

BUTLER UNIVERSITY • DEPARTMENT OF THEATRE

B.A. IN THEATRE PLUS A SECONDARY MAJOR IN CREATIVE MEDIA AND ENTERTAINMENT

- The B.A. degree in Theatre requires 124 credits.
 - 40 hours must be 300 or 400-level courses.
 - All theatre majors have Arts Event Attendance Requirements; for details, check <https://www.butler.edu/jca/for-current-students>.
- The double major of Theatre and Creative Media and Entertainment will fulfill the following Areas of Inquiry in the University Core Curriculum: Perspectives of the Creative Arts and The Social World. In addition, the B.A. Theatre curriculum fulfills the Indianapolis Community Requirement and the Social Justice and Diversity requirement of the Butler University Core Curriculum; theatre majors are exempted from the Butler Cultural Requirement because of the arts event attendance requirements for all arts majors.
- The student will be assigned a Creative Media and Entertainment advisor in addition to their Theatre advisor.

Semester 1

TH 100	Professional Theatre Pract	1
TH 101	Professional Theatre Lab	0
TH 111	Acting 1	3
TH 121	Stage Movement 1	2
TH 130	Production Fundamentals	2
TH 150-ICR	Idea of Theatre	3
FYS 101	First Year Seminar	3
CME 111	Intro to Cr Med & Entertain	3
TOTAL Credit Hours:		17

Semester 2

TH 100	Professional Theatre Pract	1
TH 101	Professional Theatre Lab	0
TH 112	Acting 2	3
TH 122	Voice for the Actor 1	2
TH 250	Text Analysis	3
FYS 102	First Year Seminar	3
CME 109	Fund of Videogr & Video Ed	3
WDD 108	Multimedia Graphics	3
TOTAL Credit Hours:		18

Semester 3

TH 300	Professional Theatre Pract	1
TH 232/331/335	TH Design Course	3
TH _____	Theatre Electives	2
PWB _____	Physical Well-Being	1
COM 101	Rhetoric & the Am Democracy	3
WDD 219	Design for the Wld Wide Web	3
Language Elective** (see note)		3
TOTAL Credit Hours:		16

Semester 4

TH 300	Professional Theatre Pract	1
TH 301	Professional Theatre Lab	0
TH 232/331/335	TH Design Course	3
TH _____	Theatre Electives	3
CME 209	Basic Studio Production	3
SW 266-CCM	Media Literacy	3
CC Elective from approved list*		3
TOTAL Credit Hours:		16

Semester 5

TH 300	Professional Theatre Pract	1
TH 301	Professional Theatre Lab	0
TH 232,331,335	TH Design Course	3
TH 351/2-SJD	Amer Theatre History 1/2	3
TH _____	Theatre Elective	1
AR _____	Analytic Reasoning	3
CME 309	Documentary Production	3
WDD 306	Multimedia Design & Prod	3
TOTAL Credit Hours:		17

Semester 6

TH 451/2/3	Critical Perspectives 1/2/3	3
TH _____	Theatre Electives	3
NW _____	The Natural World	5
CME 211	Authorship in Film and Tel	3
MI 452	Entertain Media & the Law	3
TOTAL Credit Hours:		17

Semester 7

TH 441	Stage Directing 1	3
TH 490	Senior Capstone in Theatre	1
GHS _____	Global and Historical Studies	3
TI _____	Texts and Ideas	3
CME 311	Genres in Film & Television	3
CME 440	Creative Media & Enter Intern	3
TOTAL Credit Hours:		16

Semester 8

TH 300	Professional Theatre Pract	1
TH 301	Professional Theatre Lab	0
TH 491-99	Capstone Project, Internship	1
GHS _____	Global and Historical Studies	3
CME 315	Post-Production Techniques	3
CME 409	Narrative Production	3
CME 411	Entertainment Criticism	3
CME 457	Capstone	3
TOTAL Credit Hours:		17

SUMMARY

REQUIRED THEATRE COURSES:

TH 100	Professional Theatre Practices (first-year)	2 (1,1)
TH 101	Professional Theatre Lab (first-year: 2 sem)	0,0
TH 300	Professional Theatre Practices (soph,jr,sr)	4 (1,1,1,1)
TH 301	Professional Theatre Lab (soph,jr,sr: 3 sem)	0,0,0
TH 111	Acting 1	3
TH 112	Acting 2	3
TH 121	Stage Movement 1	2
TH 122	Voice for the Actor 1	2
TH 130	Production Fundamentals	2
TH 150-ICR	Idea of Theatre	3
TH 232	Stage Lighting 1	3
TH 250	Text Analysis	3
TH 331	Scenography	3
TH 335	Costume Design	3
TH 351,352-SJD	American Theatre History 1,2	3
TH 441	Stage Directing 1	3
TH 451,452,453	Critical Perspectives of Theatre 1,2,3	3
TH 490	Senior Capstone in Theatre	1
TH 491-499	Capstone Project, Internship, or Thesis	1+
Theatre Electives		9
	TOTAL	53

UNIVERSITY CORE CURRICULUM:

FYS 101,102	First Year Seminar	3,3
GHS _____	Global and Historical Studies	3,3
AR _____	Analytic Reasoning	3
NW _____	The Natural World	5
TI _____	Texts and Ideas	3
PWB _____	Physical Well-Being	1
	TOTAL	24

COURSES REQUIRED FOR THE CREATIVE MEDIA AND ENTERTAINMENT MAJOR:

COM 101	Rhetoric and the American Democracy	3
SW 266-CCM	Media Literacy	3
Communication and Culture Elective from the approved list*		3
Language**	3 hours at the 204 level or above	3

NOTE: The 204-level of a language represents the second semester of intermediate study; most students will require 3-4 semesters of language study to fulfill this requirement.

CME 109	Fundamentals of Videography & Video Edit	3
CME 111	Intro to Creative Media and Entertainment	3
CME 209	Basic Studio Production	3
CME 211	Authorship in Film and Television	3
CME 309	Documentary Production	3
CME 311	Genres in Film and Television	3
CME 315	Post-Production Techniques	3
CME 409	Narrative Production	3

CME 411	Entertainment Criticism	3
CME 440	Creative Media and Enter Internship	3
CME 457	Capstone	3
MI 452	Entertainment Media and the Law	3
WDD 108	Multimedia Graphics	3
WDD 219	Design for the World Wide Web	3
WDD 306	Multimedia Design and Production	3
	TOTAL	57

****The following courses are approved to fulfill the Communication and Culture Course Requirement:***

CCM 254	Gender and Communication	3
CCM 330	Representations of Race & Diff	3
CCM 376	Film, Culture, and Criticism	3
CCM 420	Queering Film	3
CCM 468	Women and Rock	3
CCM 470	Sports, Media, and Culture	3
CCM 481	Technologies of the Body	3
CCM 482	Voices of Dissent & Social Change	3
JR 325	Gender and News: Global Views	3
JR 417	Global Media	3
SLHS 338	Language and Culture	3
STR 405	Global Strategic Communication	3