceed 50 words) for Bulletin publication:

Review of International Phonetic Alphabet; study of phonetics with application to vocal literature in the German language. (Fall, second half of term)

11. Lecture Contact Hours: Fixed at ________ or Variable from ________ to ________

12. Non-Lecture Contact Hours: Fixed at ________ or Variable from ________ to ________

13. Estimated enrollment: ________ of which ________ percent are expected to be graduate students.

14. Frequency of scheduling: every fall

15. Will this course be required for majors? Yes

16. Restructuring of diction sequence; this course replaces U243.

17. Justification for new course:

18. Are the necessary reading materials currently available in the appropriate library? Yes

19. Please append a complete outline of the proposed course, and indicate instructor (if known), textbooks, and other materials.

19. If this course overlaps with existing courses, please explain with which courses it overlaps and whether this overlap is necessary, desirable, or unimportant

A copy of every new course proposal must be submitted to departments, schools, or divisions in which there may be overlap of the new course with existing courses or areas of strong concern, with instructions that they send comments directly to the originating Curriculum Committee. Please append a list of departments, schools, or divisions thus consulted.

Submitted by: [Signature] Date 10-16-08

Date Department Chairman/Division Director

Approved by: [Signature] Date 10-31-08

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Date

University Enrollment Services

After School/Division approval, forward the last copy (without attachments) to University Enrollment Services for initial processing, and the remaining four copies and attachments to the Campus Chancellor or Vice-President.

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Department/Division-Red, University Enrollment Services Advance-White
MUS V227: GERMAN DICTION FOR SINGERS

Tuesday – Thursday, 12:00 – 12:50   Rhinehart Music Center, Room 207

Instructor:   Amy Prickett
Office:   RC 213
Office Hours:   By Appointment
Telephone:   481-6728
e-mail:   pricketa@ipfw.edu

Required Text:   Diction for Singers by Joan Wall

Required Materials:   German-English Dictionary

Course Description:   Prerequisites: MUS T114, V226; concurrent enrollment in applied voice. Review of International Phonetic Alphabet; study of phonetics with application to vocal literature in the German language.

Grading Policy:   Quizzes 40%
Performances 40%
Final Exam 20%

Grading Scale:
A 93-100
A- 90-92
B+ 87-89
B 83-86
B- 80-82
C+ 77-79
C 73-76
C- 70-72
D+ 67-69
D 63-66
D- 60-62
F 59 and below

Quizzes:   Eight weekly quizzes will be given beginning August 28 over the previous classes homework assignment. Each quiz will be worth five points. Missed quizzes will be made up at the instructor’s discretion.

Performances: Each student will sing and present four German Art songs or arias in class. The songs MUST be approved by the instructor. The presentations will consist of four parts: 1) reading the poem or text, 2) handing out and presenting a brief program note, 3) turning in the IPA, 4) performing the song in class. Each performance will be worth ten points. Please note that students are responsible for making arrangements for an accompanist. Missed performances will be made up at the instructor’s discretion.

Final Exam:   The final exam will be held on [date varies by semester] at 12:00 pm. A missed final exam will be made up at the instructor’s discretion.
**Attendance Policy:** One absence is allowed, but not encouraged. If you need to miss class, it is your responsibility to contact the instructor regarding a missed quiz or performance. Missed quizzes or performances will be made up at the instructor’s discretion.

**Students with Disabilities:** It is the policy of IPFW to afford equal opportunity in education to qualified students. If you have a disability that may challenge you in meeting course requirements, contact the Director of Services for Students with Disabilities (Walb Union, Room 113; telephone number 481-6658) for assistance in developing an accommodation plan. Course requirements will not be waived, but accommodations can be developed to meet most needs. Once the director has provided you with a letter attesting to your needs for accommodation, bring the letter to the instructor. It is the policy of this instructor that no accommodations will be made retroactively; poor performance on graded work will not be made up or altered in any way if the student has not followed the process outlined above. For more information, please visit the web site for SSD at [http://www.ipfw.edu/ssd/](http://www.ipfw.edu/ssd/)

**Course Outline:**

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**THURSDAY, December XX**  
**FINAL EXAM, 12:00 – 12:50 PM**