

# Inver Hills Community College

## MUSC 1122: Diction: English and Italian

### A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 2

Lecture Hours/Week: 1

Lab Hours/Week: 1

OJT Hours/Week: \*.\*

Prerequisites: None

Corequisites: None

MnTC Goals: Goal 06 - Humanities/Fine Arts

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**B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES:** 08/24/2015 - Present

### C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

1. IPA symbols and sounds 40%
2. English - specific phonemes 20%
3. Italian specific phonemes 20%
4. Special characters, glides, inflection, dialect and combinations of sounds 20%

### D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)

1. Demonstrate comprehension of the International Phonetic Alphabet (IPA)
2. Use IPA to demonstrate understanding of phonemes in English and Italian .
3. Analyze English and Italian languages to develop diction and pronunciation.
4. Compare and contrast dialects within a language.
5. Compare and contrast trends among different languages.

### E. Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Goal Area(s) and Competencies

Goal 06 - Humanities/Fine Arts

1. Respond critically to works in the arts and humanities.

### F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus

### G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

None noted