

# BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS IN THEATRE

The Bachelor of Fine Arts in Theatre is designed to provide intensive training, preparing students for careers in the professional or academic theatre.

Admission to this program is available by audition/interview only. Students admitted to this BFA program will combine a basic foundation of general studies with an extensive selection of performance-oriented coursework (acting, directing, design, and dance) and participation in the co-curricular production activities of the department. This degree may be earned in eight semesters if students average 16 hours per semester. Retention in the program is contingent upon an annual progress review presented by each student.

COURSE	TITLE	S.H.
<b>General Education Requirements</b>		
Core Competencies		
ENGL 1550	Writing 1	3-4
	or ENGL 1549 Writing 1 with Support	
ENGL 1551	Writing 2	3
CMST 1545	Communication Foundations	3
Mathematics Requirement		3
Knowledge Domains		
Arts and Humanities (6 s.h.)		6
Natural Sciences (2 courses, 1 with lab) (6-7 s.h.)		7
Social Science (6 s.h.)		6
Social and Personal Awareness (6 s.h.)		6
First-Year Experience course (or Gen Ed elective if needed)		3
<b>Major Requirements</b>		
THTR 1559	Production Design for Stage and Screen	3
THTR 1561	Stagecraft	3
THTR 2668	Acting 1: Fundamentals	3
THTR 2661	Stage Management	1
Theatre Participation (THTR 2600) must be taken 3 times for a total of 3 s.h.		3
THTR 3761	Stage Makeup	3
THTR 3762	Directing 1	3
THTR 2667	Acting 2: Voice for the Actor	3
THTR 3766	Stage Combat	3
Theatre Participation 2 (THTR 3700) must be taken 4 times for a total of 4 s.h.		4
Select two of the following:		6
THTR 3763	Scene Design	
THTR 3765	Lighting Design	
THTR 3769	Costume Design	
THTR 4891	Theatre History Before 1700	3
THTR 3791 Rehearsal and Performance or THTR 3792 Projects in Production (taken 2 times)		6
THTR 4860	Theatre History after 1700	3
THTR 3764	History of Stage Costume	3
THTR 3768	Script Analysis for Stage and Screen	3
THTR 4898	Senior Project	3
Select four of the following:		12
THTR 1563	Costume Construction and Craft	
THTR 4863	Acting 3: Styles	
THTR 4870	Acting 4: Acting on Camera	
THTR 4899	Topics in Theatre	

THTR 5864	Directing 2	
Select 3 s.h. in movement from the following:		3
DNCE 1570	Jazz Dance 1	
DNCE 1572	Ballet 1	
DNCE 1540	Modern Dance 1	
DNCE 1571	Tap Dance 1	
DNCE 1541	Modern Dance 2	
KSS 1514	Fencing 1	
KSS 1558	Physical Fitness for Life	
KSS 1557	Weight Training	
<b>Electives</b>		
Select 12 s.h. of theatre or dance electives emphasizing either performance or design/technology.		12

Total Semester Hours 123-124

Course	Title	S.H.
<b>Year 1</b>		
<b>Fall</b>		
THTR 3768	Script Analysis for Stage and Screen	3
THTR 2668	Acting 1: Fundamentals	3
THTR 2600	Theatre Participation	1
ENGL 1550	Writing 1	3
CCAC 1500	College Success	3
DNCE/KSS Elective		1
Semester Hours		14
<b>Spring</b>		
THTR 1561	Stagecraft	3
THTR 2600	Theatre Participation	1
THTR 2667	Acting 2: Voice for the Actor	3
ENGL 1551	Writing 2	3
CMST 1545	Communication Foundations	3
ART 1540	Masterpieces of World Art	3
Semester Hours		16
<b>Year 2</b>		
<b>Fall</b>		
THTR 2600	Theatre Participation	1
THTR 3762	Directing 1	3
THTR 4891	Theatre History Before 1700	3
	or THTR 4860 Theatre History after 1700	
GEN ED Science with Lab		4
MATH 2623	Quantitative Reasoning	3
DNCE/KSS Elective		2
Semester Hours		16
<b>Spring</b>		
THTR 3700	Theatre Participation 2	1
Arts and Humanities Elective		3
THTR 3763	Scene Design	3
	or THTR 3765 or Lighting Design	
	or THTR 3769 or Costume Design	
THTR 3766	Stage Combat	3
	or THTR 3764 or History of Stage Costume	
THTR 2661	Stage Management	1
THTR 3791	Rehearsal and Performance	3
Semester Hours		14
<b>Year 3</b>		
<b>Fall</b>		
THTR 3700	Theatre Participation 2	1

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THTR 4891 or THTR 4860	Theatre History Before 1700 or Theatre History after 1700	3
THTR 1563 or THTR 4870	Costume Construction and Craft or Acting 4: Acting on Camera	3
THTR 3791 or THTR 3792	Rehearsal and Performance or Projects in Production	3
SPA Elective		3
Social Science Elective		3
Semester Hours		16
<b>Spring</b>		
THTR 3700	Theatre Participation 2	1
THTR 3701	Professional Preparation	2
THTR 3763 or THTR 3765 or THTR 3769	Scene Design or Lighting Design or Costume Design	3
Science Elective		3
THTR 4863 or THTR 5864 or THTR 3761	Acting 3: Styles or Directing 2 or Stage Makeup	3
Social Science Elective		3
Semester Hours		15
<b>Year 4</b>		
<b>Fall</b>		
THTR 3700	Theatre Participation 2	1
THTR Elective		3
THTR Elective		3
GEN ED Elective		3
Arts and Humanities Elective		3
Any Upper Division Elective		3
Semester Hours		16
<b>Spring</b>		
THTR 4898	Senior Project	3
THTR 3764 or THTR 3766	History of Stage Costume or Stage Combat	3
THTR 4863 or THTR 5864	Acting 3: Styles or Directing 2	3
Any Elective		3
Any Elective		3
Semester Hours		15
Total Semester Hours		122